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general construction volume

divisions 0 thru 48

# IMED MRI Caring Suite 5121 COTTONWOOD | BUILDING 5 | MURRAY, UTAH

**OWNER** 

Intermountain Healthcare 36 S State Street, 16th Floor I Salt Lake City, Utah

DATE 15 July 2019



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## **INVITATION TO BID**

**PROJECT:** Renovation to MRI suite for Intermountain Hospital (IMED) in Murray, Utah.

**LOCATION:** 5121 Cottonwood Street, Building 5

Murray, Utah

**OWNER:** IHC Healthcare.

TIME AND PLACE:

The Owner will receive bids on Monday, July 29, 2019 at 2:00 pm:

Intermountain Healthcare Security Desk - 16th Floor 36 South State Street

Salt Lake City, Utah 84111-1486

Attention: AnnaLisa Silcox (AnnaLisa.Silcox@imail.org)

Bids shall be received by sealed envelope or emailed electronically to the Owner by time and at address noted above. If submitting a sealed bid, deliver to Security on the 16<sup>th</sup>

floor.

**TYPE OF BID:** Bids shall be on a lump sum basis.

TIME OF COMPLETION

Bidders shall provide a construction duration in calendar days and a Date of Substantial Completion on their bid forms. Consideration will be given to bidders offering earlier

times of completion.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS:

Bidding documents will be available on July 15, 2019, thru the office of VCBO Architecture, 524 South 600 East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102 in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. PDF's will be given to invited Contractors only. Bidding

documents are not to be posted in the plan rooms.

**BONDS:** Bonds will not be required for this project.

RIGHT TO The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any irregularities in

REJECT BIDS: any bid or in the bidding

MANDATORY PREBID

CONSTRUCTION

MEETING

Wednesday, July 17, 2019 at 11:00 am.

**END OF SECTION** 

## SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

A. The Supplementary Instructions to Bidders herein describe, contain changes and additions to Section 00 0100 - AIA A701 Instructions to Bidders (included by reference - copies may be obtained from the Architect's office for the cost of reproduction). Where any part of the Instructions to Bidders is modified by these Supplementary instructions, the unaltered provisions shall remain in effect.

#### **COPIES** 3.1.5

Add the following:

The title or cover sheet to the drawings and the index to the Project Manual contains a list of all documents which comprise a full set of bid documents for this project. Any Contractor, Subcontractor, vendor or any other person participating in or bidding on this project shall be responsible for the information contained in any and all sheets of drawings and all sections of the specifications. If any person, party or entity elects to submit bids for any portion, or all, of this project, that person, party or entity shall be responsible for any and all information contained in these drawings and specifications, including, but not limited to, any subsequent addendums or clarifications that may be issued.

#### 3.3 **SUBSTITUTIONS**

Amend 3.3.2 to read:

No substitution will be considered prior to receipt of Bids unless written request for approval has been received by the Architect at least 7 days prior to the date for receipt of Bids. Such requests...

#### 3.4 **ADDENDA**

Amend 3.4.3 to read:

No addenda will be issued later than 24 hours prior to the date for receipt of Bids except an addendum may be issued no later than 12 hours prior to the date for receipt of bids for the purpose of cancellation or postponement of receipt of bids. It is the responsibility of the Bidder to disseminate telephone addendum information to sub-bidders.

#### 4.2 **BID SECURITY**

**Delete** this article in its entirety. Bid bonds will not be required for this project.

#### 4.3 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Amend 4.3.4 to read:

Bids shall be hand delivered in sealed envelope or emailed to the Owner at the address noted in the Invitation to Bid. Bids submitted orally, or by telephone or facsimile will not be considered.

#### 5.3 **ACCEPTANCE OF BID (AWARD)**

Amend 5.3.2 to read:

The Owner shall ... to determine the low bidder on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid or on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid and any combined accepted Alternates. Cost of insurance will not be used as the basis of award.

## **ARTICLE 7 - PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BOND**

Delete this Article in its entirety. Bonds will not be required for this Project.

**END OF SECTION** 

## **BID FORM**

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## **TYPE OF ORGANIZATION:**

Corporation, Partnership, Individual, etc.)	
SEAL (If a Corporation)	Respectfully Submitted,
	Name of Bidder
	Authorized Cianoture
	Authorized Signature

## **SCHEDULE OF VALUES**

NAME OF BIDDER: _		
DATE:		

DIV	TITLE	AMOUNT	\$/SQ. FT	COMMENTS
01	General Conditions	\$	\$	
02	Demolition	\$	\$	
02	Saw cut slab	\$	\$	
03	Concrete	\$	\$	
04	Masonry	\$	\$	
05	Steel	\$	\$	
06	Woods and Plastics	\$	\$	
07	Thermal and Moisture Protection	\$	\$	
08	Openings	\$	\$	
09	Finishes	\$	\$	
10	Specialties	\$	\$	
12	Furnishings	\$	\$	
21	Fire Suppression	\$	\$	
22	Plumbing	\$	\$	
23	HVAC	\$	\$	
26	Electrical	\$	\$	
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	SUBTOTAL	\$	\$	
	OVERHEAD AND PROFIT	\$	\$	
	TOTAL COST	\$	\$	

END OF SECTION

## **OWNER/CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. AIA Document A101 'Standard Form of Agreement for Construction between the Owner and General Contractor' where the basis of payment is a STIPULATED SUM, will presumably be used on this project. A copy may be obtained from the Architect for the cost of reproduction.
- B. **The Owner reserves the right** to use a contract form of their own creation.

## **ELECTRONIC MEDIA AGREEMENT**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 AGREEMENT CONCERNING DRAWING FILES ON ELECTRONIC MEDIA

- A. The electronic files will be distributed from the Architect to the General Contractor only once the following form has been signed. It will be the General Contractor's responsibility to control distribution.
- B. Valentiner Crane Brunjes Onyon Architects, L.L.C. (the Architect) does not assume any responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in these drawing files. Any and all users are aware that differences may exist between the electronic files delivered and the printed hard-copy construction documents. In the event of a conflict between the signed and sealed hard-copy construction documents prepared by the Architect and the electronic files, the signed or sealed hard-copy construction documents shall govern.
- C. Any and all users who may obtain these drawings from the General Contractor under this agreement, including but not limited to; subcontractors, vendors, suppliers etc., agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Architect, its officers, directors, employees and subconsultants against all damages, liabilities or costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees and defense costs, arising from any changes made by anyone other than the Architect or from any transfer or reuse of the electronic files including data contained in the files without the prior written consent of the Architect.
- D. Building Information Model (BIM) drawing files will be made available to the Contractor and its subcontractors for the purposes of preparing submittals for their portion of the work **only** after the "Agreement Concerning Drawing Files on Electronic Media" has been signed by the General Contractor.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - Not Used

PART 3 - EXECUTION - Not Used

**END OF SECTION** 

## AGREEMENT CONCERNING DRAWING FILES ON ELECTRONIC MEDIA

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Any and all users who may obtain these digital models from the General Contractor under this agreement, including but not limited to; subcontractors, vendors, suppliers etc., agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Architect, its officers, directors, employees and sub-consultants against all damages, liabilities or costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees and defense costs, arising from any changes made by anyone other than the Architect or from any transfer or reuse of the electronic files without the prior written consent of the Architect.

Under no circumstances shall delivery of the electronic digital models be deemed a sale by the Architect, and the Architect makes no warranties, either express or implied, of merchantability and fitness for any particular purpose. In no event shall the Architect be liable for any loss of profit or any consequential damages as a result of the use or reuse of the electronic files.

The digital Building Information Models provided will contain information as provided on construction documents. The user shall remove all notes, text, detail cuts and member designations from the electronic file prior to use. If used as submittal documents, submittals will be rejected if non-compliant. The drawing files provided by VCBO may not be reproduced or distributed to individuals outside the company or collective organization signing this agreement.

## **LIST OF DRAWINGS:**

Project Name: Intermountain Riverton Hos VCBO Project # 18875	pital MRI Caring Suite				
st of Revit Models: Architectural, Structural, Mechanical and Electrical.					
ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS, CONDITIONS 8	& LIMITATIONS:				
Name of Company/Contractor	Signature of Company/Contractor Representative				
Printed Name of Individual Signing					
Position/Title	Date				
This agreement must be signed and return	ned to VCBO prior to release of any electronic				

document.

## **BONDS AND CERTIFICATES**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 **SUMMARY**

- The following AIA documents are incorporated by reference; copies may be obtained from A. the Architect for the cost of reproduction.
  - AIA Document G702 'Application and Certificate for Payment' 1.
  - AIA Document G703 'Application and Certificate for Payment Continuation' 2.
  - 3. AIA Document G701 - 'Change Order'
  - AIA Document G704 'Certificate of Substantial Completion' AIA Document G707 'Consent of Surety to Final Payment' 4.
  - 5.
  - AIA Document G707A 'Consent of Surety to Reduction in or Partial Release of 6. Retainage'

## **SECTION 00 6276.13**

## **EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 SUMMARY

A. Construction materials purchased by or on behalf of **Intermountain Healthcare** *may be* exempt from Utah sales and use taxes. Tax Exempt **Form TC-721** must be used by vendors when purchasing construction materials for **Intermountain Healthcare** projects. A copy of Form TC-721, with the Owner's pertinent tax information, follows this cover page.



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## **Exemption Certificate**

(Sales, Use, Tourism and Motor Vehicle Rental Tax)

**TC-721** Rev. 11/17

Name of business or institution claiming exemption (purchaser)  Telephone number						
Name of business of institution claiming	exemption (purchaser)			releptione number		
Street address			City		State	ZIP Code
Authorized signature		Name (please print)		Title		
					Date	
Name of Seller or Supplier:					Date	
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Sales Tax License Number:	N10701			Required for all exe	emptions marked	l with an asterisk (*)

The signer of this certificate MUST check the box showing the basis for which the exemption is being claimed.

# **DO NOT SEND THIS CERTIFICATE TO THE TAX COMMISSION**Keep it with your records in case of an audit.

For purchases by government, Native American tribes and public schools, use form TC-721G.

## \*□ Resale or Re-lease

I certify I am a dealer in tangible personal property or services that are for resale or re-lease. If I use or consume any tangible personal property or services I purchase tax free for resale, or if my sales are of food, beverages, dairy products and similar confections dispensed from vending machines (see Rule R865-19S-74), I will report and pay sales tax directly to the Tax Commission on my next sales and use tax return.

## **\***☐ Religious or Charitable Institution

I certify the tangible personal property or services purchased will be used or consumed for essential religious or charitable purposes. This exemption can only be used on purchases totaling \$1,000 or more, unless the sale is pursuant to a contract between the seller and purchaser.

## **★⊠** Construction Materials Purchased for Religious and Charitable Organizations

I certify the construction materials are purchased on behalf of a religious or charitable organization and that they will be installed or converted into real property owned by the religious or charitable organization.

Name of religious or charitable organization: Intermountain Healthcare

Name of project: Rose Canyon Clinic Expansion

## **\*** ■ Machinery and Equipment and Normal Operating Repair or Replacement Parts Used in a Manufacturing Facility, Mining Activity or Web Search Portal or Electronic Payment Service

I certify the machinery and equipment and normal operating repair or replacement parts have an economic life of three years or more and are for use in a Utah manufacturing facility described in SIC Codes 2000-3999; in a qualifying scrap recycling operation; in a co-generation facility placed in service on or after May 1, 2006; in the operation of a Web search portal by a new or expanding business described in NAICS Code 518112 between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2014; in the operation of an electronic financial payment service described in NAICS Code 522320; or in a business described in NAICS 212, Mining (except Oil and Gas), or NAICS 213113, Support Activities for Coal Mining, NAICS 213114, Support Activities for Metal Mining, or NAICS 213115, Support Activities for Nonmetallic Minerals (except Fuels) Mining. For a definition of exempt mining equipment, see Utah Code §59-12-104(14).

## **\*** Fuels, Gas, Electricity

I certify all natural gas, electricity, coal, coke, and other fuel purchased will be used for industrial use only and not for residential or commercial purposes.

# \* ☐ Refinery Machinery, Equipment and Normal Repair or Replacement Parts

I certify the machinery, equipment, normal operating repair parts, catalysts, chemicals, reagents, solutions or supplies are for the use of a refiner who owns, leases, controls or supervises a refinery (see Utah Code §63M-4-701) located in Utah.

## \* Auto, Industrial Gas, or Drilling Equipment Manufacturer

I certify the machinery, equipment, normal operating or replacement parts are used or consumed in a manufacturing process as described in NAICS 336111 (Automotive Manufacturing), or 325120 (Industrial Gas Manufacturing) to manufacture hydrogen of the 2002 North American Industry Classifications Systems, or by a drilling equipment manufacturer as defined in Utah Code §59-12-102.

## **\*** ■ Pollution Control Facility

I certify our company has been granted a "Certification of Pollution Control Facilities" as provided for by Utah Code §§19-12-101 - 19-12-305 by either the Air Quality Board or the Water Quality Board. I further certify each item of tangible personal property purchased under this exemption is qualifying.

## **\***□ Steel Mill

I certify the rolls, rollers, refractory brick, electric motors or other replacement parts will be used in the furnaces, mills or ovens of a steel mill as described in Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) 3312.

## **\*** ■ Municipal Energy

I certify the natural gas or electricity purchased: is for resale; is prohibited from taxation by federal law, the U.S. Constitution, or the Utah Constitution; is for use in compounding or producing taxable energy; is subject to tax under the Motor and Special Fuel Tax Act; is used for a purpose other than as a fuel; is used by an entity exempted by municipal ordinance; or is for use outside a municipality imposing a municipal energy sales and use tax. The normal sales tax exemptions under Utah Code §59-12-104 do not apply to the Municipal Energy Sales and Use Tax.

## **\*** ■ Short-term Lodging Consumables

I certify the tangible personal property is consumable items purchased by a lodging provider as described in Utah Code §59-12-103(1)(i).

### **\*** □ Direct Mail

I certify I will report and pay the sales tax for direct mail purchases on my next Utah Sales and Use Tax Return.

*[	Commercial Airlines I certify the food and beverages purchased are by a commercial airline for in-flight consumption; or, any parts or equipment purchased are for use in aircraft operated by common carriers in interstate or foreign commerce.	*□	Telecommunications Equipment, Machinery or Software  I certify these purchases or leases of equipment, machinery, or software, by or on behalf of a telephone service provider, have a useful economic life of one or more years and will be used to enable or facilitate telecommunications; to provide 911 service; to maintain
*[	Commercials, Films, Audio and Video Tapes I certify that purchases of commercials, films, prerecorded video tapes, prerecorded audio program tapes or records are for sale or distribution to motion picture exhibitors, or commercial television or		or repair telecommunications equipment; to switch or route telecommunications service; or for sending, receiving, or transporting telecommunications service.
*F	radio broadcasters. If I subsequently resell items to any other customer, or use or consume any of these items, I will report any tax liability directly to the Tax Commission.  Alternative Energy		Leasebacks I certify the tangible personal property leased satisfies the following conditions: (1) the property is part of a sale-leaseback transaction (2) sales or use tax was paid on the initial purchase of the property and (3) the leased property will be capitalized and the lease
	I certify the tangible personal property meets the requirements of Utah Code §59-12-104 and is leased or purchased by or for an alternative energy electricity production facility, a waste energy	_	and, (3) the leased property will be capitalized and the lease payments will be accounted for as payments made under a financing arrangement.
*[	production facility, or a facility that produces fuel from alternative energy.  Locomotive Fuel		Film, Television, Radio I certify that purchases, leases or rentals of machinery or equipment will be used by a motion picture or video production company for the production of media for commercial distribution.
	I certify this fuel will be used by a railroad in a locomotive engine.		F
*[	Research and Development of Alternative Energy Technology I certify the tangible personal property purchased will be used in		Prosthetic Devices I certify the prosthetic device(s) is prescribed by a licensed physician for human use to replace a missing body part, to preven or correct a physical deformity, or support a weak body part. This is
*[	research and development of alternative energy technology.  Life Science Research and Development Facility	_	also exempt if purchased by a hospital or medical facility. (Sales o corrective eyeglasses and contact lenses are taxable.)
	I certify that: (1) the machinery, equipment and normal operating repair or replacement parts purchased have an economic life of three or more years for use in performing qualified research in Utah; or (2) construction materials purchased are for use in the construction of a new or expanding life science research and development	Ц	Out-of-State Construction Materials I certify this tangible personal property will be shipped out of state and will become part of real property located in a state that does no have a sales tax or allow credit for tax paid to Utah.
	facility in Utah.		Construction Materials Purchased for Airports
*[	Mailing Lists I certify the printed mailing lists or electronic databases are used to send printed material that is delivered by U.S. mail or other delivery service to a mass audience where the cost of the printed material is not billed directly to the recipients.		I certify the construction materials are purchased by, on behalf of, or for the benefit of Salt Lake International Airport, or a new airpor owned or operated by a city in Davis, Utah, Washington or Webe County. I further certify the construction materials will be installed or converted into real property owned by and located at the airport.
			Agricultural Producer
*L	Semiconductor Fabricating, Processing or Research and Development Material I certify the fabricating, processing, or research and development materials purchased are for use in research or development, manufacturing, or fabricating of semiconductors.		I certify the items purchased will be used primarily and directly in a commercial farming operation and qualify for the Utah sales and use tax exemption. This exemption does not apply to vehicles required to be registered.
_	<b>o</b>		Tourism/Motor Vehicle Rental
*L	Aircraft Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul Provider I certify these sales are to or by an aircraft maintenance, repair and overhaul provider for the use in the maintenance, repair, overhaul or refurbishment in Utah of a fixed-wing, turbine-powered aircraft that is registered or licensed in a state or country outside Utah.		I certify the motor vehicle being leased or rented will be temporarily used to replace a motor vehicle that is being repaired pursuant to a repair or an insurance agreement; the lease will exceed 30 days the motor vehicle being leased or rented is registered for a gross laden weight of 12,001 pounds or more; or, the motor vehicle is being rented or leased as a personal household goods moving van
*[	Ski Resort I certify the snow-making equipment, ski slope grooming equipment or passenger rope-ways purchased are to be paid directly with funds from the ski resort noted on the front of this form.		This exemption applies only to the tourism tax (up to 7 percent) and the short-term motor vehicle rental tax (Transportation Corridor Funding – 2.5 percent) – not to the state, local, transit, zoo, hospital highways, county option or resort sales tax.
*[	Machinery or Equipment Used by Payers of Admissions or User Fees I certify that: (1) the machinery or equipment has an economic life of three or more years and will be used by payers of admissions or user fees (Utah Code §59-12-103(1)(f)); (2) the buyer is in the amusement, gambling or recreation industry (NAICS Subsector 713); and (3) at least 51 percent of the buyer's sales revenue for the previous calendar quarter came from admissions or user fees.		Textbooks for Higher Education I certify that textbooks purchased are required for a higher education course, for which I am enrolled at an institution of higher education, and qualify for this exemption. An institution of higher education means: the University of Utah, Utah State University, Utah State University Eastern, Weber State University, Southern Utah University, Snow College, Dixie State University, Utah Valley University, Salt Lake Community College, or the Utah System of Technical Colleges.

**NOTE TO PURCHASER:** You must notify the seller of cancellation, modification, or limitation of the exemption you have claimed.

<sup>\*</sup> Purchaser must provide sales tax license number in the header on page 1.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 SUMMARY

A. Owner's General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, dated 01/2016, follow this cover page.



# INTERMOUNTAIN HEALTHCARE GENERAL CONDITIONS

## January 2016

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# ARTICLE 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

## 1.1 BASIC DEFINITIONS

A/E.  $\Box$ A/E  $\Box$ means the person lawfully licensed to practice architecture or engineering or an entity lawfully practicing architecture or engineering identified as such in the A/E's Agreement and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number. The term  $\Box$ A/E  $\Box$  also means the A/E's representative and its subconsultants. When these General Conditions are part of a Contract in which the design professional is an interior designer, landscape subconsultant or other design professional, the term  $\Box$ A/E  $\Box$ as used in these General Conditions shall be deemed to refer to such design professional. A license is not required when the type of design professional is one which is not subject to a professional license, but such professional must meet the prevailing standards in the State of Utah for such practice. For projects where there is no A/E hired by Intermountain, the references in the General Conditions to A/E shall be deemed to refer to Intermountain as may be practicably applied.

**A/E's AGREEMENT**. □**A/E's Agreement**□means, unless the context requires otherwise, the agreement executed by the A/E and Intermountain for the Project.

**ADDENDA**. Addenda means the written or graphic instruments issued prior to the opening of Bids which clarify, correct or change the bidding documents or the Contract Documents.

**ASI**. ASI shall mean a Supplemental Instruction issued by the A/E to the Contractor which may result in clarifications or minor changes in the Work and does not affect the contract time or the contract amount.

**BID**. Bid means the offer of the bidder submitted on the prescribed form setting forth the proposed stipulated sum for the Work to be performed.

**BONDS**. Bonds mean the bid bond, performance and payment bonds and other instruments of security

**CHANGE ORDER**. Change Order means a written instrument signed by Intermountain and Contractor, stating their agreement for changes of the Contract as specified on the required Intermountain change order form.

**CLAIM**. Claim means a dispute, demand, assertion or other matter arising in connection with the Contract or the Project, whether submitted by Intermountain or the Contractor, including a Subcontractor at any tier subject to the provisions of these General Conditions. A requested amendment, requested change order, or a Construction Change Directive (CCD) is not Claim unless agreement cannot be reached and the procedures of these General Conditions are followed.

**CM/GC**. □**CM/GC** □ means the Construction Manager/General Contractor, whether a person or entity, identified in the CM/GC Agreement, and is referred to throughout the Contract

Documents as if singular in number. The term  $\square CM/GC \square$  means the CM/GC or its authorized representative.

**CM/GC AGREEMENT**. □**CM/GC** Agreement □ means, if applicable, the agreement executed by the CM/GC and Intermountain for the Project.

CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVE. A Construction Change Directive or CCD means a written order signed by Intermountain, directing a change in the Work and stating a proposed basis for adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, or both. Intermountain may by Construction Change Directive, without invalidating the Contract, order changes in the Work within the general scope of the Contract consisting of additions, deletions or other revisions; even if it may impact the Contract Sum and Contract Time.

**CONTRACT**. The Contract Documents form the Contract for Construction. The term Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto and supersedes prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. The Contract Documents shall not be construed to create a contractual relationship of any kind (1) between the A/E and Contractor, (2) between Intermountain and a Subcontractor or (3) between any persons or entities other than Intermountain and Contractor. The Contract may be amended or modified only by (1) a written amendment executed by both Intermountain and Contractor, or (2) by a Modification.

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. The term □Contract Documents □ means the Contractor's Agreement between Intermountain and Contractor (hereinafter referred to as □Contractor's Agreement □), the Conditions of the Contract (General, Supplementary and other Conditions), the Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, other documents listed in the Contractor's Agreement and Modifications issued after execution of the Contractor's Agreement. The Contract Documents shall also include the bidding/proposal documents, including the Instructions to Bidders/Proposers, Notice to Contractors, the Bid/Proposal Form, and/or the response to the request for proposal, to the extent not in conflict with the other above-stated Contract Documents and other documents and oral presentations as part of the Selection which are documented as an attachment to the Contract.

**CONTRACT SUM**. The term Contract Sum means the Contract Sum as stated in the Contractor's Agreement and, including authorized and signed adjustments to this agreement (modifications), is the total amount payable by Intermountain to the Contractor for performance of the Work under the Contract Documents.

**CONTRACT TIME**. Contract Time, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, means the period of time, including authorized and signed adjustments (modifications), stated in the Contract Documents for Substantial Completion of the Work.

**CONTRACTOR**. The Contractor is the person or entity identified as such in the Contractor's Agreement or the CM/GC Agreement, as applicable, and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number. The term Contractor means the Contractor or the Contractor's authorized representative. When separate contracts are awarded for different

portions of the Project or other construction or operations on the site, the term Contractor in the Contract Documents in each case, shall mean the Contractor who executes each separate Contractor's or CM/GC Agreement, as applicable.

**CONTRACTOR'S AGREEMENT**. Contractor's Agreement means, unless the context requires otherwise, the stipulated sum agreement executed by the Contractor and Intermountain for the Project.

**DAY**. The term day or days as used in the Contract Documents shall mean calendar day unless otherwise specifically defined.

**DEFECTIVE**. Defective is an adjective which when modifying the word Work refers to Work that does not conform to the Contract Documents, or does not meet the requirements of any inspection, referenced standard, code, test or approval referred to in the Contract Documents, or has been damaged.

**DIRECTOR**. Director means Intermountain's Director of Facility Planning and Development unless the context requires otherwise. Director may include a designee selected by the Director for the particular function referred to in the General Conditions.

**DRAWINGS**. The Drawings are the graphic and pictorial portions of the Contract Documents, wherever located and whenever issued, showing the design, location and dimensions of the Work, and generally include the drawings, elevations, sections, details, schedules and diagrams.

**INTERMOUNTAIN**. □Intermountain □ means IHC Health Services, Inc. operating through its Department of Facility Planning and Development. Unless the context requires otherwise, Intermountain is the □Owner □ as that term is commonly referred to in the construction industry.

**INTERMOUNTAIN/OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE**. The □ntermountain Representative □ or □Owner's Representative □ is the person (also referred to as the □Project Manager □) assigned by the Director to manage the Project and is the sole person authorized to act on behalf of Intermountain under this Agreement.

**INSPECTION**. The word inspection or its derivatives shall mean a review of the Project, including but not limited to a visual review of the Work completed to date to ascertain if the Work is in accordance with the Contract Documents, including all applicable building codes and construction standards.

**INVITATION TO BID**. □Invitation to Bid□means Intermountain's solicitation or request to a contractor to provide a Bid.

**MODIFICATION**. A □Modification □ is (1) a Change Order (2) Construction Change Directive or (3) ASI.

**NOTICE TO PROCEED.** A Notice to Proceed is a document prepared by Intermountain and by its terms authorizes the Contractor to commence Work on the Project. It is deemed issued

upon being sent by Intermountain to the Contractor's specified address within the Bid or Proposal.

**PARTIAL USE**. □Partial Use □ means placing a portion of the Work in service for the purpose for which it is intended (or a related purpose) before reaching Substantial Completion for all the Work. This partial use does not constitute □substantial completion. □

**PRODUCT DATA**. Product Data means illustrations, standard schedules, performance charts, instructions, brochures, diagrams and other information furnished by the Contractor to illustrate materials or equipment for some portion of the Work.

**PROJECT**. The □Project□means the total construction of the Work performed under the Contract Documents.

**PROJECT MANUAL (FOR CONSTRUCTION).** The Project Manual is the volume of assembled Specifications for the Work and may include the bidding/proposal requirements, sample forms, General or Supplementary Conditions of the Contract.

**PROPOSAL.** □Proposal □ means the A/E's or CM/GC's response to Intermountain's Request for Proposal.

**PROPOSAL REQUEST OR**  $\square$ **PR.**  $\square$  A  $\square$ Proposal Request  $\square$  or  $\square$ PR  $\square$  is a proposal request filed with the Contractor for the purposes of seeking a proposal in order to resolve an issue as part of the Change Order or Contract Modification process.

**PROPOSED CHANGE ORDER**. A □Proposed Change Order □(□PCO□), is an informal request by the Contractor filed with Intermountain Representative, in an effort to commence the Contract Modification Process. It shall not be considered a □Claim. □The PCO may be related to any potential, or actual delay, disruption, unforeseen condition or materials or any other matter in which the Contractor intends to seek additional monies or time.

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION or RFI.** A Request for Information or RFI is a request filed by the Contractor with the A/E regarding any request for information, direction or clarification related to the Contract Documents, plans or specifications.

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL or RFP**.  $\Box$ Request for Proposal  $\Box$  or  $\Box$ RFP  $\Box$  means Intermountain's solicitation for A/E or CM/GC Proposals.

**SALES TAX and/or USE TAX**. Sales Tax and/or Use Tax, unless the context requires otherwise, shall mean the sales tax and/or use tax collected or to be collected by the Utah State Tax Commission and shall include any sales and/or use tax that the Utah State Tax Commission collects on behalf of any special district, local government or political subdivision. Intermountain is a sales-tax exempt entity for materials supplied to the Project and will provide a Utah State Tax Commission Exemption Certificate to the Contractor.

**SAMPLES**. Samples mean physical examples, which illustrate materials, equipment or workmanship and establishes standards by which the Work will be judged.

**SHOP DRAWINGS**. Shop Drawings means drawings, diagrams, schedules and other data specially prepared for the Work by the Contractor or a Subcontractor, Sub-subcontractor, manufacturer, supplier or distributor to illustrate some portion of the Work.

**SPECIFICATIONS**. The Specifications are that portion of the Contract Documents consisting of the written requirements for materials, equipment, construction systems, standards, installation and workmanship for the Work, and performance of related systems and services.

SUBCONTRACTOR. □Subcontractor □means the person or entity that has a direct contract with the Contractor, including any trade contractor or specialty contractor, or with another Subcontractor at any tier to provide labor or materials for the work but does not include suppliers who provide only materials, equipment or supplies to a contractor or subcontractor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the text in which the term is used may provide for the exclusion of Subcontractors of other Subcontractors or the exclusion of suppliers. The term □Subcontractor □ is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number and means a Subcontractor or authorized representative of the Subcontractor. The Term □Subcontractor □ does not include a separate contractor or subcontractors of a separate contractor.

SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION. Substantial Completion □ is the date certified in accordance with Article 9.2 and means the date the Work or designated portion thereof is sufficiently complete, and any lack of completion or performance does not reasonably interfere with Intermountain's intended use of the Project, in accordance with the Contract Documents so that Intermountain can occupy and use the Work for its intended use.

**WORK**. The term \( \text{Work} \) means the construction and services required by the Contract Documents, whether completed or partially completed, and includes all labor, materials, equipment and services provided, or to be provided, by the Contractor to fulfill the Contractor's obligations.

# ARTICLE 2 INTERMOUNTAIN

# 2.1 INFORMATION AND SERVICES REQUIRED OF INTERMOUNTAIN

- **2.1.1 INTERMOUNTAIN'S REPRESENTATIVE**. Intermountain shall designate an Intermountain Representative authorized to act in Intermountain's behalf with respect to the Project. Intermountain or such authorized representative shall render decisions within a reasonable time pertaining to documents submitted by the A/E and/or Contractor in order to avoid a compensable delay in the orderly and sequential progress of the Project.
- **2.1.2 SPECIALISTS AND INSPECTORS.** Intermountain will provide certified building inspection services in accordance with the adopted Building Codes. This includes 'routine' and 'special' inspections unless otherwise noted in the A/E Agreement. Intermountain may assign an inspector or specialist to note deviations from, or necessary adjustments to, the Contract Documents or to report deficiencies or defects in the Work. The inspector or specialist's activities in no way relieve the Contractor of the responsibilities set forth in the Contract Documents.

- **2.1.3** SURVEYS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION. Intermountain shall furnish surveys describing physical characteristics, legal limitations and utility locations for the site of the Project, and a legal description of the site. The Contractor shall review this information, including the surveys and any provided geotechnical studies, and compare such information with observable physical conditions and the Contract Documents.
- **2.1.4 PROMPT INFORMATION AND SERVICES**. Upon receipt of a written request from the Contractor, Intermountain shall furnish information or services under Intermountain's control with reasonable promptness to avoid delay in the orderly progress of the Work.
- 2.1.5 COPIES OF DRAWINGS AND PROJECT MANUALS (FOR CONSTRUCTION). Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Contractor will be furnished electronic copies of Drawings and Project Manuals for Contractor's use in connection with the execution of the Work for the Project.
- **2.1.6 OTHER DUTIES.** The foregoing is in addition to other duties and responsibilities of Intermountain enumerated herein and especially those in respect to Article 2.2 (Construction by Intermountain or by Separate Contractors), Article 8 (Payments and Completion) and Article 10 (Insurance and Bonds).

# 2.2 CONSTRUCTION BY INTERMOUNTAIN OR BY SEPARATE CONTRACTORS

# 2.2.1 INTERMOUNTAIN'S RIGHT TO PERFORM CONSTRUCTION AND TO AWARD SEPARATE CONTRACTS.

- (1) **IN GENERAL**. Intermountain reserves the right to perform construction or operations related to the Project with Intermountain's own forces, and to award separate contracts in connection with other portions of the Project or other construction or operations on the site under Conditions of the Contract identical or substantially similar to these including those portions related to insurance and waiver or subrogation.
- (2) **COORDINATION AND REVISIONS**. Intermountain shall provide for coordination of the activities of Intermountain's own forces and of each separate Contractor with the Work of the Contractor, who shall cooperate with them. The Contractor shall participate with other separate contractors and Intermountain in reviewing their construction schedules when directed to do so. The Contractor shall make any revisions to the construction schedule and Contract Sum deemed necessary after a joint review and agreement by Intermountain. The construction schedules shall then constitute the schedules to be used by the Contractor, separate contractors and Intermountain until subsequently revised.

## 2.2.2 MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITY

- (1) **CONTRACTOR COORDINATION**. The Contractor shall afford Intermountain and separate contractor(s) a reasonable opportunity for delivery and storage of their materials and equipment and performance of their activities and shall connect and coordinate the Contractor's construction and operations with theirs as required by the Contract Documents.
- (2) **REPORTING PROBLEMS TO INTERMOUNTAIN**. If part of the Contractor's Work depends on work by Intermountain or a separate contractor, the Contractor

shall, prior to proceeding with that portion of the Work, promptly report in writing to Intermountain apparent defects in workmanship that would render it unsuitable for proper execution. Failure of the Contractor to make said report shall constitute an acknowledgment that Intermountain's or separate contractors completed or partially completed construction is fit and proper to receive the Contractor's Work, except as to defects in workmanship not then reasonably discoverable.

- (3) **COSTS**. Costs caused by delays or by improperly timed activities or defective construction shall be borne by the responsible party in accordance with the procedures and provisions of the Contract Documents.
- (4) **CONTRACTOR REMEDIAL WORK**. The Contractor shall promptly remedy damage caused by the Contractor to completed or partially completed Work or to property of Intermountain or separate contractors and subcontractors as provided in Article 6.

# ARTICLE 3 A/E

## 3.1 A/E'S ADMINISTRATION OF THE CONTRACT

**3.1.1 IN GENERAL**. The A/E assists Intermountain with the administration of the Contract as described in the Contract Documents. The A/E shall have the authority to act on behalf of Intermountain only to the extent provided in the Contract Documents or A/E's Agreement.

#### 3.1.2 SITE VISITS

- (1) Site visits or inspections by the A/E, Intermountain or any Intermountain representative shall in no way limit or affect the Contractor's responsibility to comply with all the requirements and the overall design concept of the Contract Documents as well as all applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, resolutions, codes, rules, regulations, orders and decrees.
- (2) **WRITTEN REPORT**. The A/E shall promptly submit to Intermountain a written report subsequent to each site visit.

## 3.1.3 COMMUNICATIONS FACILITATING CONTRACT

**ADMINISTRATION.** Except as authorized by the Intermountain Representative or as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, including these General Conditions, the A/E and Contractor shall communicate through the Intermountain Representative on issues regarding the timing of the Work, cost of the Work or scope of the Work. Contractor shall comply with communication policies agreed upon at any pre-construction meeting with Intermountain. Communications by and with the A/E sub-consultants shall be through the A/E. Communications by and with Subcontractors shall be through the Contractor. Communications by and with separate contractors shall be through Intermountain.

**3.1.4** A/E MAY REJECT WORK, ORDER INSPECTION, TESTS. The A/E shall have the responsibility and authority to reject Work which, based upon the A/E's knowledge or what may be reasonably inferred from the A/E's site observations and review of data, does not conform to the Contract Documents. Whenever the A/E considers it necessary or advisable for implementation of the intent of the Contract Documents, the A/E shall have the responsibility and authority to require additional inspections or testing of the Work in accordance with the

provisions of the Contract Documents, whether or not such Work is fabricated, installed or completed, provided, however, the A/E must obtain Intermountain's prior written approval of any such additional inspections or testing. However, neither this authority of the A/E nor a decision made in good faith either to exercise or not to exercise such authority shall give rise to a duty or responsibility of the A/E to the Contractor, Subcontractors, their agents or employees or other persons performing portions of the Work, including separate contractors. If the Contractor disputes the rejection of any Work and the correction thereof shall involve additional cost or time, it shall be Intermountain's option to accept such Work whether it be conforming or nonconforming.

# 3.1.5 A/E REVIEW CONTRACTOR'S SUBMITTALS

- (1) Contractor shall submit shop drawings, product data, and samples and other submittals required by the Contract Documents to the A/E as required by the approved submittal schedule.
- (2) The A/E shall review and approve or take other appropriate action upon Contractor's submittals such as Shop Drawings, Product Data and Samples, but only for the purpose of checking for conformance with the information and design concepts expressed in the Contract Documents. A/E action taken on a submittal shall not constitute a Modification of this Agreement.
- (3) The A/E's action shall be taken no later than 15 days following A/E's receipt of the submittal, unless agreed to otherwise by Contractor and Intermountain, in order to avoid a delay in the Work of the Contractor or of separate contractors while allowing sufficient time in the A/E's professional judgment to permit adequate review.
- (4) Review of such submittals is not conducted for the purpose of determining the accuracy and completeness of other details such as dimensions and quantities or for substantiating instructions for installation or performance of equipment or systems, all of which remain the responsibility of the Contractor as required by the Contract Documents.
- (5) The A/E's review of the Contractor's submittals shall not relieve the Contractor of the obligations under the Contract Documents.
- (6) The A/E's review shall not constitute approval of safety precautions or, unless otherwise specifically stated by the A/E, of any construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures.
- (7) The A/E's approval of a specific item shall not indicate approval of an assembly of which the item is a component.
- (8) When professional certification of performance characteristics of materials, systems or equipment is required by the Contract Documents, the A/E shall be entitled to rely upon such certifications to establish that the materials systems or equipment will meet the performance criteria required by the Contract Documents.
- **3.2 OWNERSHIP AND USE OF A/E'S DRAWINGS, SPECIFICATIONS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS**. All Drawings, Specifications and other documents prepared by the A/E are and shall remain the property of Intermountain, and Intermountain shall retain all common law, statutory and other reserved rights with respect thereto. Said documents were

prepared and are intended for use as an integrated set for the Project which is the subject of this Contractor's Agreement. The Contractor shall not modify or use Contract Documents on any other project without the prior written consent of Intermountain and A/E. Any such non-permissive use or modification, by Contractor, the Contractor's Subcontractors at any tier or anyone for whose acts the Contractor is liable, shall be at Contractor's sole risk. Contractor shall hold harmless and indemnify Intermountain from and against any and all claims, actions, suits, costs, damages, loss, expenses and attorney fees arising out of such non-permissive use or modification by the Contractor. The Contractor and Subcontractors are granted a limited license to use and reproduce applicable portions of the Drawings, Specifications and other documents prepared by the A/E appropriate to and for use in the execution of their Work under the Contract Documents. All copies made under this license shall bear the statutory copyright notice, if any, shown on the Drawings, Specifications and other documents prepared by the A/E. Submittals or distributions necessary to meet official regulatory requirements or for other purposes relating to completion of the Project are not to be construed as a publication in derogation of Intermountain's copyright or other reserved rights.

# ARTICLE 4 CONTRACTOR

# 4.1 REVIEW OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND FIELD CONDITIONS BY CONTRACTOR

- 4.1.1 REVIEWING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, INFORMATION, REPORTING ERRORS, INCONSISTENCIES OR OMISSIONS. The Contractor shall carefully study and compare the Contract Documents with each other and with information furnished by Intermountain pursuant to Article 2.1 hereinabove and shall at once report to Intermountain and A/E errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered. The Contractor shall not be liable to Intermountain or A/E for damage resulting from errors, inconsistencies or omission in the Contract Documents, unless the Contractor recognized such error, inconsistency or omission or a Contractor of ordinary skill and expertise for the type of Work involved would have readily so recognized such error, inconsistency or omission, and the Contractor failed to report such to Intermountain and A/E. If the Contractor performs any construction activity without such notice to Intermountain and A/E and prior to the resolution of the error, inconsistency or omission, the Contractor shall assume appropriate responsibility for such performance and shall bear an appropriate amount of the attributable costs for correction.
- **4.1.2 FIELD CONDITIONS**. The Contractor shall take field measurements and verify field conditions and shall carefully compare such field measurements and conditions and other information known to the Contractor, or information which a Contractor of ordinary skill and expertise for the type of Work involved would have known, before commencing activities. Errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered shall be reported to Intermountain and A/E at once. If the Contractor performs any construction activity without such notice to Intermountain and A/E and prior to the resolution of the error, inconsistency or omission, the Contractor shall assume appropriate responsibility for such performance and shall bear an appropriate amount of the attributable costs for correction.

- **4.1.3 PERFORM IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND SUBMITTALS**. The Contractor shall perform the Work in accordance with the Contract
- Documents and submittals approved in accordance with the Contract Documents
- **4.1.4 PERFORMANCE TO PRODUCE THE COMPLETE SYSTEM AND INTENDED RESULTS.** Performance by the Contractor shall be required to the extent consistent with the Contract Documents and reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents as being necessary to allow the system to function within its intended use.
- **4.1.5 INTENT AND HIERARCHY**. The Contract Documents should be read as a whole and wherever possible, the provisions should be construed in order that all provisions are operable. The intent of the Contract Documents is to include all items necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work by the Contractor. The Contract Documents are complimentary, and what is required by one Document or provisions thereof shall be as binding as if required by all the Documents or provisions thereof. In case of an irreconcilable conflict between provisions within a Contract Document or between Contract Documents, the following priorities shall govern as listed below:
- (1) A particular Modification shall govern over all Contract Document provisions or Modifications issued prior to said particular Modification.
- (2) Attachments to the Contractor's Agreement resulting from the Selection process including any management plan or documented interview information shall govern over addenda, the General Conditions, plans and specifications.
- (3) A particular Addendum shall govern over all other Contract Document provisions issued prior to said particular Addendum. Subsequent Addenda shall govern over all prior Addenda.
- (4) The Supplementary General Conditions shall govern over the General Conditions.
- (5) These General Conditions shall govern over all other Contract Documents except for the Supplementary General Conditions, Addenda, Modifications and Attachments resulting from the selection process.
- (6) The drawings and specifications shall not govern over any of the documents listed above.
- (7) In case of a conflict or ambiguity within the same level of hierarchy of described documents, Intermountain reserves the right to select the most stringent requirement unless the preponderance of the contract indicates the less stringent requirement.
  - 4.1.6 DIVIDING WORK AND CONTRACTOR REPRESENTATION.

Organization of the specifications into divisions, sections and articles, and arrangement of Drawings, shall not control the Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or in establishing the extent of Work to be performed by any trade. Contractor represents that the Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors, manufacturers and suppliers engaged or to be engaged by it are and will be familiar with the requirements for performance by them of their obligations.

**4.1.7 PLANNING AND PRIORITY**. The Contractor shall plan and schedule its work to facilitate the Project and shall maintain a work schedule to place proper priority to sequence work to complete the project timely.

# 4.2 SUPERVISION AND CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURES

- **4.2.1 SUPERVISION AND CONTROL**. The Contractor shall supervise and direct the Work, using the Contractor's best skill and attention. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for and have control over the construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for coordinating all portions of the Work under the Contract, except to the extent that the Contract Documents expressly and specifically state otherwise.
- **4.2.2 RESPONSIBILITY**. The Contractor shall be responsible to Intermountain for acts and omissions of the Contractor's employees, Subcontractors, and their agents and employees, and other persons performing portions of the Work under a contract with the Contractor or on behalf of the Contractor.
- **4.2.3 NOT RELIEVED OF OBLIGATIONS**. The Contractor shall not be relieved of obligations to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents either by activities or duties of Intermountain or its agents in Intermountain's administration of the Contract, or by tests, inspections or approvals required or performed by persons other than the Contractor or for those that the Contractor is liable.

#### 4.2.4 INSPECTIONS AND APPROVALS

- (1) The Contractor is responsible for requesting inspections for various stages and portions of the Work required under the Contract Documents in a timely manner.
- (2) If any of the Work is required to be inspected or approved by the terms of the Contract Documents by any public authority, the Contractor shall timely request such inspection or approval to be performed in accordance with Article 9. Except as provided in Article 9, work shall not proceed without any required inspection and the associated authorization to proceed. Contractor shall promptly notify Intermountain if the inspector fails to appear at the site.

# 4.3 LABOR AND MATERIALS

- **4.3.1 PAYMENT BY CONTRACTOR.** Except to the extent it is otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide and pay for labor, materials, equipment, tools, construction equipment and machinery, water, heat, utilities, transportation, and other facilities, supplies, consumables and services necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work, whether temporary or permanent and whether or not incorporated or to be incorporated in the Work.
- **4.3.2 DISCIPLINE AND COMPETENCE**. The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among the Contractor's employees, its Subcontractors, agents, representatives and other persons performing under the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall not permit employment of unfit persons or persons not skilled in tasks assigned to them.
- **4.4 TAXES AND OTHER PAYMENTS TO GOVERNMENT**. The Contractor shall pay sales, consumer, use, employment-related and similar taxes related to the Work or portions

thereof provided by the Contractor which are legally enacted when bids are received or negotiations concluded, whether or not yet effective or merely scheduled to go into effect, and shall comply with the laws and regulations regarding the payment of Sales and/or Use Tax and any exemptions; provided that, Intermountain is a sales-tax exempt entity for materials supplied to the Project and will provide a Utah State Tax Commission Exemption Certificate to the Contractor.

# 4.5 PERMITS, FEES, NOTICES, LABOR AND MATERIALS

- **4.5.1 PERMITS AND FEES**. Unless required in the Supplementary General Conditions or an Addendum, it will not be necessary for the Contractor to obtain or pay for local building permits, plan check fees, electrical permits, plumbing permits, connection fees, or impact fees, nor will it be necessary to pay fees for inspections pertaining thereto.
- **4.5.2 COMPLIANCE WITH PUBLIC AUTHORITIES, NOTICES.** The Contractor shall comply with and give notices required by laws, ordinances, resolutions, rules, regulations and lawful orders of public authorities bearing on the performance of the Work.
- 4.5.3 CORRELATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND ENACTMENTS. It is not the Contractor's responsibility to ascertain that the Contract Documents are in accordance with applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, resolutions, building codes, and rules and regulations. Notwithstanding this, if the Contractor observes, or if such is readily observable to a Contractor of ordinary skill and expertise for the type of Work involved, that a portion of the Contract Documents is at variance therewith, the Contractor shall promptly notify the A/E and Intermountain in writing, and necessary changes shall be accomplished by appropriate Modification.
- **4.5.4 FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE**. If the Contractor, or any Subcontractor thereof performs Work without complying with the requirements of this Article 4.5 hereinabove, the Contractor shall assume appropriate responsibility for such Work and shall bear the appropriate amount of the attributable costs.
- **4.6 SUPERINTENDENT.** The Contractor shall employ a competent superintendent and necessary assistants who shall be in attendance at the Project site at all times during performance of the Work. The superintendent shall represent the Contractor, and communications given to the superintendent shall be as binding as if given to the Contractor. Important communications shall be confirmed in writing. Other communications shall be similarly confirmed on written request in each case.

## 4.7 TIME AND CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULES

# 4.7.1 PROGRESS AND COMPLETION

- (1) TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE; COMPLETE WITHIN CONTRACT TIME. Time is of the essence. By executing the Contractor's Agreement, the Contractor confirms that the Contract Time is adequate to perform the Work. The Contractor shall proceed expeditiously with adequate forces to achieve Substantial Completion within the Contract Time.
- (2) **NOTICE TO PROCEED AND INSURANCE**. The Contractor shall not prematurely commence operations on the site or elsewhere prior to the issuance of a Notice to

Proceed by Intermountain or prior to the effective date of insurance required by Article 10 to be furnished by the Contractor, whichever is the latter.

- **4.7.2 SCHEDULE PREPARATION**. The Contractor, promptly after being awarded the Contract, shall prepare and submit for Intermountain's and A/E's review, a reasonably detailed CPM schedule for the Work. The schedule shall indicate the order, sequence, and interdependence of all items known to be necessary to complete the Work including construction, procurement, fabrication, and delivery of materials and equipment, submittals and approvals of samples, shop drawings, procedures, or other documents. Work items of Intermountain, other Contractors, utilities and other third parties that may affect or be affected by the Contractor shall be included. If Intermountain is required, by the Contract Documents, to furnish any materials, equipment, or the like, to be incorporated into the Work by the Contractor, Contractor shall submit, with the first schedule submittal, a letter clearly indicating the dates that such items are required at the Project Site. The critical path should be identified, including the critical paths for interim completion dates and milestones. The CPM schedule shall be developed using Primavera, MS Project, or Suretrack unless otherwise authorized by Intermountain Representative. The Contractor's schedule shall be updated at least once per month and submitted with each pay request. The Contractor shall maintain an original baseline schedule and shall provide Intermountain monthly written reports indicating Contractor's compliance or noncompliance with the original schedule.
- **4.7.3 INITIAL CONTRACTTIME**. Unless otherwise specified in the bidding documents, the initial Contract Time is the time identified in the Contractor's Agreement.
- **4.7.4 INTERIM COMPLETION DATES AND MILESTONES**. The schedule must include contractually specified interim completion dates and milestones. The milestone completion dates indicated are considered essential to the satisfactory performance of this Contract and to the coordination of all Work on the Project. The milestone dates listed are not intended to be a complete listing of all Work under this Contract or of interfaces with other Project Contractors.
- **4.7.5 SCHEDULE CONTENT REQUIREMENTS**. The schedule shall indicate an early completion date for the Project that is no later than the Project's required completion date. The schedule, including all activity duration's shall be given in calendar days. The Schedule shall also indicate all of the following:
- (1) Interfaces with the work of outside contractors (e.g., utilities, power and with any separate Contractor);
  - (2) Description of activity including activity number/numbers;
  - (3) Estimated duration time for each activity;
- (4) Early start, late start, early finish, late finish date, and predecessor/successors including stop-start relationships with lead and lag time for each activity;
  - (5) Float available to each path of activities;
  - (6) Actual start date for each activity begun;
  - (7) Actual finish date for each activity completed;

- (8) The percentage complete of each activity in progress or completed;
- (9) Identification of all critical path activities;
- (10) The critical path for the Project, with said path of activities being clearly and easily recognizable on the time-scaled network diagram. The path(s) with the least amount of float must be identified. Unless otherwise authorized by Intermountain Representative, no more than 40% of all activities may be identified as critical path items. The relationship between non-critical activities and activities on the critical path shall be clearly shown on the network diagram;
- (11) Unless otherwise authorized by Intermountain Representative, all activities on the schedule representing construction on the site may not have duration longer than 14 days. Construction items that require more than 14 days to complete must be broken into identifiable activities on the schedule with durations less than 14 days. The sum of these activities represents the total length required to complete that construction item; and
- (12) Additional requirements as specified in the Supplemental General Conditions.
- **4.7.6 INTERMOUNTAIN'S RIGHT TO TAKE EXCEPTIONS**. Intermountain reserves the right to take reasonable exception to activity duration, activity placement, construction logic or time frame for any element of the Work to be scheduled.
- **4.7.7 FLOAT TIME**. Float or slack time is defined as the amount of time between the earliest start date and the latest start date or between the earliest finish date and the latest finish date of a chain of activities on the Schedule. By a proposal request or modification delivered to the Contractor, Intermountain has the right to use the float time for non-critical path activities until the Contractor has reallocated such time on a newly submitted schedule.
- **4.7.8 INITIAL SCHEDULE SUBMISSION**. No progress payments will be approved until the Contractor has submitted a Project detailed CPM schedule for the entire project.
- **4.7.9 UPDATES**. Prior to any approval of a pay request, Intermountain, A/E and Contractor shall review the Contractor's schedule compared to the Work completed. Intermountain approves the amount of Work completed as supported by the schedule of values and as verified by the determination of Work completed. If necessary, the Contractor shall then update and submit to Intermountain the schedule with the pay request; all of which in accordance with Intermountain's approval. All updates shall be provided in electronic and hard copy formats. At each scheduled meeting with Intermountain Representative, the Contractor shall provide a Three week look ahead with long lead items identified.
- **4.7.10 SCHEDULE OF SUBMITTALS**. The Contractor shall prepare and keep current, for the A/E's and Intermountain's review, a schedule of submittals required under the Contract Documents which is coordinated with the Contractor's construction schedule and allows the A/E a reasonable time to review the submittals. This submittal schedule is to be included as part of the construction schedule. Submittals requiring expedited review must be clearly identified as such in the schedule of submittals.
- **4.7.11 SCHEDULE RECOVERY**. If the Work represented by the critical path falls behind by more than 7 days, the project schedule shall be redone within 14 days showing how

the Contractor shall recover the time. A narrative that addresses the changes in the schedule from the previously submitted schedule shall be submitted along with the schedule in both hard copy (appropriate report formats to be determined by Intermountain Representative) and electronic copy. The Contractor shall comply with the most recent schedules.

## 4.7.12 SCHEDULE CHANGES AND MODIFICATIONS.

- (1) **CONTRACT TIME CHANGE REQUIRES MODIFICATION**. The Contract Time may only be shortened or extended by a written modification fully executed by Intermountain.
- Contractor, after approval of the complete detailed construction schedule, desire to change his plan of construction, he shall submit his requested revisions to Intermountain and the A/E along with a written statement of the revisions including a description of the sequence and duration changes for rescheduling the work, methods of maintaining adherence to intermediate milestones and the contract completion date and the reasons for the revisions. If the requested changes are acceptable to Intermountain, which acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld, they will be incorporated into the Schedule in the next reporting period. If after submitting a request for change in the Contract Schedule, Intermountain does not agree with the request, Intermountain will schedule a meeting with the Contractor to discuss the differences.
- (3) **CHANGES IN CONTRACT TIME**. The critical path schedule as the term is used in the provisions herein shall be based on the current version of the Contractor's schedule for the Project and accepted by Intermountain just prior to the commencement of the modification, asserted delay, suspension or interruption. If the Contractor believes it is entitled to an extension of Contract Time under the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall submit a PCO in accordance with Article 7.2 to the A/E and Intermountain Representative accompanied by an analysis of the requested time adjustment.

# 4.7.13 EXCUSABLE DELAY

(1) **IN GENERAL**. If the Contractor is delayed at any time in the progress of the Work on the critical path schedule by an act or neglect of Intermountain or other causes beyond the Contractor's control or by other causes which Intermountain determines may justify delay, then the Contract Time shall be extended by Change Order. The Contractor shall immediately take all steps reasonably possible to lessen the adverse impact of such delay. Notwithstanding the above, to the extent any of the causes for delay were caused by the Contractor, reasonably foreseeable by the Contractor or avoidable by the Contractor, then to such extent the delay shall not be cause for extension of the Contract Time. For purposes of this paragraph, Contractors shall include all subcontractors and others under the responsibility of the Contractor.

The determination of the total number of days' extension will be based upon the current construction schedule in effect at the inception of the change and/or delay and upon all data relevant to the extension as it exists in the project record. Once approved, such data shall be incorporated in the next monthly update of the schedule.

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that delays in work items which, according to the schedule analysis, do not affect any milestone dates or the Contract completion dates shown on the CPM at the time of the delay, will not be the basis for a contract extension.

- (2) **WEATHER-RELATED EXCUSABLE DELAYS**. Completion time will not be extended for normal bad weather or any weather that is reasonably foreseeable at the time of entering into the contract. The time for completion as stated in the contract documents includes due allowance for calendar days on which Work cannot be performed out of doors. The Contractor acknowledges that it may lose days due to weather conditions. Contract time may be extended at no cost to Intermountain if all of the following are met which must be established by the Contractor:
- (a) That the weather prevented Work from occurring that is on the critical path for the project based upon a critical path schedule previously submitted to Intermountain and to the extent accepted by Intermountain;
  - (b) There are no concurrent delays attributed to the Contractor;
- (c) The Contractor took all reasonable steps to alleviate the impact of the weather and took reasonable attempts to prevent the delay and despite such reasonable actions of Contractor, the weather impacted the critical path as described above; and
  - (d) One of the following occurred:
  - 1. The weather was catastrophic, such as a tornado, hurricane, severe wind storm, severe hail storm; or
  - 2. Based on the full history of information published from the closest station as indicated from the Western Regional Climate Center (Desert Research Institute 2215 Raggio Parkway Reno, Nevada 89512, and as may be described on the website at http://www.wrcc.dri.edu/summary/), one or more of the following occurred:
    - a. For any day between November 1 and March 31, the minimum temperature fell below the average minimum temperature plus the extreme low temperature recorded for the month divided by 2.
    - b. For any day between November 1 and March 31, the maximum temperature fell below the monthly average for the minimum temperature.
    - c. The daily precipitation exceeded 75% of the historical one day maximum for the month.
    - d. The snowfall for the month exceeded 175% of the historical average snow fall for the month.

# 4.7.14 COMPENSABLE DELAY, SUSPENSION OR INTERRUPTION

- (1) **BASIC CONDITIONS**. In addition to the other requirements of the Contract Documents, a compensable delay, suspension or interruption of the work occurs only when the following are met:
- (a) Is wholly unanticipated by the parties at the time of execution of the Contractor's Agreement or is caused by the breach of a fundamental obligation of the Contract Documents attributable to Intermountain; and
- (b) The Contractor delivers a written notice to A/E and Intermountain within seven (7) days that the Contractor knows or should have known of the condition giving rise to the purported compensable delay, disruption, suspension or interruption, and said continuation affects the Contract Time as indicated by the last submitted and reasonable critical path schedule.
- (2) **COMPENSABLE DELAY FORMULA**. To the extent of the compensable delay, the Contractor's total entitlement for all compensable delay damages is the computed result of the following formula: Contract Sum divided by Contract Time (in calendar days); the result of which is then multiplied by 0.05; and the result of which is multiplied by the number of calendar days of compensable days allowed under these General Conditions that are beyond the Contract Time. Notwithstanding any other provision of these General Conditions or the Contract Documents, to the extent the Contractor is entitled to receive the 10% or 15% markup under Article 7.4, this provision shall be inapplicable and the markup shall be deemed to include all the compensable delay damages provided by this paragraph.
- (3) **PERIOD OF COMPENSABLE DELAY, SUSPENSION OR INTERRUPTION**. The length and extent of compensable delay, shall be determined, with the use of the Project's critical path schedule, by ascertaining the number of additional days to the Contract Time that are needed in order to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents as a result of the continuation of the aforesaid delay, disruption, suspension or interruption after receipt of the written notice received by the A/E and Intermountain under Section 4.7.14(1)(b) above.
- (4) **CONCURRENT DELAY**. Notwithstanding any other provision of these General Conditions, to the extent a non- compensable delay occurs at the same time as a compensable delay, Intermountain shall not be responsible for any compensation for the period of the non-compensable delay.
- **4.7.15 TIME EXTENSION REQUEST.** Any time extension shall be requested within 21 days after the Contractor knew or should have known about the delay and shall be supported by the critical path schedule analysis.

## 4.7.16 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

(1) **IN GENERAL**. Should the Contractor fail to complete the Work within the Contract Time, there shall be deducted from any amount due or that may become due the Contractor, the sum, if any, stated in the Contractor's Agreement. Such sum is fixed and agreed upon by Intermountain and Contractor as liquidated damages due Intermountain by reason of the inconvenience and added costs of administration, engineering, supervision and other costs resulting from the Contractor's default, and not as a penalty. Actual damages related to delay cannot be ascertained at the time of execution of the Contract. To the extent that the liquidated

damages exceed any amounts that would otherwise be due the Contractor, the Contractor shall be liable for such excess to Intermountain. Intermountain may seek enforcement of such obligation by legal action, and if such is necessary, shall recover the related costs and attorney fees. Notwithstanding any other provision of these General Conditions, the availability of liquidated damages to Intermountain shall not limit Intermountain's right to seek damages or other remedies available under law or equity to the extent such damages or remedies are not based upon delay.

- (2) **NO WAIVER OF INTERMOUNTAIN'S RIGHTS**. Permitting the Contractor to continue any part of the Work after the time fixed for completion or beyond any authorized extension thereof, shall in no way operate as a waiver or estoppel on the part of Intermountain of any of its rights under the Contract Documents, including the right to liquidated damages or any other remedies or compensation.
- 4.8 DOCUMENTS AND SAMPLES AT THE SITE, CERTIFYING □AS-BUILTS□ The Contractor shall maintain at the site for Intermountain, one record copy of the Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, Change Orders and other Modifications, in good order and marked weekly to record changes and selections made during construction, as well as approved Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals. These aforesaid items shall be available to the A/E and shall be delivered to the A/E for submittal to Intermountain upon completion of the Work, signed by the Contractor, certifying that they show complete and exact □as-built□conditions, stating sizes, kind of materials, vital piping, conduit locations and similar matters. All notes of encountered or changed conditions shall be included.

# 4.9 SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA AND SAMPLES

- **4.9.1 NOT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**. Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals are not Contract Documents. The submittal shall demonstrate, for those portions of the Work for which the submittal is required, the way the Contractor proposes to conform to the information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents.
- **4.9.2 PROMPTNESS**. The Contractor shall review, approve and submit to the A/E, Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals required by the Contract Documents with reasonable promptness and in such sequence as to cause no delay in the Work, or the activities of Intermountain or separate contractors.
- **4.9.3 NOT PERFORM UNTIL A/E APPROVES**. The Contractor shall perform no portion of the Work requiring submittal and review of Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals until the respective submittal has been approved in writing by the A/E. Such Work shall be in accordance with the approved submittals.
- **4.9.4 REPRESENTATIONS BY CONTRACTOR.** By approving and submitting Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals, the Contractor represents that the Contractor has determined and verified materials, field measurements and field construction criteria related thereto, and has checked and coordinated the information contained within such submittals with the requirements of the Work and of the Contract Documents.
- **4.9.5 CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY**. The Contractor shall not be relieved of responsibility for deviations from the requirements of the Contract Documents by the A/E's approval of Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals unless the Contractor

has specifically informed the A/E in writing of such deviation at the time of the submittal and the A/E has given written approval to the specific deviation. The Contractor shall not be relieved of responsibility for errors or omissions in Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals by the A/E's review and comment.

- **4.9.6 DIRECT SPECIFIC ATTENTION TO REVISIONS**. The Contractor shall direct specific attention in writing to all revisions on resubmitted Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals, except those requested by the A/E and indicated on previous submittals.
- **4.9.7 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS**. Informational submittals upon which the A/E is not expected to take responsive action may be so identified in the Contract Documents.
- 4.9.8 RELIANCE ON PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION. When professional certification of performance criteria of materials, systems or equipment is required by the Contract Documents, Intermountain and A/E shall be entitled to rely upon the accuracy and completeness of such calculations and certifications. If a professional stamp is required, the professional shall be licensed in the State of Utah unless otherwise approved by Intermountain in writing. Likewise, the Contractor is entitled to rely upon the accuracy and completeness of the calculations made by the A/E in developing the Contract Documents, unless a Contractor of ordinary skill and expertise for the type of Work involved would know that such is inaccurate or incomplete and therefore must immediately notify Intermountain in writing.

#### 4.10 USE OF SITE

- **4.10.1 IN GENERAL**. The Contractor shall confine operations at the site to areas permitted by the Contract Documents, law, ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations, and permits and shall not unreasonably encumber the site with materials or equipment. Contractor shall take all reasonable means to secure the site, protect the site and protect the Work from any damage. The site shall be left free and clear of refuse, equipment, materials, etc. and the site shall not be subject to spilled liquids and chemicals, toxic or otherwise. Should such an incident occur while the Contractor has control of the site, the Contractor shall be responsible to clean the site and pay all associated costs, fines and penalties. Notwithstanding this, Contractor is not responsible for any damage to the site or the Work to the extent caused by Intermountain or Intermountain's agents.
- **4.10.2 ACCESS TO NEIGHBORING PROPERTIES**. The Contractor shall not, except as provided in the Contract Documents or with Intermountain's advance written consent when necessary to perform the Work, interfere with access to properties neighboring the Project site by the owners of such properties and their respective tenants, agents, invitees and guests.
- **4.11 ACCESS TO WORK**. The Contractor shall provide Intermountain and A/E access to the Work in preparation and progress, wherever located.
- **4.12 ROYALTIES AND PATENTS**. The Contractor shall pay all royalties and license fees. The Contractor shall defend suits or claims for infringement of patent rights and shall hold Intermountain and A/E harmless from loss on account thereof, but shall not be responsible for such defense or loss when a particular design, process or product of a particular manufacturer or manufacturers is required by the Contract Documents. However, if the Contractor has reason to believe that the required design, process or product is an infringement of a patent, the Contractor

shall be responsible for such loss unless such information is promptly furnished to Intermountain in writing.

# 4.13 INDEMNIFICATION

## **4.13.1 IN GENERAL**

- To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Intermountain and its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, employees, agents, authorized volunteers (hereinafter the above listing of entities and persons is referred to as **indemnitees** ) from and against every kind and character of claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorneys' fees, and including those events covered under the blanket Contractual Liability Coverage required under the Contract Documents, arising out of or resulting from any act or omission in the performance of the Work including the work of all the Subcontractors and their employees, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense is caused in whole or in part by the negligent or wrongful act or omission of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, and their employees, provided that any such claim, damage loss or expense is caused in whole or in part by the negligent or intentional act or omission of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed or the agent of any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, regardless of whether or not it is caused in part by a party indemnified hereunder. The Contractor shall defend all actions brought upon such matters to be indemnified hereunder and pay all costs and expenses incidental thereto, but Intermountain shall have the right, at its option, to participate in the defense of any such action without relieving the Contractor of any obligation hereunder. Notwithstanding any of the above, to the extent the Contractor is complying with a written directive from Intermountain that is not based on the Contractor's recommendation, the Contractor shall not be held liable under the indemnification provision of this Agreement if the Contractor has promptly disagreed with the written directive by delivering such objection to Intermountain in writing.
- (2) Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge, or otherwise reduce any other right or obligation of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to any party or person under Contract Documents.
- (3) In claims against any person or entity indemnified under this Article 4.13 by an employee of the Contractor, Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them or anyone for whose acts they may be liable, the indemnification obligation under this Article 34.13 shall not be limited by a limitation on amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or Subcontractor under workers' or workmen's compensation acts, disability benefits acts or other employee benefit acts.
- (4) Intermountain and Contractor waive all rights against each other for damages to the Work during construction to the extent covered by the applicable Builder's Risk Policy, except such rights as they may have to the proceeds of such insurance as set forth in these General Conditions. Contractor shall require similar waivers from its Subcontractors, Subconsultants, and agents at any tier.

# ARTICLE 5 SUBCONTRACTORS

# 5.1 AWARD OF SUBCONTRACTS AND OTHER CONTRACTS FOR PORTIONS OF THE WORK

# 5.1.1 APPROVAL REQUIRED

- (1) Listing of Subcontractors shall be as stated in the Contract Documents, including but not limited to the  $\Box$ ntermountain Subcontractors List Form $\Box$
- (2) The Contractor shall not contract with a proposed person or entity to whom Intermountain has made a reasonable and timely objection. The Contractor shall not be required to contract with anyone to whom the Contractor has made reasonable objection.
- **5.1.2 BUSINESS AND LICENSING REQUIREMENTS**. All Subcontractors used by the Contractor shall comply with all applicable business and licensing requirements.
- **5.1.3 SUBSEQUENT CHANGES**. After the bid opening, the Contractor may change its listed Subcontractors only in accordance with the Contract Documents and with written approval of the Director.
- (1) Intermountain will pay the additional costs for an Intermountain requested change in subcontractor if all of the following are met:
  - (a) If Intermountain in writing requests the change of a subcontractor;
- (b) The original subcontractor is a responsible subcontractor that meets the requirements of the Contract Documents; and
- (c) The original subcontractor did not withdraw as a subcontractor on the project.
- (2) In all other circumstances, the Contractor shall pay the additional cost for a change in a subcontractor.
- **5.1.4 BONDING OF SUBCONTRACTORS**. Subcontractors as identified by Intermountain in the procurement documents, may be required to submit performance and payment bonds to cover the full extent of their portion of the Work. This provision does not in any way limit the right of the Contractor to have subcontractors at any tier be required to have a performance and/or payment bond.

## 5.2 SUBCONTRACTUAL RELATIONS

- **5.2.1 COMPLY WITH CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**. By appropriate enforceable agreement, and to the extent it can be practically applied, the Contractor shall require each Subcontractor to be bound to the Contractor by the terms of the Contract Documents, and to assume toward the Contractor all the obligations and responsibilities which the Contractor, by these Documents, assumes towards Intermountain and A/E.
- **5.2.2 RIGHTS.** Each Subcontractor agreement shall preserve and protect the rights of Intermountain and A/E under the Contract Documents with respect to the Work to be performed by the Subcontractor so that subcontracting thereof will not prejudice such rights, and shall allow to the Subcontractor, unless specifically provided otherwise in the Subcontractor agreement, the

benefit of all rights and remedies against the Contractor that the Contractor, by the Contract Documents, has against Intermountain.

- **5.2.3 SUB-SUBCONTRACTORS**. The Contractor shall require each Subcontractor to enter into similar agreements with its Subcontractors which complies with the requirements of Paragraphs 5.2.1 and 5.2.2 hereinabove.
- **5.2.4 DOCUMENT COPIES**. The Contractor shall make available to each proposed Subcontractor, prior to execution of the subcontract agreement, copies of the Contract Documents to which the Subcontractor will be bound. Subcontractors shall similarly make copies of applicable portions of the Contract Documents available to their respective proposed Subcontractors.

#### 5.3 CONTINGENT ASSIGNMENT OF SUBCONTRACTS

5.3.1 CONDITIONS FOR ASSIGNMENT TO INTERMOUNTAIN. Each subcontract agreement for a subcontractor at any tier for a portion of the Work is assigned by the Contractor to Intermountain provided that the assignment is effective only after termination of the Contract by Intermountain for cause pursuant to Article 12.2 or stoppage of the Work by Intermountain pursuant to Article 12.5, and only for those subcontract agreements which Intermountain accepts by notifying the Subcontractor in writing. The subcontract shall be equitably adjusted to meet the new conditions of the work.

# ARTICLE 6 PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

# 6.1 SAFETY OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

- **6.1.1 CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY**. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for initiating, maintaining and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the performance of the Contract. The Contractor shall take all reasonable precautions for the safety of, and shall provide reasonable protection to prevent damage, injury or loss to:
  - (1) Employees on the Work and other persons who may be affected thereby;
- (2) The Work and materials and equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the site, under care, custody or control of the Contractor or a Subcontractor; and
- (3) Other property at the site or adjacent thereto, such as trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures and utilities not designated for removal, relocation or replacement in the course of construction.
- 6.1.2 SAFETY PROGRAM, PRECAUTIONS. The Contractor shall institute a safety program at the start of construction to minimize accidents. Said program shall continue to the final completion of the Project and conform to applicable laws and regulations including the Utah Occupational Safety and Health Rules and Regulations as published by the Utah Industrial Commission UOSH Division. The Contractor shall post signs, erect barriers, and provide those items necessary to implement the safety program. As soon as the Contractor proceeds with the Work, the Contractor shall have all workers and all visitors on the site wear safety hard hats, as

well as all other appropriate safety apparel such as safety glasses and shoes, and obey all safety rules and regulations and statutes. The Contractor shall post a sign in a conspicuous location indicating the necessity of wearing hard hats and the Contractor shall loan such hats to visitors.

- 6.1.3 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contractor shall give notices and comply with applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and lawful orders of public authorities bearing on safety of persons or property or their protection from damage, injury or loss. In particular, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable provisions of Federal, State and municipal safety laws, rules and regulations as well as building codes to prevent accidents or injury to persons on, about, or adjacent to the premises where the Work is being performed.
- **6.1.4 ERECT AND MAINTAIN SAFEGUARDS**. The Contractor shall erect and maintain, as required by existing conditions and performance of the Contract, reasonable safeguards for safety and protection, including effective fences, posting danger signs and other warnings against hazards, promulgating safety regulations and notifying owners and users of adjacent sites and utilities.
- **6.1.5 UTMOST CARE**. When use or storage of explosives or other hazardous materials or equipment or unusual methods are necessary for execution of the Work, the Contractor shall exercise utmost care and carry on such activities under supervision of properly qualified personnel.
- 6.1.6 PROMPT REMEDY. The Contractor shall promptly remedy damage and loss (other than damage or loss insured under property insurance required by the Contract Documents) to property referred to in Paragraph 6.1.1 of these General Conditions caused in whole or in part by the Contractor, a Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts they may be liable and for which the Contractor is responsible under said Paragraph 6.1.1, except to the extent such damage or loss is directly due to errors in the Contract Documents or caused by agents or employees of the A/E or Intermountain. The foregoing obligations of the Contractor are in addition to the Contractor's obligations under the Contract Documents.
- **6.1.7 SAFETY DESIGNEE**. The Contractor shall designate a responsible member of the Contractor's organization at the site whose duty shall be the prevention of accidents, damage, injury or loss. This person shall be the Contractor's superintendent unless otherwise designated by the Contractor in writing to Intermountain and A/E.
- **6.1.8 LOAD SAFETY**. The Contractor shall not load or permit any part of the construction or site to be loaded so as to endanger its safety.
- **6.1.9 OFF-SITE RESPONSIBILITY**. In addition to its other obligations under this Article 6, the Contractor shall, at its sole cost and expense, promptly repair any damage or disturbance to walls, utilities, streets, ways, sidewalks, curbs and the property of Intermountain and third parties (including municipalities and other governmental agencies) resulting from the performance of the Work, whether by it or by its Subcontractors at any tier. The Contractor shall not cause materials, including soil and debris, to be placed or left on streets or ways.
- **6.1.10 EMERGENCIES.** In an emergency affecting safety of persons or property, the Contractor shall act, at the Contractor's discretion, to prevent threatened damage, injury or loss. Contractor shall promptly notify Intermountain Representative of the action taken.

- 6.2 **HAZARDOUS MATERIALS**. In the event the Contractor encounters on the site material reasonably believed to be asbestos or polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) or any other hazardous waste or substance which may endanger the health of those persons performing the Work or being on the site, the Contractor shall immediately stop Work in the area affected and immediately report the condition to Intermountain Representative and A/E by phone with a follow-up document in writing. The Work in the affected area shall be resumed when written direction is provided by Intermountain Representative. Except to the extent provided otherwise in the Contract Documents or if the presence of hazardous materials is due to the fault of the Contractor, the Contractor shall not be required to perform without the Contractor's consent, any Work relating to asbestos, polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) or any other hazardous waste or substance. Intermountain shall procure a licensed abatement contractor qualified to remove the hazardous material. The abatement contractor shall submit notification of demolition to the Utah Division of Air Quality. Abatement contractor shall pay the notification fee. A copy of the hazardous material survey report shall be available to all persons who have access to the construction site.
- 6.3 HISTORICAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL CONSIDERATIONS. In the event the Contractor knows or should have known of any cultural, historical or archeological material that is either recognized as an item to be protected under Federal, State, or local law or regulation, or is an item of obvious value to Intermountain, the Contractor shall cease any work that would interfere with such discovery and immediately report the condition to the Intermountain Representative and A/E by phone with a follow-up document in writing. Work shall resume based upon the direction of Intermountain Representative. Contractor cooperation with any Intermountain recognized archaeologist or other cultural/historical expert is required.
- **6.4 CONTRACTOR LIABILITY**. If the Contractor fails in any of its obligations in Articles 6.1 through 6.3 above, the Contractor shall be liable to any damages to Intermountain or any third party resulting from such noncompliance. The Contractor shall also be liable for any mitigation or restoration effort resulting from such noncompliance. To the extent all the following is met, the Contractor may treat the discovery of such material similarly to an unforeseen condition:
- **6.4.1** The discovery of such material is reasonably unforeseeable given the site conditions that the Contractor should have been aware;
- **6.4.2** The presence of such material was not identified in any part of the Contract Documents;
- **6.4.3** The Contractor has undertaken all proper action to mitigate any impact of such discovery on the critical path or monies related to the Project;
- **6.4.4** The discovery affects the critical path or contract price from that which was contemplated by the Contract Documents; and
  - **6.4.5** The requirements of 7.1.5 and the Contract documents are met.

# ARTICLE 7 MODIFICATIONS, REQUEST FOR INFORMATION, PROPOSED CHANGE ORDER, AND CLAIMS PROCESS

## 7.1 MODIFICATIONS: IN GENERAL

- **7.1.1 TYPES OF MODIFICATIONS AND LIMITATIONS**. Changes in the Work may be accomplished after execution of the Contract, and without invalidating the Contract, by Change Order, Construction Change Directive or ASI, subject to the limitations stated in this Article 7 and elsewhere in the Contract Documents. The Contractor must have a written Modification executed by Intermountain under this Article 7 prior to proceeding with any Work sought to be an extra.
- **7.1.2 BY WHOM ISSUED.** A Change Order or Construction Change Directive shall be issued by Intermountain Representative. An ASI is issued by the A/E. The A/E shall prepare Change Orders and Construction Change Directives with specific documentation and data for Intermountain's approval and execution in accordance with the Contract Documents, and may issue ASIs not involving an adjustment in the contract sum or an extension of the Contract Time which are not inconsistent with the intent of the Contract Documents.
- **7.1.3 CONTRACTOR TO PROCEED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.**Changes in the Work shall be performed under applicable provisions of the Contract Documents, and the Contractor shall proceed promptly, unless otherwise provided in the Change Order, Construction Change Directive or ASI.
- **7.1.4 ADJUSTING UNIT PRICES**. If unit prices are stated in the Contract Documents or subsequently agreed upon, and if quantities originally contemplated are so changed in a proposed Change Order or Construction Change Directive that application of such unit prices to quantities of Work proposed will cause a substantial inequity to Intermountain or Contractor, the applicable unit prices may be equitably adjusted.
- 7.1.5 SPECIAL NOTICES REQUIRED IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ANY CONTRACT MODIFICATION. In order to be eligible for any Modification under this Article 7, the Contractor must have met the following special notice requirements:
- (1) CONCEALED OR UNKNOWN CONDITIONS. The Contractor must file a written notice with Intermountain Representative within seven (7) calendar days of that the Contractor knew or should have known of a site condition described below or the Contractor shall be deemed to waive any right to file any PCO or Claim for additional monies or time related to such condition:
- (a) If the Contractor encounters unknown and reasonably unforeseeable subsurface or otherwise concealed physical conditions, including hazardous or historical/cultural materials under Article 6, which differ materially from those indicated by the Contract Documents or a site inspection; or
- (b) If the Contractor encounters unknown physical conditions of an unusual nature which differ materially from those ordinarily found to exist and generally recognized as inherent in construction activities of the character provided for in the Contract Documents.
- (2) INCREASE IN CONTRACT TIME. If the Contractor encounters a situation in which the Contractor knows or should have known that such situation would cause a delay, disruption, interruption, suspension or the like to the Project, the Contractor must file a

notice with the Intermountain Representative within seven (7) working days of when the Contractor knew or should have known of such circumstance or the Contractor shall be deemed to waive any right to file any PCO or Claim for additional monies or time related to such circumstance. To the extent Intermountain is damaged by the failure of the Contractor to provide such notice after the Contractor knows or should have known of such circumstance, the Contractor shall be liable for damages attributable thereto in addition to any liquidated damages (if applicable).

# 7.2 CONTRACTOR INITIATED REQUESTS

- **7.2.1 THE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION, RFI, PROCESS AND TIME TO FILE.** The Contractor may file an RFI with the A/E regarding any concern which will assist the Contractor in the proper completion of the Work including, but not limited to issues related to the Contract Documents, plans and specifications. The RFI shall be filed with the A/E in a timely manner so as not to prejudice Intermountain as to the quality, time or money related to the Work.
- **7.2.2 PROPOSED CHANGE ORDER ( PCO ).** Within twenty-one (21) days after the Contractor knows or should have known of a situation or concern where the Contractor is going to request additional monies or time, the Contractor must file a Proposed Change Order ( PCO ) with Intermountain Representative, or the Contractor shall be deemed to waive any right to claim additional monies or time related to such situation or concern. The PCO shall include all available documentation supporting the PCO available to the Contractor at the time of filing and the Contractor shall thereafter diligently pursue the supplementation(s) of such documentation and promptly deliver such supplementation(s) to Intermountain Representative.
- (1) **INTERMOUNTAIN REPRESENTATIVE RESPONSE**. One of the following may occur after a PCO is filed with Intermountain Representative:
- (a) Intermountain Representative, after considering any input by the A/E, may reach an agreement with the Contractor and issue a Change Order.
- (b) Intermountain, after considering any input by the A/E, may issue a Construction Change Directive.
- (c) If Intermountain Representative, after considering any input by the A/E, disagrees with the Contractor's PCO, Intermountain representative may seek additional information or verification from the Contractor, the A/E or other sources, may negotiate with the Contractor, may issue a Change Order upon such later agreement, may retract the PR, or may issue a Construction Change Directive. The A/E must continually work with Intermountain in providing data, documentation and efforts to resolve the issues related to the PR.
- 7.3 PROPOSAL REQUEST INITIATED BY INTERMOUNTAIN. Intermountain may file a Proposal Request with the Contractor seeking information, data and/or pricing relating to a change in the contract time and or monies owing for particular scope changes or other modifications to the Contract Documents. The PR shall provide a time limit for the Contractor to file a response with the A/E and Intermountain Representative. If a proposal is not timely provided by the Contractor, Intermountain may calculate the Change Order under Article 7.4.2 below. Upon such timely receipt of the proposal, one of the following shall occur:

- **7.3.1 IF AGREEMENT, CHANGE ORDER ISSUED**. Intermountain Representative, after considering any input by the A/E, may reach an agreement with the Contractor and issue a Change Order.
- **7.3.2 IF DISAGREEMENT**. If the Intermountain Representative disagrees with the Contractor's proposal, after considering any input from the A/E, Intermountain representative may seek additional information or verification from the Contractor or other sources, may negotiate with the Contractor, may issue a Change Order upon such later agreement, may retract the PR, or may issue a Construction Change Directive. If a Construction Change Directive is issued which identifies Intermountain representative's position in regard to the subject contract sum and/or time adjustment, the Contractor must initiate the Claim resolution process provided for herein within twenty-one (21) days of the Contractor's receipt of the Construction Change Directive, or the Contractor shall be deemed to waive any such request for additional time or money as a result of the issuance of the Construction Change Directive. Such waiver shall entitle Intermountain to convert the Construction Change Directive into a Change Order, whether or not executed by the Contractor. If the Construction Change Directive leaves open the determination of additional time or money related to the directed change, then the time period for initiating the Claim resolution process shall not accrue until such time as Intermountain has conveyed to the Contractor a position as to the time and money owing as a result of the directed change.

# 7.4 EVALUATION OF PROPOSAL FOR ISSUING CHANGE ORDERS

- **7.4.1** ADJUSTING SUM BASED UPON AGREEMENT. If the Change Order provides for an adjustment to the Contract Sum, the adjustment shall be based on the mutual agreement of the Contractor and Intermountain, including any terms mandated by unit price agreements or other terms of the Contract Documents.
- 7.4.2 INTERMOUNTAIN RESOLUTION OF SUM AND STANDARDS IN THE ABSENCE OF AN AGREEMENT UNDER PARAGRAPH 7.4.1. In the absence of an agreement under Paragraph 7.4.1 above, the adjustment shall be based on an itemized accounting of costs and savings supported by appropriate data. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, costs for the purposes of this Paragraph shall be limited to the following:
- (1) All direct and indirect costs of labor; including workers compensation insurance, social security and other federal and state payroll based taxes, and payroll based fringe benefits paid by Contractor so long as they are reasonable and no higher than that charged to other clients:
- (2) Costs of materials, on-site temporary facilities, supplies and equipment (except hand tools) required for or incorporated into the work;
- (3) Rental costs of machinery, equipment, tools (except hand tools), and onsite temporary facilities, whether rented from the Contractor or others;
- (4) Costs of permits and other fees, sales, use or similar taxes related to the Work;
- (5) Additional costs of field supervision and field office personnel directly attributable to the change; and

- (6) Overhead and profit by the following liquidated formula which is not a penalty but a reasonable calculation agreed upon at the time of execution of the Contractor's Agreement, and provided by formula herein due to the fact that the actual amount due for said overhead and profit cannot easily be ascertained at the time of such execution. The markups in 7.4.2(6)(a) and (b) below are to cover the Contractor's additional payment and performance bond premiums, insurance premiums not specified under Paragraph 7.4.2(1), home office and on-site overhead and profit. Overhead and profit includes, but is not limited to the Contractor's Project Manager and Cost Estimator. Each request for pricing shall stand on its own and not be combined with other requests for pricing in determining the allowed markup described below. A particular request for pricing shall include all items reasonably related together and determinable at the time of the request. If several unrelated requests for pricing are grouped together in a single Change Order, each request for pricing will be considered separately for purposes of calculating the markup under the following formula:
- (a) A markup of 15% shall be applied to the cost of each individual charge up to \$20,000 in cost, but in no case shall the markup be less than \$150;
- (b) A markup of 10% shall be applied to the portion of the cost of each individual charge in excess of \$20,000;
- (c) Subcontractors at any tier shall be entitled to markup their costs related to a Change Order with the same percentages as specified in Paragraphs 7.4.2(6)(a) and (b) above, except that the minimum markup shall be \$50 for any individual change.
- **7.4.3 CREDITS**. The amount of credit to be allowed by the Contractor to Intermountain for a deletion or change which results in a net decrease in the Contract Sum shall be actual net cost as confirmed to Intermountain based upon corroboration by an appropriate source.

#### 7.5 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVES

- 7.5.1 WHEN USED AND CONTRACTOR'S RIGHT TO CHALLENGE. A Construction Change Directive may be issued by Intermountain Representative in the case of a need for the Work to commence. If the Construction Change Directive leaves open the determination of additional time or money related to the directed change, then the Construction Change Directive shall indicate the timeframe(s) in which further information is to be provided to resolve the matter. At any time that Intermountain and the Contractor agree upon the time and money related to a Construction Change Directive, a Change Order shall be executed by the parties. Additionally, the Construction Change Directive may be converted to a Change Order under Paragraph 7.2.2 or Article 7.3 above.
- 7.5.2 PROCEED WITH WORK AND NOTIFY INTERMOUNTAIN ABOUT ADJUSTMENT METHOD. Upon receipt of a Construction Change Directive, the Contractor shall promptly proceed with the change in the Work involved.
- **7.5.3 INTERIM PAYMENTS BY INTERMOUNTAIN.** Pending the final determination of the total cost of the Construction Change Directive, Intermountain shall pay any undisputed amount to the Contractor.

**7.6** A/E'S SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION (Commonly referred to as an  $\square$ ASI $\square$ ). The A/E may at any time that is consistent with maintaining the quality, safety, time, budget and function of the Work, issue to the Contractor a supplemental instruction ( $\square$ ASI $\square$ ) after approval from Intermountain Representative is obtained. The Contractor must file with Intermountain Representative a PCO under Paragraph 7.2.2 above, within 21 calendar days of the Contractor's receipt of the ASI, or the Contactor shall be deemed to have waived any right to additional time or monies as a result of such ASI.

## 7.8. RESOLUTION OF CLAIMS.

- **7.8.1 ESCALATION PROCESS**. Each Claim must be submitted to the escalation process and then, if necessary, to judicial action, as described in the following:
- (1) The parties involved in the Claim will arrange in-person meetings or telephone conferences at mutually convenient times and places, according to the levels and time schedules set forth below. The parties will use reasonable and good faith efforts in this escalation process to respond promptly and to resolve the Claim.

Levels and Representatives	Allotted Time Period from Notice or from Previous Level
Level 1  Contractor: Managing Principal Intermountain: the Director	7 days
Level 2  Associate Vice President or higher level executive	10 days

- **7.8.2 JUDICIAL ACTION.** If any Claim cannot be resolved through the escalation process described above, the matter will be resolved through judicial action brought exclusively in the state courts of the State of Utah or in the federal courts of the United States which are located in Salt Lake County, Utah. The parties hereto hereby agree to submit to the jurisdiction and venue of such courts for the purposes hereof.
- **7.8.3 CONTRACTOR REQUIRED TO CONTINUE PERFORMANCE**. Pending the final determination of the Claim, including any judicial review or appeal process, and unless otherwise agreed upon in writing by the Director, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of the Contract and Intermountain shall continue to make payments in accordance with the Contract Documents.

### 7.9 PAYMENT OF CLAIM

- 7.9.1 When a standalone component of a Claim has received a final determination, and is no longer subject to review or appeal, that amount shall be paid in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract Documents or judicial order.
- 7.9.2 When the entire Claim has received a final determination, and is no longer subject to review or appeal, the full amount shall be paid within fourteen (14) days of the date of the final determination unless the work or services has not been completed, in which case the amount shall be paid in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract Documents to the point that the work or services is completed.
- 7.9.3 The final determination date is the earlier of the date upon which the claimant accepted the settlement in writing with an executed customary release document and waived its rights of appeal, or the expiration of the appeal period, with no appeal filed, or the determination made resulting from the final appeal.
- 7.9.4 Any final determination where the Intermountain is to pay additional monies to the Contractor shall not be delayed by any appeal or request for judicial review by another party brought into the process by Intermountain as being liable to Intermountain.
- 7.9.5 Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract Documents, payment of all or part of a Claim is subject to any set-off, claims or counterclaims of Intermountain.
- 7.9.6 Payment to the Contractor for a Subcontractor issue (Claim) deemed filed by the Contractor, shall be paid by the Contractor to the Subcontractor in accordance with the contract between the Contractor and the Subcontractor.
- 7.9.7 The execution of a customary release document related to any payment may be required as a condition of making the payment.

# 7.10 ALLOCATION OF COSTS OF CLAIM RESOLUTION PROCESS

- 7.10.1 Except for attorneys' fees, and unless otherwise agreed to by the parties to the Claim, the costs of resolving the Claim shall be allocated among the parties on the same proportionate basis as the determination of financial responsibility for the Claim. The costs of resolving the Claim that are subject to allocation include the claimant's filing fee, the costs of any person(s) evaluating the Claim, the costs of making any required record of the process, and any additional testing or inspection procured to investigate and/or evaluate the Claim.
- 7.10.2 The prevailing Party in any Claim, judicial action or other proceeding is entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees, other fees, and costs incurred in the proceeding, in addition to any other relief to which that Party may be entitled.
- **7.11 ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES**. To the extent otherwise permitted by law, if all parties to a Claim agree in writing, a protocol for resolving a Claim may be used that differs from the process described in this Article 7.

# ARTICLE 8 PAYMENTS AND COMPLETION

8.1 SCHEDULE OF VALUES. With the first Application for Payment, the Contractor shall submit to the A/E and Intermountain Representative a schedule of values allocated to all the various portions of the Work. The Schedule of Values shall be submitted on the form approved and provided by Intermountain. The A/E shall make recommendations to the Intermountain Representative regarding the Schedule of Values including any suggested modifications. When approved, including any approved modifications, by Intermountain Representative, it shall be the basis for future Contractor Applications for Payments. The Contractor shall not be entitled to payment until receipt and acceptance of the Schedule of Values.

## 8.2 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

- **8.2.1 IN GENERAL**. The following general requirements shall be met:
- (1) The Contractor shall submit to the A/E an itemized Application for Payment for Work completed in accordance with the schedule of values and that reflects retainage as provided for in the Contractor's Agreement. The Application for Payment shall be on a special form approved and provided by Intermountain.
- (2) Such application shall be supported by such data substantiating the Contractor's right to payment as Intermountain or A/E may require. Said data may include, but is not limited to, copies of requisitions from Subcontractors.
- (3) Such applications may include requests for payment pursuant to approved Change Orders or Construction Change Directives.
- (4) Such applications may not include requests for payment for portions of the Work performed by a subcontractor when the Contractor does not intend to pay to a Subcontractor because of a dispute or other reason.
- (5) In executing the Application for Payment, the Contractor shall attest that subcontractors involved with prior applications for payment have been paid, unless the Contractor provides a detailed explanation why such payment may not have occurred. Intermountain reserves the right to require the Contractor to submit a payment waiver from one or more subcontractors.
- **8.2.2 PAYMENT FOR MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT.** Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, payments shall be made on account of materials and equipment delivered and suitably stored at the site for subsequent incorporation in the Work. If approved in advance by Intermountain and A/E, payment may similarly be made for materials and equipment suitably stored off the site at a location agreed upon in writing. Payment for materials and equipment stored on or off the site shall be conditioned upon compliance by the Contractor with procedures satisfactory to Intermountain to establish Intermountain's title to such materials and equipment or otherwise protect Intermountain's interest, and shall include applicable insurance, storage and transportation to the site for such materials and equipment stored off the site. Intermountain may require copies of invoices or other suitable documentation.
- **8.2.3 WARRANTY OF TITLE**. The Contractor warrants that title to all Work covered by an Application for Payment will pass to Intermountain no later than the time for payment. The Contractor further warrants that upon submittal of an Application for Payment, all

Work for which Certificates for Payment have been previously issued and payments received from Intermountain shall, to the best of the Contractor's knowledge, information and belief, be free and clear of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances in favor of the Contractor, Subcontractors, or other persons or entities making a claim by reason of having provided labor, materials and/or equipment relating to the Work.

**8.2.4 HOLDBACK BY INTERMOUNTAIN**. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Contract Documents, Intermountain may, as a result of the Claim resolution process, withhold any payment to the Contractor hereunder if and for so long as the Contractor fails to perform any of its obligations hereunder or otherwise is in default under any of the Contract Documents.

#### 8.3 CERTIFICATES FOR PAYMENT

- **8.3.1 ISSUED BY A/E**. The A/E shall within ten (10) days after receipt of the Contractor's Application for Payment, either issue to Intermountain a Certificate for Payment, with a copy to the Contractor, for such amount as the A/E determines due, or notify the Contractor and Intermountain in writing of the A/E's reasons for withholding certification in whole or in part as provided in Paragraph 8.4.1. If the A/E fails to act within said ten (10) day period, the Contractor may file the Application for Payment directly with Intermountain Representative and Intermountain will thereafter have twenty (20) days from the date of Intermountain's receipt to resolve the amount to be paid and to pay the undisputed amount. The accuracy of the Contractor's Applications for Payment shall be Contractor's responsibility, not A/E's.
- **8.3.2** A/E'S REPRESENTATIONS. The A/E's issuance of a Certificate for Payment shall constitute a representation to Intermountain that to the best of the A/E's knowledge, information and belief, based upon the A/E's observations at the site, the data comprising the Application for Payment, and what is reasonably inferable from the observations and data, that the Work has progressed to the point indicated in the Application and that the quality of the work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. The foregoing representations are subject to minor deviations from the Contract Documents correctable prior to completion and to specific qualifications expressed by the A/E. The issuance of a Certificate for Payment will further constitute a representation that the Contractor is entitled to payment in the amount certified. However, the issuance of a Certificate for Payment shall not be a representation that the A/E has (a) made exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to check the quality or quantity of the Work, (b) reviewed construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, (c) reviewed copies of requisitions received from Subcontractors and material suppliers and other data requested by Intermountain to substantiate the Contractor's right to payment, (d) ascertained how or for what purpose the Contractor used money previously paid on account of Contract Sum, or (e) any duty to make such inquiries.

## 8.4 DECISIONS TO WITHHOLD CERTIFICATION

**8.4.1 WHEN WITHHELD**. The A/E may decide not to certify payment and may withhold a Certificate for Payment in whole or in part, to the extent reasonably necessary to protect Intermountain, if in the A/E's judgment the representations to Intermountain required in Paragraph 8.3.2 above cannot be made. If the A/E is unable to certify payment in the amount of the Application, the A/E shall notify the Contractor and Intermountain as provided in Paragraph

above. If the Contractor and A/E cannot agree on a revised amount, the A/E shall promptly issue a Certificate for Payment for the amount to which the A/E makes such representations to Intermountain. The A/E may also decide not to certify payment or, because of subsequently discovered evidence or observations, may nullify the whole or part of a Certificate for Payment previously issued, to such extent as may be necessary in the A/E's opinion to protect Intermountain from loss because of:

- (1) Defective Work not remedied;
- (2) Third party claims filed or reasonable evidence indicating probable filing of such claims;
- (3) Failure of the Contractor to make payments properly to Subcontractors or for labor, materials or equipment;
- (4) Reasonable evidence that the Work cannot be completed for the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum;
  - (5) Damage to Intermountain or another contractor;
- (6) Reasonable evidence that the Work will not be completed within the Contract Time, and that the unpaid balance would not be adequate to cover actual or liquidated damages for the anticipated delay; or
  - (7) Failure to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- **8.4.2 CERTIFICATION ISSUED WHEN REASONS FOR WITHHOLDING REMOVED.** When the reasons stated in Paragraph 8.4.1 for withholding certification are removed, certification will be made for such related amounts.
- **8.4.3 CONTINUE WORK EVEN IF CONTRACTOR DISPUTES A/E'S DETERMINATION**. If the Contractor disputes any determination by the A/E or the result of the Claim resolution process with regard to any Certification of Payment, the Contractor nevertheless shall expeditiously continue to prosecute the Work.
- **8.4.4 INTERMOUNTAIN NOT IN BREACH**. Intermountain shall not be deemed to be in breach of this Contract by reason of the withholding of any payment pursuant to any provision of the Contract Documents provided Intermountain's action or such withholding is consistent with the results of the dispute resolution process.

## 8.5 PROGRESS PAYMENTS

# 8.5.1 IN GENERAL, INTEREST ON LATE PAYMENTS

- (1) Except as provided in Paragraph 8.3.1, Intermountain shall pay any undisputed amount within sixty (60) days of the date that the application for payment was submitted to the A/E. In no event shall Intermountain be required to pay any disputed amount.
- (2) Except as otherwise provided by law, if any payment is made more than sixty (60) days after receipt by Intermountain of the applicable invoice (with any required supporting documentation), the late payment shall bear interest from the due date until payment is made at the rate of five percent (5%) per annum.

- 8.5.2 CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY. The
- Contractor shall promptly pay each Subcontractor, upon receipt of payment from Intermountain, out of the amount paid to the Contractor on account of such Subcontractor's portion of the Work, the amount to which said Subcontractor is entitled. The Contractor shall, by appropriate agreement with each Subcontractor, require each Subcontractor to make payment to its Subcontractors in a similar manner.
- **8.5.3 INFORMATION FURNISHED BY A/E OR INTERMOUNTAIN TO SUBCONTRACTOR.** The A/E or Intermountain shall, on request, furnish to the Subcontractor, if practicable, information regarding percentages of completion or amounts applied for by the Contractor and action taken thereon by the A/E and Intermountain on account of portions of the Work done by such Subcontractor.
- **8.5.4 INTERMOUNTAIN AND A/E NOT LIABLE**. Neither Intermountain nor A/E shall have an obligation to pay, monitor or enforce the payment of money to a Subcontractor, except to the extent as may otherwise be required by law.
- **8.5.5** CERTIFICATE, PAYMENT OR USE NOT ACCEPTANCE OF IMPROPER WORK. A Certificate for Payment, a progress payment, or partial or entire use or occupancy of the Project by Intermountain shall not constitute acceptance of Work that is not in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- **8.6 PAYMENT UPON SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION**. Upon Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof and upon application by the Contractor and certification by the A/E, Intermountain shall make payment, reflecting adjustment in retainage, if any, for such Work or portion thereof as provided in the Contract Documents. To the extent allowed by law, Intermountain may retain up to 200% of the fair market value of the work that has not been completed in accordance with the Contract Documents.

#### 8.7 PARTIAL OCCUPANCY OR USE

**8.7.1 IN GENERAL**. Intermountain may occupy or use any completed or partially completed portion of the Work at any stage when such portion is designated by separate agreement with the Contractor, and authorized by public authorities having jurisdiction over the Work. Such partial occupancy or use may commence whether or not the portion is Substantially Complete, provided Intermountain and Contractor have accepted in writing the responsibilities assigned to each of them for payments, retainage if any, security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work and insurance, and have agreed in writing concerning the period for correction of the Work and commencement of the warranties required by the Contract Documents. When the Contractor considers a portion to be substantially complete, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a list to the A/E as previously provided for herein. Consent of the Contractor to partial occupancy or use shall not be unreasonably withheld. Contractor shall have continuing responsibility to protect the unoccupied portions of the site and the Work during such partial occupancy and shall be responsible for damage except to the extent caused solely by Intermountain during such partial occupancy or use.

The stage of progress of the Work shall be determined by written agreement between Intermountain and Contractor.

- **8.7.2 INSPECTION**. Immediately prior to such partial occupancy or use, Intermountain, Contractor and A/E shall jointly inspect the area to be occupied or portion of the Work to be used in order to determine and record the condition of the Work.
- **8.7.3 NOT CONSTITUTE ACCEPTANCE**. Except to the extent it is agreed upon in writing by Intermountain, partial occupancy or use of a portion or portion of the Work shall not constitute acceptance of Work not complying with the requirement of the Contract Documents.

## 8.8 FINAL PAYMENT

- **8.8.1 CERTIFICATE FOR PAYMENT.** The A/E's final Certificate for Payment shall constitute a further representation that the conditions listed in Paragraph 8.8.2 as precedent to the Contractor's being entitled to final payment have been fulfilled.
- **8.8.2 CONDITIONS FOR FINAL PAYMENT.** Neither final payment nor any remaining retained percentage shall become due until the Contractor submits to the A/E the following to the extent required by Intermountain Representative:
- (1) An affidavit that payrolls, bills for material and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the Work for which Intermountain's property might be responsible or encumbered (less amounts withheld by Intermountain) have been paid or otherwise satisfied;
- (2) A current or additional certificate evidencing that insurance required by the Contract Documents to remain in force after final payment is currently in effect and will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least 30 days prior written notice, by certified mail, return receipt requested, has been given to Intermountain;
- (3) A written statement that the Contractor knows of no substantial reason that the insurance will not be renewable to cover the period required by the Contract Documents;
- (4) If requested by surety in a timely manner or by Intermountain, consent of surety, to final payment;
- (5) Receipt of Record Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, Change Orders and other Modifications maintained at the site; the warranties, instructions, operation and maintenance manuals, and training videos required to be furnished by the Contract Documents;
- (6) Other data establishing payment or satisfaction of obligations, such as receipts, releases and waivers of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract, to the extent and in such form as may be designated by Intermountain. If a Subcontractor refuses to furnish a release or waiver required by Intermountain, Intermountain may require consent of Surety to the final payment. If such liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances remain unsatisfied after payments are made, the Contractor shall refund to Intermountain all money that Intermountain may be compelled to pay in discharging such lien, including all costs and reasonable attorneys' fees; and
- (7) A written statement demonstrating how the Contractor will distribute interest earned on retention to Subcontractors as required by Section 13.8.5, U.C.A.
- **8.8.3 WAIVER OF CLAIMS: FINAL PAYMENT.** The making of final payment shall constitute a waiver of Claims by Intermountain except those arising from:

- (1) Liens, Claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract and unsettled;
- (2) Failure of the Work to comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents;
  - (3) Terms of warranties required by the Contract Documents; or
  - (4) The one-year guaranty period and any corrected Work.
- **8.8.4 DELAYS NOT CONTRACTOR'S FAULT**. If, after Substantial Completion of the Work, final completion thereof is materially delayed through no fault of the Contractor or by issuance of Change Orders affecting final completion, Intermountain shall, upon application by the Contractor and certification by the A/E, and without terminating the Contract, make payment of the balance due for that portion of the Work fully completed and accepted. Such payment shall be made under terms and conditions governing final payment, except that it shall not constitute a waiver of claims. Unless otherwise stated by Intermountain in writing, the making of final payment shall constitute a waiver of claims by Intermountain as provided in Paragraph 8.8.3 for that portion of that Work fully completed and accepted by Intermountain.
- **8.8.5 WAIVER BY ACCEPTING FINAL PAYMENT.** Acceptance of final payment by the Contractor or a Subcontractor shall constitute a waiver of Claims by that payee except those Claims previously made in writing and identified by that payee as unsettled at the time of final Application for Payment. Such waivers shall be in addition to the waiver described in Paragraph 8.8.3.

## **ARTICLE 9**

# TESTS AND INSPECTIONS, SUBSTANTIAL AND FINAL COMPLETION, UNCOVERING, CORRECTION OF WORK, AND GUARANTY PERIOD

# 9.1 TESTS AND INSPECTIONS

- **9.1.1 IN GENERAL**. Tests, inspections and approvals of portions of the Work required by the Contract Documents or by laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, resolutions or orders of public authorities having jurisdiction shall be made at an appropriate time. Unless otherwise specifically set forth in the Contract Documents or agreed to by Intermountain in writing, Intermountain shall contract for such tests, inspections and approvals with an independent entity, or with the appropriate public authority, and Intermountain shall bear all related costs of tests, inspections and approvals except as provided below. If any of the Work is required to be inspected or approved by the terms of the Contract Documents or by any public authority, the Contractor shall, at least two working days prior to the time of the desired inspection, and following the procedures established by Intermountain, request such inspection or approval to be performed. The Contractor shall give the A/E timely notice of when and where tests and inspections are to be made so that the A/E may observe such procedures.
- **9.1.2 FAILURE OF AN INSPECTOR TO APPEAR.** Work shall not proceed without any required inspection and the associated authorization by Intermountain to proceed unless the following procedures and requirements have been met:

- (1) The inspection or approval was requested in a timely manner as provided in Paragraph 9.1.1;
- (2) The Contractor received written confirmation from the inspection entity that the inspection was scheduled;
- (3) The Contractor has contacted or attempted to contact the inspector to confirm that the inspector is unable to perform the inspection as scheduled;
- (4) If the inspector has confirmed that it is unable to perform the inspection as scheduled or if the Contractor is unable to contact the inspector, the contractor shall attempt to contact the Intermountain Representative for instruction; and the Contractor has documented the condition of the work prior to being covered through photos or other means.
- **9.1.3 NONCONFORMING WORK**. If such procedures for testing, inspection or approval under Paragraph 9.1.1 reveal failure of portions of the Work to comply with the requirements established by the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall bear all costs made necessary by such failure including those of repeated procedures and compensation for Intermountain's expenses, including the cost of retesting for verification of compliance if necessary, until Intermountain accepts the Work in question as complying with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- **9.1.4 CERTIFICATES**. Required certificates of testing, inspection or approval shall, unless otherwise required by the Contract Documents, be secured by the Contractor and promptly delivered to the A/E.
- **9.1.5** A/E OBSERVING. If the A/E is to observe tests, inspections or approvals required by the Contract Documents, the A/E shall do so with reasonable promptness and, where practicable, at the normal place of testing.
- **9.1.6 PROMPTNESS**. Tests, inspections and arrangements for approvals conducted pursuant to the Contract Documents shall be made promptly to avoid unreasonable delay in the Work.

## 9.2 INSPECTIONS: SUBSTANTIAL AND FINAL

- **9.2.1 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION INSPECTION**. Prior to requesting a substantial completion inspection, the Contractor shall prepare a comprehensive initial punchlist, including unresolved items from prior inspections, for review by Intermountain and A/E to determine if the Project is ready for a substantial completion inspection. If Intermountain determines that the initial punchlist indicates that the Project is not substantially complete, the initial punchlist will be returned to the Contractor with written comments. If Intermountain determines that the initial punchlist indicates that the Project may be substantially complete, the A/E shall promptly organize and perform a Substantial Completion inspection in the presence of Intermountain and all appropriate authorities.
- (1) If the A/E reasonably determines that the initial punchlist prepared by the Contractor substantially understates the amount of the Work remaining to be completed and the Project is not substantially complete, the A/E shall report this promptly to Intermountain, and upon concurrence of Intermountain, the Contractor will be assessed the costs of the inspection and punchlist preparation incurred by the A/E and Intermountain.

- (2) When the Work or designated portion thereof is Substantially Complete, the A/E shall prepare a Certificate of Substantial Completion which shall establish the date of Substantial Completion; shall establish responsibilities of Intermountain and Contractor for security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the work and insurance; and shall fix the time within which the Contractor shall finish all items on the punchlist accompanying the Certificate. The Certificate of Substantial Completion shall require approval by Intermountain Representative. If there is a punchlist, the Contractor shall proceed promptly to complete and correct items on the list. Failure to include an item on the punchlist does not alter the responsibility of the Contractor to complete all Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- (3) Warranties required by the Contract Documents shall commence on the date of Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof except to the extent as provided otherwise in the Contract Documents or if such warranty is related to an item where the work is not complete. Such warranty documents shall state the length of the warranty, which must comply with the Contract Documents.
- (4) The Certificate of Substantial Completion shall be submitted by the A/E to Intermountain and Contractor for their written acceptance of responsibilities assigned to them in such Certificate.
- (5) Except to the extent Intermountain Representative otherwise approves in advance and in writing, the Contractor shall submit the following documents in order to achieve Substantial Completion: written warranties, guarantees, operation and maintenance manuals, and all complete as-built drawings. The Contractor must also provide or obtain any required approvals for occupancy. The Contractor is responsible for the guaranty of all Work, whether performed by it or by its Subcontractors at any tier.
- **9.2.2 FINAL COMPLETION INSPECTION**. Prior to requesting a final inspection, the Contractor shall verify all punchlist items are corrected/completed. Once all punchlist items are corrected/completed the Contractor shall notify Intermountain and request a final inspection. Intermountain shall notify the A/E and perform a final inspection. Two final inspections may be allowed due to required weather changes required to complete some items. When all punchlist items are completed a final pay request will be provided by the Contractor, authorized by the A/E and processed by Intermountain.

#### 9.3 UNCOVERING OF WORK

- **9.3.1 UNCOVER UNINSPECTED WORK**. Except as provided in Paragraph 9.3.3, if a portion of the Work is covered prior to an Inspector's approval to proceed, it must, be uncovered for the Inspector's inspection and be replaced at the Contractor's expense without change in the Contract Time.
- **9.3.2 OBSERVATION PRIOR TO COVERING**. Except as provided in Paragraph 9.3.3, if Intermountain or the A/E has requested in writing to observe conditions prior to any Work being covered or if such observation is specified in the Contract Documents, and the Work is covered without such observation, the Contractor shall be required to uncover and appropriately replace the Work at the Contractor's expense without change in the Contract Time. If the Contractor requests an inspection and Intermountain or A/E, including any inspector of

each, does not appear, the Contractor shall immediately notify Intermountain of such lack of appearance, but shall not cover the Work without such inspection.

9.3.3 WHEN AN INSPECTOR FAILS TO APPEAR OR A/E OR INTERMOUNTAIN DID NOT MAKE PRIOR REQUEST. If Work is performed by the Contractor without an inspection as provided in Paragraph 9.1.2 or if a portion of the Work has been covered which the A/E or Intermountain has not specifically requested to observe prior to its being covered or such observation is not specified by the Contract Documents, the A/E or Intermountain may request to see such Work and it shall be uncovered by the Contractor. If such Work is in accordance with the Contract Documents, costs of uncovering and replacement, shall, by appropriate Change Order, be charged to Intermountain. If such Work is not in accordance with the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall pay such costs unless the condition was caused by Intermountain or a separate contractor in which event Intermountain shall be responsible for payment of such costs.

#### 9.4 CORRECTION OF WORK AND GUARANTY PERIOD

**9.4.1 CONTRACTOR CORRECT THE WORK**. The Contractor shall correct Work rejected by the A/E, Inspector or Intermountain, or failing to conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents, whether observed before or after Substantial Completion and whether or not fabricated, installed or completed. The Contractor shall bear the costs of correcting such rejected Work, including additional testing and inspections and compensation for the A/E's and Inspector's services and expenses made necessary thereby.

# 9.4.2 GUARANTY AND CORRECTION AFTER SUBSTANTIAL

**COMPLETION**. If within one year after the date of Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof, or after the date for commencement of warranties established under Paragraph 9.2.1 or by terms of an applicable special warranty or guaranty required by the Contract Documents, any of the Work is found to be not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, including failure to perform for its intended purpose, the Contractor shall correct it promptly after receipt of written notice from Intermountain to do so unless Intermountain has previously given the Contractor a written acceptance of such condition. The period of one year shall be extended with respect to portions of the Work first performed after Substantial Completion by the period of time between Substantial Completion and the actual performance of the Work. This obligation of the Contractor under this Paragraph 9.4.2 shall be operative notwithstanding the acceptance of the Work under the Contract, the final certificate of payment, partial or total occupancy and/or termination of the Contract. Intermountain shall give notice of observed defects with reasonable promptness, however, failure to give such notice shall not relieve the Contractor of its obligation to correct the Work at the cost that the Contractor would have incurred if Intermountain did so report with reasonable promptness. All corrected Work shall be subject to a one-year guaranty period the same in all respects as the original Work, except that such guaranty period shall commence from the time of Substantial Completion of the corrected Work. This guaranty period does not affect Intermountain's right to pursue any available remedies against Contractor.

#### 9.4.3 REMOVAL OF WORK

- (1) The Contractor shall promptly remove from the premises all Work that Intermountain and/or the A/E determines as being in nonconformance with the Contract Documents, whether incorporated or not.
- (2) The Contractor shall promptly replace and re-execute the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents and without expense to Intermountain.
- (3) The Contractor shall bear the expense of correcting destroyed or damaged construction, whether completed or partially completed, of Intermountain or of other contractors destroyed or damaged by such removal or replacement.
- (4) If the Contractor does not remove such rejected Work within a reasonable time, fixed by written notice, Intermountain may have the materials removed and stored at the expense of the Contractor.
- (5) If the Contractor does not correct the nonconforming Work within a reasonable time, fixed by written notice, Intermountain may correct it in accordance with Paragraph 12.2.2 of these General Conditions.
- 9.4.4 NOT LIMIT OTHER OBLIGATIONS. Nothing contained in this Article 9.4 shall be construed to establish a period of limitation with respect to other obligations which the Contractor may have under the Contract Documents. Establishment of the time period of one year as described in Paragraph 9.4.2 relates only to the specific obligation of the Contractor to correct the Work, and has no relationship to the time within which the obligation to comply with the Contract Documents may be sought to be enforced, nor to the time within which proceedings may be commenced to establish the Contractor's liability with respect to the Contractor's obligations other than specifically to correct the Work.

#### 9.5 ADDITIONAL WARRANTIES

- **9.5.1 IN GENERAL**. In addition to any other provisions of this Article 9, the following warranties shall apply:
- (1) The Contractor warrants to Intermountain that materials and equipment furnished under the Contract will be of good quality and new, except to the extent otherwise required or expressly permitted by the Contract Documents.
- (2) The Contractor also warrants to Intermountain that the Work will be free from defects not inherent in the quality required or permitted and that the Work will conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents. Work not conforming to said requirements, including substitutions not properly approved and authorized, may be considered defective at Intermountain's option.
- **9.5.2 EXCLUSION**. Unless due to the negligent or intentional act or omission of the Contractor or those under the Contractor's control, or as otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, the Contractor's guaranty excludes remedy for damage or defect caused by abuse, modifications not executed by the Contractor, improper or insufficient maintenance, improper operation, or normal wear and tear under normal usage.

- **9.5.3 FURNISH EVIDENCE ON REQUEST**. If requested by the A/E or Intermountain, the Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence as to the type and quality of materials and equipment.
- 9.6 ACCEPTANCE OF NONCONFORMING WORK. If Intermountain prefers to accept Work which is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, Intermountain may do so in writing instead of requiring its removal and correction, in which case the Contract Sum shall be reduced as appropriate and equitable. Such adjustment shall be effected whether or not final payment has been made.

#### ARTICLE 10 INSURANCE AND BONDS

10.1 LIABILITY INSURANCE. To protect against liability, loss and/or expense arising in connection with the performance of services described under the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall obtain and maintain in force during the entire period of Contract Documents without interruption, as part of the Construction Costs for the Project, the following stated insurance from insurance companies authorized to do business in the State of Utah, in a form and content satisfactory to Intermountain. The Contractor shall require all Subcontractors to have and maintain similarly required policies. All of the following listed insurance coverages shall be provided by the Contractor.

### 10.1.1 CONTRACTOR'S COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE.

The Contractor shall maintain coverage on an occurrence made basis, annual aggregate policy limit based on the following chart, unless modified by mutual agreement of the parties, including coverage for Premises-Operations, Independent Contractors' Protective, Products-Completed Operations, Contractual Liability, Personal Injury, and Broad-Formed Property Damage (including coverage for Explosion, Collapse, and Underground hazards).

Small Project (\$2,000,000 or less) Minimum Commercial General Liability Coverage \$1,000,000 each occurrence, \$3,000,000 general aggregate

Medium Project (\$2,000,001 to \$10,000,000) Minimum Commercial General Liability Coverage \$5,000,000 each occurrence, \$10,000,000 general aggregate

Large Project (Greater than \$10,000,000) Minimum Commercial General Liability Coverage \$10,000,000 each occurrence, \$20,000,000 general aggregate

For insurance purposes, the size of the Project will be specified in the Contractor's Agreement or CM/GC Agreement, as applicable.

Intermountain reserves the right to require additional coverage from that stated in the chart herein above, at Intermountain's expense for the additional coverage portion only. Intermountain also reserves the right to require project specific insurance, and if such right has been exercised it

shall be indicated in the Contract Documents. Unless project specific insurance is required by Intermountain, the coverage shall be written under a policy with limits applicable to this project only. Products and Completed Operations insurance must be maintained in force for the discovery of claims for the full statute of limitations period under applicable law. The Contractor's policy must also include contractual liability coverage applicable to the indemnity provision of this Agreement for those portions of the indemnity provisions that are insured under the Contractor's policy and in accordance with this Agreement, including the attachments hereto.

The Contractor shall collect and keep on-file evidence that Contractor and each Subcontractor has current certificates of this Commercial General Liability Insurance requirement, and produce them upon request by Owner.

- 10.1.2 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE. Worker's Compensation Insurance shall cover full liability under the Worker's Compensation Laws of the jurisdiction in which the Project is located at the statutory limits required by said jurisdiction's laws. The Contractor shall collect and keep on-file evidence that Contractor and each Subcontractor has current Workers Compensation Insurance, as required by State statute, and produce them upon request by Owner.
- **10.1.3 AUTOMOBILE**. Automobile liability insurance for claims arising from the ownership, maintenance, or use of a motor vehicle. The insurance shall cover all owned, nonowned, and hired automobiles used in connection with the work, with the following minimum limits of liability: \$1,000,000 □Combined Single Limit Bodily Injury and Property Damage per Occurrence.
- 10.1.4 VALUABLE PAPERS AND RECORDS COVERAGE AND ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING (DATA AND MEDIA) COVERAGE. The Contractor and all Subcontractors of the Contractor shall provide coverage for the physical loss of or destruction to their work product including drawings, specifications, and electronic data and media.
- 10.1.5 AIRCRAFT USE. Contractor using its own aircraft, or employing aircraft in connection with the work performed under the Contract Documents shall maintain Aircraft Liability Insurance with a combined single limit of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Said certificate shall state that the policy required by this paragraph has been endorsed to name Intermountain as an Additional Insured.
- **10.1.6 POLICY AGGREGATE(S).** The Contractor's policy(ies) shall be endorsed to have General Aggregate apply to this Project only.
- 10.1.7 CERTIFICATES. Before the Contract Documents are executed, the Contractor shall submit certificates in form and substance satisfactory to Intermountain as evidence of the insurance requirements of this Article. Such certificates shall contain provisions that no cancellation, or non-renewal shall become effective except upon thirty (30) days prior written notice by US Mail to Intermountain as evidenced by return receipt, certified mail sent to Intermountain. The Contractor shall notify Intermountain within thirty (30) days of any claim(s) against the Contractor which singly or in the aggregate exceed 20% of the applicable required insured limits and the Contractor shall, if requested by Intermountain, use its best efforts to reinstate the policy within the original limits and at a reasonable cost. Intermountain shall be named as an additional insured party, as primary coverage and not contributing, on all the

insurance policies required by this Article except the professional liability and workers' compensation policies. Intermountain reserves the right to request the Contractor to provide a loss report from its insurance carrier.

- 10.1.8 MAINTAIN THROUGHOUT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS TERM. The Contractor agrees to maintain all insurance required under the Contract Documents during the required term. If the Contractor fails to furnish and maintain said required insurance, Intermountain may purchase such insurance on behalf of the Contractor, and the Contractor shall pay the cost thereof to Intermountain upon demand and shall furnish to Intermountain any information needed to obtain such insurance.
- **10.1.9 WAIVERS OF SUBROGATION**. All policies required, except Workers Compensation Insurance, shall be endorsed to include waivers of subrogation in favor of Intermountain.
- **10.1.10 EXCESS COVERAGES**. Any type of insurance or any increase of limits of liability not described in the Contract Documents which the Contractor requires for its own protection or on account of any statute, rule or regulation, shall be its own responsibility and at its own expense.
- **10.1.11 NOT RELIEVE CONTRACTOR OF LIABILITY**. The carrying of any insurance required by the Contract Documents shall in no way be interpreted as relieving the Contractor of any other responsibility or liability under the Contract Documents or any applicable law, statute, rule, regulation, or order.
- **10.1.12 CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE WITH POLICIES**. Contractor shall not violate or knowingly permit to be violated any of the provisions of the policies on insurance required under this Agreement.
- **10.1.13 DEDUCTIBLE LIABILITY**. Any and all deductibles in the above described policies shall be assumed by, for the account of, and at sole risk of Contractor. The allowable deductible for any of the policies required by these General Conditions shall be no more than \$1,000 or 0.1 percent of the Contract Amount, whichever is greater.

#### **10.1.14 ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

- (1) Any type of insurance or any increase of limits of liability not described in this Agreement which the Contractor requires for its own protection or on account of any statute, rule or regulation, shall be its own responsibility and at its own expense.
- (2) The carrying of any insurance required by this Agreement shall in no way be interpreted as relieving the Contractor or Subcontractors of any other responsibility or liability under this Agreement or any applicable law, statute, rule, regulation or order.
- (3) Contractor shall not violate or knowingly permit to be violated any of the provisions of the policies on insurance required under these General Conditions.

#### 10.2 BUILDER'S RISK PROPERTY INSURANCE

**10.2.1 IN GENERAL**. At Intermountain's option, Intermountain may provide, or may require Contractor to provide, □Builder's Risk□property insurance to protect Intermountain, as well as all Contractors and Subcontractors, and include them as insureds, with respect to Work

performed hereunder at Intermountain's own cost and expense, according to the policies and forms currently in force with insurance carriers selected by Intermountain.

- **10.2.2 DEDUCTIBLE**. The above described □Builders Risk□policies shall be subject to a total deductible of \$5,000 per loss occurrence, which shall be assumed by all Contractors or Subcontractors, in proportion to their share of the total amount of an insured loss occurrence.
- **10.2.3 WAIVER**. Contractor, including all Subcontractors, and Intermountain hereby waive all rights against each other for damages caused by perils insured against under the □Builder's Risk□insurance provided by Intermountain and the Contractor each shall require similar waivers from their contractors, subcontractors, sub-consultants and agents, at any tier.
- **10.2.4 SPECIAL HAZARDS**. Intermountain shall bear the risk of loss, delay and/or damage due to earthquake and/or flood and may either insure or self-insure that risk. If the Contractor requests in writing that insurance for other special hazards be included in the □Builder's Risk□policy, Intermountain shall, if possible, include such insurance in the policy and the cost thereof shall be charged to the Contractor by Change Order.
- 10.3 PERFORMANCE BOND AND PAYMENT BOND. If required by the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall submit and maintain in full force and effect as required by law and the Contract Documents, as part of the Construction Costs for the Project, on forms provided by Intermountain, and include as part of the quoted total all costs involved in securing and furnishing, the bonds listed below, based on the completed cost of the Contract and effective upon execution of the Contract. Said bonds shall be from surety companies which are authorized to do business in the State of Utah, listed in the U. S. Department of Treasury Circular 570, Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies, and acting within the limitation listed therein.
- 10.3.1 A full 100 percent performance bond covering the faithful execution of the Contract in accordance with the Contract Documents; and
- 10.3.2 A full 100 percent payment bond covering payment of all obligations arising under the Contract Documents, for the protection of each person supplying labor, service, equipment, or material for the performance of the Work.
- 10.3.3 Any required insurance required under the U.S. Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002, any similar applicable law, or as such Act may be amended.
- **10.4 INTERMOUNTAIN SELF-INSURANCE**. Intermountain may, at its option, satisfy any insurance requirements applicable to Intermountain through its self-insurance and risk management program.

## ARTICLE 11 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

**11.1 A/E'S RESPONSIBILITIES**. These General Conditions are not intended to provide an exhaustive or complete list of the A/E's responsibilities. A separate agreement between Intermountain and A/E incorporates these General Conditions by reference and includes additional Design responsibilities.

- 11.2 SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. Intermountain and Contractor respectively bind themselves, to the other party in respect to covenants, agreements and obligations contained in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall not assign the Contract without the prior written consent of Intermountain, nor shall the Contractor assign any amount due or to become due as well as any rights under the Contract, without prior written consent of Intermountain.
- 11.3 WRITTEN NOTICE. Written notice shall be deemed to have been duly served if (a) delivered in person to the individual or a member of the firm or entity or to an officer of the corporation for which it was intended, or (b) delivered at or sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, or (c) deposited for delivery with a nationally recognized overnight courier service, to the last business address known to the party giving notice.

#### 11.4 RIGHTS AND REMEDIES

- 11.4.1 NOT LIMIT. Duties and obligations imposed by the Contract Documents and rights and remedies available thereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.
- 11.4.2 NOT WAIVER. Except as expressly provided elsewhere in the Contract Documents, no action or failure to act by Intermountain, A/E or Contractor shall constitute a waiver of a right or duty afforded them under the Contract Documents, nor shall such action or failure to act constitute approval or acquiescence in a breach thereunder, except as any of the above may be specifically agreed to in writing. In no case shall the Contractor or any Subcontractors be entitled to rely upon any waiver of any of these General Conditions unless agreed to in writing by Intermountain.

#### 11.5 COMMENCEMENT OF STATUTORY LIMITATION PERIOD

11.5.1 BEFORE SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION. Except as provided in 11.5.4 below, as to acts or failures to act occurring prior to the relevant date of Substantial Completion, any applicable statute of limitations shall commence to run and any alleged cause of action shall be deemed to have accrued in any and all events not later than such date of Substantial Completion.

## 11.5.2 BETWEEN SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION AND FINAL

**CERTIFICATION FOR PAYMENT**. Except as provided in Paragraph 11.5.4 below, as to acts or failures to act occurring subsequent to the relevant date of Substantial Completion and prior to issuance of the final Certification for Payment, any applicable statute of limitations shall commence to run and any alleged cause of action shall be deemed to have accrued in any and all events not later than the date of issuance of the final Certification for Payment.

11.5.3 AFTER FINAL CERTIFICATION FOR PAYMENT. Except as provided in Paragraph 11.5.4 below, as to acts or failures to act occurring after the relevant date of issuance of the final Certificate for Payment, any applicable statute of limitations shall commence to run and any alleged cause of action shall be deemed to have accrued in any and all events not later than the date of any act or failure to act by the Contractor pursuant to any guaranty provided under Article 9 the date of any correction of the Work or failure to correct the Work by the Contractor under Paragraph 9.4.2, or the date of actual commission of any other act or failure to perform any duty or obligation by the Contractor or Intermountain, whichever occurs last.

- 11.5.4 EXCEPTION. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article 11.5 to the contrary, no applicable statute of limitations shall be deemed to have commenced with respect to any portion of the Work which is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, which would not be visible or apparent upon conducting a reasonable investigation, and which is not discovered by Intermountain until after the date which, but for this Paragraph 11.5.4, would be the date of commencement of the applicable statute of limitations; the applicable statute of limitations instead shall be deemed to have commenced on the date of such discovery by Intermountain.
- 11.6 APPLICABLE LAWS. The applicable laws and regulations of the State of Utah, as well as any applicable local laws and regulations not superseded or exempted by State law, shall govern the execution of the Work embodied in the Contract Documents as well as the interpretation of the Contract Documents.
- **11.7 INTERPRETATION**. In the interest of brevity, the Contract Documents frequently omit modifying words such as □all□and □any□and articles such as □the□and □an□, but the fact that a modification or an article is absent from the statement and appears in another is not intended to affect the interpretation of either statement.
- 11.8 VENUE. In case of any dispute, which may arise under the Contract Documents, the place of venue shall be in the County of Salt Lake, Utah, unless otherwise agreed to by all the parties in writing.
- **11.9 SEVERABILITY**. The invalidity of any part, paragraph, subparagraph, phase, provision or aspect of the Contract documents shall not impair or affect in any manner the validity, enforceability or effect of the remainder of the Contract Documents.
- 11.10 CONSTRUCTION OF WORDS. Unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, words, which have well-known technical or construction industry meanings, shall be construed as having such recognized meanings. Unless the context requires otherwise, all other technical words shall be construed in accordance with the meaning normally established by the particular, applicable profession or industry. All other words, unless the context requires otherwise, shall be construed with an ordinary, plain meaning.
- 11.11 NO THIRD PARTY RIGHTS. These General Conditions create rights and duties only as between Intermountain and Contractor, and Intermountain and A/E. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed as creating third party beneficiary contract rights or other actionable rights or duties as between Contractor and A/E, or as between Intermountain, Contractor, or A/E on the one hand, and any other person or entity.

## ARTICLE 12 TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION OF THE CONTRACT

### 12.1 TERMINATION BY CONTRACTOR

**12.1.1 IN GENERAL**. If the Work is stopped for a period of ninety (90) days through no act or fault of the Contractor or a Subcontractor, or their agents or employees or any other persons performing portions of the Work under contract with any of the above, the Contractor, may terminate the Contract in accordance with 12.1.2 herein below for any of the following reasons:

- (1) Because Intermountain has persistently failed to fulfill fundamental Intermountain's obligations under the Contract Documents with respect to matters important to the progress of the Work;
- (2) Issuance of an order of a court or other public authority having jurisdiction which necessitates such termination, except that where the Contractor has standing, the Contractor must cooperate in efforts to stay and/or appeal such order;
- (3) An act of government, such as a declaration of national emergency, making material unavailable; or
- (4) Unavoidable casualties or other similar causes as listed in Paragraph 12.2.2(2) herein below.
- **12.1.2 NOTICE.** If one of the reasons for termination in Paragraph 12.1.1 hereinabove exist, the Contractor may, upon ten (10) additional days' written notice to Intermountain and A/E, and such condition giving cause for termination still not cured, terminate the Contract and recover from Intermountain payment for Work executed and for proven loss with respect to materials, equipment, tools, and construction equipment and machinery, including reasonable overhead, profit and damages associated only with work completed prior to the notice of termination.

#### 12.2 TERMINATION BY INTERMOUNTAIN FOR CAUSE

- **12.2.1 IN GENERAL**. Intermountain may terminate the Contract if the Contractor fails to cure any of the following within a period of ten (10) days (or longer if Intermountain so approves in writing) after receipt of notice from Intermountain specifying the cause for termination:
- (1) The Contractor persistently or repeatedly refuses or fails to supply enough properly skilled workers or proper materials;
- (2) The Contractor fails to make payment to Subcontractors for materials or labor in accordance with the respective agreements between the Contractor and the Subcontractors;
- (3) The Contractor persistently disregards laws, ordinances, or rules, regulations, resolutions or orders of a public authority having jurisdiction; or
- (4) The Contractor fails to perform the Work within the time specified in the Contract Documents or any authorized extension thereof or the Contractor fails to make progress with the Work as to endanger such compliance;
- (5) The Contractor fails to perform the Work or is otherwise in breach of a material provision of the Contract Documents;
- (6) The Contractor fails to respond promptly to the financial responsibility inquiry under the Contractor's Agreement;
- (7) As permissible by law for a reason to terminate, the Contractor is adjudged bankrupt;

- (8) As permissible by law for a reason to terminate, the Contractor should make a general assignment for the benefit to creditors;
- (9) As permissible by law for a reason to terminate, the Contractor should have a receiver appointed on account of the Contractor's insolvency; or
- (10) The Contractor fails to follow the material safety requirements and precautions either as expressly provided in the Contract Documents or as consistent with the customary practices in the industry.

#### 12.2.2 INTERMOUNTAIN'S RIGHT TO CARRY OUT THE WORK

- (1) If the Contractor defaults or neglects to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents and fails within a ten (10) day period (or longer if approved by Intermountain in writing) after receipt of written notice from Intermountain to cure such default or neglect, Intermountain may without prejudice to other remedies Intermountain may have, correct such deficiencies, including taking over the Work and prosecuting the same to completion, by contract or otherwise, and may take possession of, and utilize in completing the Work, such materials, appliances, and facilities as may be on the site of the Work as well as the site as necessary for its proper completion. In such case, Intermountain shall offset from payments then or thereafter due the Contractor the cost of correcting such deficiencies, including compensation for the A/E, Intermountain's staff and legal counsel's additional services and expenses made necessary by such default, neglect or failure. If payments then or thereafter due the Contractor are not sufficient to cover such amounts, the Contractor shall pay the difference to Intermountain. The Contractor shall continue performance of the Contract to the extent not terminated.
- be liable for any excess costs if the failure to perform the Contract arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor or anyone for whom the Contractor may be liable. Such causes may include, but are not limited to, acts of God or of the public enemy, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, and unusually severe weather; but in every case the failure to perform must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor or anyone for whom the Contractor may be liable. If the failure to perform is caused by the default of a Subcontractor, and if such default arises out of causes beyond the control of both the Contractor and the Subcontractor, and without the fault or negligence of either of them or anyone for whom either may be liable, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs for failure to perform unless the supplies or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to meet the required delivery or completion schedule.

#### 12.2.3 ITEMS REQUIRED TO BE TRANSFERRED OR DELIVERED.

Intermountain may require the Contractor to transfer title and deliver to Intermountain, in the manner and to the extent directed by Intermountain:

- (1) Any completed portion of the Work; and
- (2) Any partially completed portion of the Work and any parts, tools, dies, jigs, fixtures, drawings, information, and contract rights (hereinafter called construction materials) as the Contractor has specifically produced or specifically acquired for the

performance of such part of this Contract as has been terminated; and the Contractor shall, upon direction of Intermountain, protect and preserve property in the possession of the Contractor in which Intermountain has an interest.

- **12.2.4 PAYMENT.** When Intermountain terminates the Contract for one or more of the reasons stated in Paragraph 12.2.1, Intermountain may withhold payment and/or pursue all available remedies.
- 12.2.5 INTERMOUNTAIN PROTECTION IF LIENABLE. When the subject property is lienable, Intermountain may withhold from amounts otherwise due the Contractor for such completed Work or construction materials such sum as Intermountain determines to be necessary to protect Intermountain against loss because of outstanding liens or claims for former lien holders.
- **12.2.6 CREDITS AND DEFICITS**. If the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum exceeds the full cost of finishing the Work, including compensation for the A/E's services and expenses made necessary thereby, such excess shall be paid to the Contractor. If such cost exceeds the unpaid balance, the Contractor shall pay the difference to Intermountain this obligation for payment shall survive the termination of the Contract.
- 12.2.7 IF CONTRACTOR FOUND NOT IN DEFAULT OR EXCUSABLE. If, after notice of termination of the Contract under the provisions of this Article, it is determined for any reason that the Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this Article, or that the default was excusable under the provisions of this Article, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to the termination for convenience provisions.
- **12.2.8 RIGHTS AND REMEDIES NOT EXCLUSIVE**. The rights and remedies of Intermountain provided in this Article 12.2 shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.

# 12.3 SUSPENSION, DELAY OR INTERRUPTION OF WORK BY INTERMOUNTAIN FOR CONVENIENCE

- **12.3.1 BY INTERMOUNTAIN IN WRITING.** Intermountain may in writing and without cause, order the Contractor to suspend, delay or interrupt the Work in whole or in part for such period of time as Intermountain may determine to be appropriate for the convenience of Intermountain.
- **12.3.2 ADJUSTMENTS**. Any adjustment in Contract Sum and Time shall be in accordance with Articles 3, 4, and 7.

#### 12.4 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE OF INTERMOUNTAIN

12.4.1 IN GENERAL. The performance of Work under this Contract may be terminated by Intermountain in accordance with this Article 12.4 in whole, or from time to time, in part, whenever Intermountain shall determine that such termination is in the best interest of Intermountain or any person for whom Intermountain is acting under this Contract. Any such termination shall be effected by delivery to the Contractor of a notice of termination specifying the extent to which performance of Work under the Contract is terminated, and the date upon which such termination becomes effective.

- **12.4.2 CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS**. After receipt of a notice of termination, and except as otherwise directed by Intermountain in writing, the Contractor shall:
- (1) Stop work under the Contract on the date and to the extent specified in the notice of termination;
- (2) Place no further orders or subcontracts for materials, services or facilities, except as may be necessary for completion of such portion of the Work under the Contract as is not terminated;
- (3) Terminate all orders and subcontracts to the extent that they relate to performance of Work terminated by the notice of termination;
- (4) Assign to Intermountain in the manner, at the times, and to the extent directed by Intermountain, all of the right, title and interest of the Contractor under the orders and subcontracts so terminated, in which case Intermountain shall have the right, in its discretion, to settle or pay any or all claims arising out of the termination of such orders and subcontracts;
- (5) Settle all outstanding liabilities and all claims arising out of such termination of orders and subcontracts, with the approval or ratification of Intermountain, which approval or ratification shall be final for all the purposes of this Article 12.4;
- (6) Transfer title and deliver to Intermountain in the manner, at the times, and to the extent, if any, directed by Intermountain:
- (a) The fabricated or unfabricated parts, work in process, completed work, supplies, and other material produced as a part of, or acquired in connection with the performance of the Work terminated by the notice of termination; and
- (b) The completed or partially completed drawings, information, and other property which, if the Contract had been completed, would have been required to be furnished to Intermountain;
- (7) Use best efforts to sell, in the manner, at the times, to the extent, and at the price or prices directed or authorized by Intermountain, any property of the types referred to in Paragraph 12.4.2(6) above; provided, however, that the Contractor:
  - (a) Shall not be required to extend credit to any purchaser; and
- (b) May acquire any such property under the conditions prescribed by and at a price or prices approved by Intermountain; and provided further that the proceeds of any such transfer of or disposition shall be applied in reduction of any payments to be made by Intermountain to the Contractor under this Contract or shall otherwise be credited to the price or cost of the Work covered by this Contract or paid in such other manner as Intermountain may direct;
- (8) Complete performance of such part of the Work as shall not have been terminated by the notice of termination; and

- (9) Take such action as may be necessary, or as Intermountain may direct, for the protection and preservation of the property related to this Contract which is in the possession of the Contractor in which Intermountain has or may acquire an interest.
- **12.4.3 AGREED UPON PAYMENT.** Subject to the provisions of Paragraph 12.4.3 above, the Contractor and Intermountain may agree upon the amount to be paid to the Contractor by reason of the total or partial termination of Work pursuant to this Article 12.4.
- **12.4.4 PAYMENT NOT AGREED UPON**. In the event of the failure of Contractor and Intermountain to agree, as provided in Paragraph 12.4.4, upon the whole amount to be paid to the Contractor by reason of the termination of Work pursuant to this Article 12.4, Intermountain shall pay to the Contractor the amounts determined by Intermountain as follows, but without duplication of any amounts agreed upon in accordance with Paragraph 12.4.3:
- (1) With respect to all Contract Work performed prior to effective date of the notice of termination, the total (without duplication of any items) of:
  - (a) The cost of such Work including undisputed Claim amounts;
- (b) The cost of terminating, settling and paying claims arising out of the termination of Work under subcontracts or orders as provided in Paragraph 12.4.2(5) above, exclusive of the amounts paid or payable on account of supplies or materials delivered or services furnished by Subcontractors prior to the effective date of the notice of termination under this Contract, which amounts shall be included in the cost on account of which payment is made under Paragraph 12.4.4(1)(a) above;
- (c) A sum, as overhead and profit on Paragraph 12.4.4(1) (a) above, determined by Intermountain to be fair and reasonable;
- (d) The reasonable cost of the preservation and protection of property incurred pursuant to Paragraph 12.4.2(9); and any other reasonable cost incidental to termination of Work under this Contract, including expenses incidental to the determination of the amount due to the Contractor as the result of the termination of Work under this Contract.
- (2) The total sum to be paid to the Contractor under Paragraph 12.4.4(1) above shall not exceed the total Contract Sum as reduced by the amount of payments otherwise made and as further reduced by the Contract price of work not terminated. Except for normal spoilage, and except to the extent that Intermountain shall have otherwise expressly assumed the risk of loss in writing, there shall be excluded from the amounts payable to the Contractor under Paragraph 12.4.4(1) above, the fair value of property which is destroyed, lost, stolen, or damaged so as to become undeliverable to Intermountain, or to a buyer pursuant to Paragraph 12.4.2(7).
- **12.4.5 DEDUCTIONS**. In arriving at the amount due the Contractor under this Article 12.4, there shall be deducted:
- (1) All unliquidated advance or other payments on account theretofore made to the Contractor, applicable to the terminated portion of this Contract;
- (2) Any Claim which Intermountain may have against the Contractor in connection with this Contract; and

- (3) The agreed price for, or the proceeds of sale of, any materials, supplies, or other things acquired by the Contractor or sold, pursuant to the provisions of this Article 13.4, and not otherwise recovered by or credited to Intermountain.
- 12.4.6 PARTIAL PAYMENTS. Intermountain may, from time to time, under such terms and conditions as it may prescribe, make partial payments and payments on account against cost incurred by the Contractor in connection with the terminated portion of this Contract whenever, in the opinion of Intermountain the aggregate of such payments shall be within the amount to which the Contractor will be entitled hereunder. If the total of such payments is in excess of the amount finally agreed or determined to be due under this Article 12.4, such excess shall be payable by the Contractor to Intermountain upon demand, together with interest at a rate of five percent (5%) per annum for the period until the date such excess is repaid to Intermountain; provided, however, that no interest shall be charged with respect to any such excess payment attributable to a reduction in the Contractor's claim by reason of retention or other disposition of termination inventory until ten (10) days after the date of such retention or disposition, or such later date as determined by Intermountain by reason of the circumstances.
- 12.4.9 PRESERVE AND MAKE AVAILABLE RECORDS. Unless otherwise provided for in this Contract, or by applicable law, the Contractor shall, from the effective date of termination until the expiration of three years after final settlement under this Contract, preserve and make available to Intermountain at all reasonable times at the office of the Contractor, but without direct charge to Intermountain, all books, records, documents and other evidence bearing on the costs and expenses of the Contractor under this Contract and relating to the Work terminated hereunder, or, to the extent approved by Intermountain Representative, photographs, micrographs, or other authentic reproductions thereof.
- 12.4.10 INTERMOUNTAIN'S RIGHT TO STOP THE WORK. If the Contractor fails to correct Work or fails to carry out Work, as required by the Contract Documents or fails to comply with all required and customary safety precautions; Intermountain, by written order signed personally or by an agent specifically so empowered by Intermountain in writing, may order the Contractor to stop the Work, or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, the right of the Intermountain to stop the Work shall not give rise to a duty on the part of the Intermountain to exercise this right for the benefit of the Contractor or any other person or entity

## INTERMOUNTAIN HEALTHCARE ACCESS AND CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

#### **SECTION 1.0 PURPOSE AND DEFINTION**

- Purpose of this Agreement. Federal and state laws, as well as Intermountain's policies, protect Confidential Information, assure that it remains confidential, and permit it to be used for appropriate purposes. Those laws and policies assure that Confidential Information, which is sensitive and valuable, remains confidential. They also permit you to use Confidential Information only as necessary to accomplish legitimate and a pproved purposes. You need access to Confidential Information because you have one of the following roles:
  - A. An Intermountain Workforce member, which includes volunteers (a "Workforce Member"); or
  - B. An Intermountain-affiliated or Intermountain-credentialed Provider (a "Provider"); or
  - C. A vendor or agent of IHC Health Services, Inc. (a "Vendor" or "Agent").
- 1.2 **Definition**. "Confidential Information" means data proprietary to Intermountain, other companies, or other persons, plus any other information that is private and s ensitive and which Intermountain has a duty to protect. You may learn or access Confidential Information through or al communications, paper documents, computer systems, or through your activities at or with Intermountain. Examples of Confidential Information include the following information that is maintained by, or obtained from, Intermountain:
  - A. An individual's demographic, employment, or health information;
  - B. Peer-review information;
  - C. Intermountain's business information, (e.g., financial and statistical records, strategic plans, internal reports, memos, contracts, peer review information, communications, proprietary computer programs, source code, proprietary technology, etc.); and
  - D. Intermountain's or a Third-party's information (e.g., computer programs, client and vendor proprietary information, source code, proprietary technology, etc.).

#### SECTION 2.0 YOUR DUTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT

- 2.1 Principal Duties. To qualify to access or use Confidential Information, you will comply with the laws and Intermountain policies governing Confidential Information. Your principal duties regarding Confidential Information include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - A. Safeguard the privacy and security of Confidential Information;
  - B. Use Confidential Information only as needed to perform your legitimate and Intermountain-approved responsibilities. This means, among other things, that you will <u>not</u>:
    - (1) Access Confidential Information for which you have no legitimate need to know;
    - (2) Divulge, copy, release, sell, loan, revise, alter, or destroy any Confidential Information except as properly authorized within the scope of your legitimate and Intermountain-approved responsibilities; or
    - (3) Misuse Confidential Information;
  - C. Safeguard, and not disclose, your access code or any other authorization that allows you to access Confidential Information. This means, among other things, that you will:
    - (1) Accept responsibility for all activities undertaken using your access code and other authorization, and
    - (2) Report any suspicion or knowledge that you have that your access code, authorization, or any Confidential Information has been misused or disclosed without Intermountain's permission(Report this suspicion or knowledge to the Intermountain Compliance Hotline at 1-800-442-4845, or, if you are a member of Intermountain's Workforce, to your supervisor or facility compliance coordinator.)
  - D. Not remove Confidential Information from an Intermountain facility unless necessary for your legitimate and Intermountain-approved responsibilities (If removal of Confidential Information from an Intermountain facility is necessary, you will use reasonable and appropriate physical and technical safeguards—such as encrypting electronic Confidential Information.);
  - E. Report activities by any individual or entity that you suspect may compromise the confidentiality of Confidential Information (To the extent permitted by law, Intermountain will hold in confidence reports that are made in good faith about suspect activities, as well as the names of the individuals reporting the activities.);
  - F. Not use or share Confidential Information after termination of your role triggering the requirement to sign this Agreement (For example, if you are a Workforce Member, when you leave Intermountain's employment; if you are a Provider, when you lose your privileges at an Intermountain facility or your privileges to access Confidential Information; and if you are a Vendor or Agent, when you finish your assignment or project with Intermountain or when your company stops doing business with Intermountain, whichever is first.); and
  - G. Claim no right or ownership interest in any Confidential Information referred to in this Agreement.

#### SECTION 3.0 VIOLATION OF DUTY - CHANGE OF STATUS

- 3.1 **Responsibility**. You are responsible for your noncompliance with this Agreement.
- Discipline. If you violate any provision of this Agreement, you will be subject to discipline, including but not limited to, the following:
  - A. If you are a Workforce Member, to dismissal as a member of Intermountain's Workforce, loss of employment with Intermountain, termination of your ability to access Confidential Information, and legal liability;
  - B. If you are a Provider, a Vendor, or an Agent, to discipline, including revocation of your ability to access or use Confidential Information, and legal liability.
- 3.3 **Relief.** Any violation by you of any provision of this Agreement will cause irreparable injury to Intermountain that would not be adequately compensable in monetary damages alone or through other legal remedies, and will entitle Intermountain to the following:
  - A. If you are a Workforce Member, or an Vendor or Agent, to preliminary and permanent injunctive relief, a temporary restraining order, and other equitable relief in addition to damages and other legal remedies; or
  - B. If you are a Provider, to a court order prohibiting your use of Confidential Information except as permitted by this Agreement, and Intermountain may also seek other remedies; and
- 3.4. **Authority**. Intermountain may terminate your access to Confidential Information if your status as a Workforce Member, Provider, Vendor, or Agent changes, if Intermountain determines that to be in the best interests of Intermountain's mission, or if you violate any provision of this Agreement.

<b>SECTION 4.0 Continuing </b>	Obligations.	Your obligations under this	Agreement	continue afte	r termination o	of your statu	s as a Work	force Member,	Provider,
Vendor or Agent									

Printed Name:	
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### **Third Party Remote Access Form**

Company Information	Date of request:
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List all individuals who will be accessing Intermountain	n Healthcare's network (Name and DOB)
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INTERMOUNTAIN Contact Information	
Facility:	Department:
Intermountain Healthcare Steward:	Phone:
Business purpose for requesting access:	
Type of access required (i.e., authority needed):	
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Please fax this form when completed and signed, along with completed and signed 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Confidentiality documents to the following number:

FAX: 801-442-0463



Intermountain Healthcare systems to be accessed (	(Host IP addresses, protocols and ports used, etc):			
Time period for which access is requested:				
Does Intermountain already have a signed Business Associate Agrerement (BAA) in place with the 3rd party?	Does Intermountain already have a support agreement with the appropriate confidentiality agreements signed and submitted?  YES / NO			
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(Please check this at the following URL: <a href="http://ihcweb/enterprise/compliance/hipaa/ba.php">http://ihcweb/enterprise/compliance/hipaa/ba.php</a> If not, the Intermountain Steward will need to obtain one before access can be granted. For more information, please contact: privacy@intermountainmail.org, or the compliance hotline number at1-800-442-4845)	appropriate confidentiality agreement for each individual from the 3 <sup>rd</sup> party company that will be accessing Intermountain's Information Systems)			
Additional Comments:				
To be completed by Intermountain Healthcare's Corporate IS Security Team				
Security/Access Concerns:				
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Request Approved by:				
Intermountain Corporate IS Security	Date Approved			

### **DIVISION 1 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

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#### **SECTION 01 1000**

#### **SUMMARY OF WORK**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Requirements of Division 0 "Procurement and Contracting Requirements" and Division 1 "General Requirements" apply to every section contained in the Project Manual, and shall govern the execution of Work required by the Contract Documents.
- B. Provide everything necessary for and incidental to proper and satisfactory completion of all Work specified and indicated or shown in the Contract Documents.
- C. The Project consists of renovations at the Intermountain Medical Center (IMED) facility to accommodate a new MRI suite.

#### 1.2 PROJECT LOCATION

A. **Facility is located** at Building 5, Intermountain Medical Center, 5121 Cottonwood Street, Murray, Utah. MRI suite is located on Level LL1 of the existing Hospital.

#### 1.3 SEPARATE CONTRACTS

- A. **The Owner may enter into separate contracts for construction**. Each contractor shall be responsible to coordinate efforts with other trade contractors to ensure timely completion of the work.
- B. **Coordinate the Work** of this contract with the work of separate contractors to ensure timely completion of the work.

#### 1.4 CODES

- A. Law of place of building governs. Conform to applicable requirements of the latest editions of the International Building Code, International Building Code Standards, International Mechanical Code, International Plumbing Code, National Electrical Code, National Fire Protection Association requirements, local ordinances, and OSHA requirements applicable to this project, unless a higher standard is called for, without additional cost to the Owner.
- B. **Comply** with **CABO/ANSI A117.1**, American National Standard, "Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities" latest edition which is in force for the project location, for handicapped accessibility.

#### 1.5 CONTRACTOR USE OF PREMISES

- A. **General:** During the construction period the Contractor shall have limited use of the premises for construction operations, including:
  - The Contractor's use of the premises is limited by the Owner's right to conduct business as usual in occupied portions of the building, perform work or to retain other contractors on portions of the Project.

- B. **Use of the Site**: Limit use of the premises to work in areas indicated. Confine operations to areas within contract limits indicated. Do not disturb portions of the site beyond the areas in which the Work is indicated.
  - Driveways and Entrances: Keep driveways and entrances serving the premises clear and available to the Owner and Owner's employees and emergency vehicles at all times. Do not use these areas for parking or storage of materials. Schedule deliveries to minimize space and time requirements for storage of materials and equipment on-site.
  - 2. Do not unreasonably encumber the site with materials or equipment. Confine stockpiling of materials and location of storage sheds to the areas indicated. If additional storage is necessary obtain and pay for such storage off-site.
  - 3. Lock automotive type vehicles such as passenger cars and trucks and other types of mechanized and motorized construction equipment, when parked and unattended, so as to prevent unauthorized use. Do not leave such vehicles or equipment unattended with the motor running or the ignition key in place.

#### 1.7 OWNER'S OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS

- A. **Partial Owner Occupancy:** Owner will occupy the premises during entire construction period, with the exception of areas under construction. Cooperate with Owner during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with Owner's operations. Maintain existing exits, unless otherwise indicated.
  - Maintain access to existing walkways, corridors, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities. Do not close or obstruct walkways, corridors, or other occupied or used facilities without written permission from Owner and authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 2. Provide not less than 72 hours' notice to Owner of activities that will affect Owner's operations.
- B. Owner Access to Completed Areas of Construction: Owner reserves the right to place and install equipment in completed areas of building, before Substantial Completion, provided such placement does not interfere with completion of the Work. Such placement of equipment shall not constitute acceptance of the total Work.
  - 1. On occupancy, Owner will assume responsibility for maintenance and custodial service for occupied portions of building.

#### 1.8 WORK RESTRICTIONS

- A. **On-Site Work Hours**: Work shall be generally performed inside the existing building during normal business working hours of 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturday, except otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Weekend Hours: Contractor shall not work on Sundays.
  - 2. Hours for Utility Shutdowns: Shall not occur during Owner's business hours.
  - 3. Hours for Core Drilling and Slab Removal: Consult with Owner as to best times. Work shall be scheduled with Owner not less than 24 hours in advance of proposed noisy activity.
- B. **Existing Utility Interruptions:** Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary utility services according to requirements indicated:
  - 1. Notify Architect and Owner not less than two days in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
  - 2. Do not proceed with utility interruptions without Architect's written permission.

#### 1.9 INCIDENTAL WORK

- A. **Any work**, materials or equipment that may reasonably be inferred from the Contract Documents as being required to produce the intended result shall be supplied by the Contractor at no additional cost to the owner whether or not specifically called for in the Contract Documents.
- B. The Owner's "**Responsibility Matrix**" follows this section. Provide equipment and services as part of the Work as noted in Matrix.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (NOT USED)

**PART 3 - EXECUTION (NOT USED)** 

**END OF SECTION** 



RESPONSIBILITY MATRIX
The following list identifies the majority of the items that are part of the interior build-out.

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ITEM	STATUS - Furnished / Installed	<u>NOTES</u>	Additional Notes		
OFOI			Data	Power	Backing
Art	Owner / Vendor				
Brochure Racks	Owner / Vendor	G.C. to provide proper backing			
Chart Racks	Owner / Vendor (Midwest-Peter Pepper)	G.C. to provide proper backing			
Copiers, fax	Owner / Vendor		Yes	Yes	
Cup Dispensers	Owner / Vendor				
Exam Tables	Owner / Vendor		Yes		
IV Track	Owner / Vendor				
Moveable Furniture	Owner / Vendor (Midwest Furn.)	Coordinate Modesty Panels with Elec. Outlets.			
Moveable Metal Shelving	Owner / Vendor				
Patient Lifts	Owner / Vendor (Liko-Hill Rom)	G.C. to Coordinate shop drawings and Installation. Connect to Equipment branch if provided.		Yes	
Radiation Protection Certification	Owner / Vender (Medical Physics Consultants)	G.C. to coordinate prior to Gyp.install.			
Recliners / Draw Chairs	Owner / Vendor				
Signage - Exterior	Owner / Vendor (IG Signs, YESCO)	G.C. to provide & coordinate thru-wall conduit sleeves. Intermountain Logo Signs - (2) 20A Circuits InstaCare and other Signs - (1) 20 A Circuits		Yes	
Signage - Interior	Owner / Vendor (Scribbly, Hitech or Chris Johnson)				
Radiology Equipment (X-Ray)	Owner / Vendor (Kellie Andersen)		Yes	Yes	
Clinical Garbage Cans (Clinical, Office, PT, Etc.)	Owner / Owner				
Computers, Printers, Scanners	Owner / Owner	In-ceiling & wall mounts, conduits and boxes mounted by G.C.	Yes	Yes	
Coat Hooks (Offices only)	Owner / Owner	3 2 112 112 112 113 414 55/65 1164 1164 5) 6.6.			
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Keyboard Trays	Owner / Owner				
PACS	Owner / Owner				
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OFCI - (Coordinate location of items with Owner/Users)		1	Data	Power	Backing
Time Clocks	Owner / Contractor	Conduit and boxes by G.C., Coordinate location with Owner	Yes	Yes	
Emergency Phones	Owner / Contractor	Conduit and boxes by G.C.	Yes	Yes	
Ergotron Brackets	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup	Yes	Yes	Yes
Paper Towel Dispensers	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Soap Dispensers	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Toilet Paper Dispensers	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Glove Dispensers	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Hand Sanitizer Dispensers (Avaguard)	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Otoscopes	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup		Yes	
Sharps Disposals	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup			
Procedure Lights	Owner / Contractor	Location coordinated during mockup		Yes	
Scrub Sinks (Carriers)	Owner / Contractor	G.C. to coordinate with Owner for ordering for Install coord.			
Operating Room Boom Mounting Plates	Owner / Contractor	G.C. to coordinate with Owner for ordering for Install coord.			
Digital Projectors, TV's	Owner / Owner	In-ceiling & wall mounts, conduits and boxes mounted by G.C.	Yes	Yes	Yes
UPS	Owner / Contractor	Verify location with Owner		Yes	
CFCI			Data	Power	Backing
Blinds/Shades (manual and powered)	Contractor / Contractor			Yes	Ducking
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Boom Mounting Plates (Equipment, Lighting, Anethesia)	Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner/User on Mounting plates		V	
Clinical Clocks	Contractor / Contractor			Yes	- V
nat and Hone Hooks (Heavy Duty in Dadiology)	Contractor / Contractor				Yes
Coat and Robe Hooks (Heavy Duty in Radiology)		Coordinate with Owner			
Custom White Boards	Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner			Yes
Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards	Contractor / Contractor Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner			Yes Yes
Custom White Boards	Contractor / Contractor			Yes	
Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers	Contractor / Contractor (Medline or C/S)	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access. GC to use Medline "On the Right Track" or C/S "Qwik Track"		Yes	
Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers Med Gas Certification	Contractor / Contractor (Medline or C/S) Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access.	Vaa		
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Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers Med Gas Certification Nurse Call System Diaper Changing Station	Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access. GC to use Medline "On the Right Track" or C/S "Qwik Track"	Yes		
Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers Med Gas Certification Nurse Call System Diaper Changing Station Emergency Shower Station/Eye Wash	Contractor / Contractor (Medline or C/S) Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access. GC to use Medline "On the Right Track" or C/S "Qwik Track"	Yes		Yes
Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers Med Gas Certification Nurse Call System Diaper Changing Station Emergency Shower Station/Eye Wash Fire Extinguishers	Contractor / Contractor	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access. GC to use Medline "On the Right Track" or C/S "Qwik Track"	Yes		Yes
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Custom White Boards Standard white / cork boards Building Alarms / Refrigerator Alarm System Cubicle curtains & Tracks; Shower Curtains, Rods & Hangers Med Gas Certification Nurse Call System Diaper Changing Station Emergency Shower Station/Eye Wash Fire Extinguishers Grab Bars (Rest rooms, Radiology, etc.) Mirrors (Rest rooms, Exams, Radiology, etc.) Pneumatic Tube Systems	Contractor / Contractor (SwissLog)	Coordinate with Owner Stub conduit into accessible ceiling for access. GC to use Medline "On the Right Track" or C/S "Qwik Track" Coordinate vendor with Owner	Yes	Yes	Yes
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#### **SECTION 01 1900**

#### **DEFINITIONS AND STANDARDS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. **Definitions**: Basic Contract definitions are included in the General Conditions.
  - 1. **Directed**: Terms such as "directed", "requested", "authorized", "selected", "approved", "required", and "permitted" mean "directed by the Architect", "requested by the Architect", and similar phrases. However, no implied meaning shall be interpreted to extend the Architect's responsibility into the Contractor's area of construction supervision.
  - 2. **Approve**: The term "approved," where used in conjunction with the Architect's action on the Contractor's submittals, applications, and requests, is limited to the duties and responsibilities of the Architect as stated in General and Supplementary Conditions. Such approval shall not release the Contractor from responsibility to fulfill Contract requirements unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents.
  - 3. **Furnish**: The term "furnish" is used to mean "supply and deliver to the Project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, and similar operations."
  - 4. **Install:** The term "install" is used to describe operations at project site including the actual "unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protecting, cleaning, and similar operations."
  - 5. **Provide**: The term "provide" means "to furnish and install, complete and ready for the intended use."
  - 6. **Protect**: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "protect" is used to describe the process of shielding from harm existing fixtures, elements or materials.
  - 7. **Stabilize**: To apply measures designed to reestablish a weather-resistant enclosure and the structural reinforcement of an item or portion of the building while maintaining the essential form as it exists at present.
  - 8. **Protect and Maintain**: To remove deteriorating corrosion, reapply protective coatings, and install protective measures such as temporary guards; to provide the least degree of intervention.
  - 9. **Remove**: To detach items from existing construction and legally dispose of them off-site unless indicated to be removed and salvaged or removed and reinstalled.
  - 10. **Remove and Salvage**: To detach items from existing construction and deliver them to Owner ready for reuse.
  - 11. **Remove and Reinstall**: To detach items from existing construction, repair and clean them for reuse, and reinstall them where indicated.
  - 12. **Existing to Remain or Retain**: Existing items of construction that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed and salvaged, or removed and reinstalled.
  - 13. **Existing to Remain**: Existing items of construction that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed, removed and salvaged, or removed and reinstalled.

#### B. Specification Format and Conventions:

- Specification Format: The Specifications are organized into Divisions and Sections using the 49-division format and CSI/CSC's "MasterFormat" numbering system.
  - a. Section Identification: The Specifications use section numbers and titles to help cross-referencing in the Contract Documents. Sections in the Project Manual are in numeric sequence; however, the sequence is incomplete. Consult the table of contents at the beginning of the Project Manual to determine numbers and names of sections in the Contract Documents.
- 2. **Specification Content:** The Specifications use certain conventions for style of language and the intended meaning of terms, words, and phrases when used in particular situations. These conventions are as follows.
  - a. **Abbreviated Language**: Language used in the Specifications and other Contract Documents is abbreviated. Words and meanings shall be interpreted as appropriate. Words implied, but not stated shall be inferred as the sense requires. Singular words shall be interpreted as plural, and plural words shall be interpreted as singular where applicable as the context of the Contract Documents indicates.
  - b. mood and streamlined language are generally used in the Specifications. Requirements expressed in the imperative mood are to be performed by Contractor. Occasionally, the indicative or subjunctive mood may be used in the Section Text for clarity to describe responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by Contractor or by others when so noted.
    - 1) 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.

#### C. **Drawing Symbols**:

- Graphic symbols: Where not otherwise noted, symbols are defined by "Architectural Graphic Standards", published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc., latest edition.
  - a. **Mechanical/Electrical Drawings**: Graphic symbols used on mechanical and electrical Drawings are generally aligned with symbols recommended by ASHRAE. Where appropriate, they are supplemented by more specific symbols recommended by technical associations including ASME, ASPE, IEEE, and similar organizations. Refer instances of uncertainty to the Architect for clarification before proceeding.

#### D. **Industry Standards**:

- 1. **Applicability of Standards**: Except where the Contract Documents include more stringent requirements, applicable construction industry standards have the same force and effect as if bound or copied directly into the Contract Documents. Such standards are made a part of the Contract Documents by reference. Individual Sections indicate which codes and standards the Contractor must keep available at the Project Site for reference.
- 2. **Publication Dates**: Where the date of issue of a referenced standard is not specified, comply with the standard in effect as of date of Contract Documents.
- 3. **Conflicting Requirements**: Where compliance with two or more standards is specified, and they establish different or conflicting requirements for minimum quantities or quality levels, the most stringent requirement will be enforced, unless the Contract Documents indicate otherwise. Refer requirements that are different, but apparently equal, and uncertainties as to which quality level is more stringent to the Architect for a decision before proceeding.

- 4. **Copies of Standards**: Each entity engaged in construction on the Project is required to be familiar with industry standards applicable to that entity's construction activity. Copies of applicable standards are not bound with the Contract Documents.
  - a. Where copies of standards are needed for performance of a required construction activity, the Contractor shall obtain copies directly from the publication source.
  - b. **Although copies of standards needed** for enforcement of requirements also may, be included as part of required submittals, the Architect reserves the right to require the Contractor to submit additional copies as necessary for enforcement of requirements.
- E. **Abbreviations and Names**: Trade association names and titles of general standards are frequently abbreviated. Where such acronyms or abbreviations are used in the Specifications or other Contract Documents, they mean the recognized name of the trade association, standards generating organization, authority having jurisdiction, or other entity applicable to the context of the text provision.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 01 2600**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

A. This Section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing Contract modifications.

#### B. Related Sections include the following:

1. Section 01 6000 "**Product Requirements**" for administrative procedures for handling requests for substitutions made after Contract award.

#### 1.3 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

A. **Architect will issue supplemental instructions** authorizing Minor Changes in the Work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time, on forms issued by the Architect or the Owner.

#### 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. Proposal Requests issued by Architect are for information only. Do not consider them instructions either to stop work in progress or to execute the proposed change.
  - 2. Within time specified in Proposal Request 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.
    - Indicate delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
    - c. 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.

- B. **Contractor-Initiated Proposals**: If latent or unforeseen conditions require modifications to the Contract, Contractor may propose changes by submitting a request for a change to the Architect.
  - 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.
  - Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
  - 4. 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.
  - Comply with requirements in Division 1 Section "Product Requirements" if the proposed change requires substitution of one product or system for product or system specified.
- C. **Proposal Request Form**: Use forms issued by the Architect or the Owner.

#### 1.5 CHANGE ORDER PROCEDURES

A. **On Owner's approval of a Proposal Request**, Contractor shall generate Change Orders on a monthly basis.

#### 1.6 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.
  - 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.
  - 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** 

#### **SECTION 01 2900**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This **Section specifies** administrative and procedural requirements necessary to prepare and process Applications for Payment.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 01 2600 **"Contract Modification Procedures"** for administrative procedures for handling changes to the Contract.

#### 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. Correlate line items in the Schedule of Values with other required administrative forms and schedules, including the following:
  - 2. Application for Payment forms with Continuation Sheets.
  - 3. Submittals Schedule.
  - 4. Submit the Schedule of Values to Architect at earliest possible date but no later than seven days before the date scheduled for submittal of initial Applications for Payment.
  - 5. Sub-schedules: Where the Work is separated into phases requiring separately phased payments, provide sub-schedules showing values correlated with each phase of payment.
- B. **Format and Content**: Use the 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.
  - 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 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. Name of manufacturer or fabricator.
  - e. Name of supplier.
  - f. Change Orders (numbers) that affect value.
  - g. Dollar value.
    - 1) Percentage of the Contract Sum to nearest one-hundredth percent, adjusted to total 100 percent.
- 3. Provide a breakdown of the Contract Sum in enough detail to facilitate continued evaluation of Applications for Payment and progress reports. Coordinate with the Project Manual table of contents. Provide several line items for principal subcontract amounts, where appropriate.
  - a. Include line items for Commissioning under principal subcontract amounts, where appropriate.
- 4. Round amounts to nearest whole dollar; total shall equal the Contract Sum.
- 5. 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. Include evidence of insurance or bonded warehousing if required.
- 6. 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.
- 7. 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.
- 8. 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. **General**: Each Application for Payment shall be consistent with previous applications and payments as certified by Architect and paid for by Owner.
  - 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. **Payment Application Forms**: Use AIA Document G702 and AIA Document G703 Continuation Sheets 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 of Change Orders and Construction Change Directives issued before last day of construction period covered by application.
- E. **Transmittal**: Submit **one signed and notarized original copy** of each Application for Payment to Architect by a method ensuring receipt within 24 hours. One copy shall include waivers of lien and similar attachments if required.
  - 1. Transmit each copy with a transmittal form listing attachments and recording appropriate information about application.
- F. **Application for Payment at Substantial Completion**: After issuing the Certificate of Substantial Completion, submit an Application for Payment showing 100 percent completion for portion of the Work claimed as substantially complete.
  - Include documentation supporting claim that the Work is substantially complete, including commissioning and a statement showing an accounting of changes to the Contract Sum.
  - 2. This application shall reflect Certificates of Partial Substantial Completion issued previously for Owner occupancy of designated portions of the Work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

**PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED** 

**END OF SECTION** 

# **SECTION 01 3100**

#### 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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **This Section includes** administrative provisions for coordinating construction operations on Project including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. General project coordination procedures.
  - 2. Conservation.
  - 3. Coordination Drawings.
  - 4. File Transfer.
  - 5. Administrative and supervisory personnel.
  - 6. Project meetings.
- B. **Contractor must participate** in coordination requirements.
- C. **Related Sections**: The following Sections contain requirements that relate to this Section:
  - Section 01 7300 "Execution Requirements" for procedures for coordinating general installation and field-engineering services, including establishment of benchmarks and control points.
  - Section 01 7700 "Closeout Procedures" for coordinating Contract closeout.

# 1.3 COORDINATION

- A. **Coordination**: Coordinate construction operations included in various 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 with other contractors to ensure maximum accessibility for required maintenance, service, and repair.
  - 3. Make adequate provisions to accommodate items scheduled for later installation.
- B. **Memoranda**: If necessary, 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.

- 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. Preinstallation conferences.
  - 7. Project closeout activities.
- D. **Administrative Requirements:** Contractor shall submit all project related information (i.e. submittals, RFI's, ASI's, addenda, construction documents, project logs, field reports, and meeting minutes) using the Owner's Submittal Exchange. Architect will provide access information to the Contractor at the pre-construction meeting or as appropriate to the schedule of the project.
  - Contractor shall employ a PDF review software system such as Blue Beam (www.bluebeam.com) or another similar system for producing, formatting, and marking-up project related documents. Contractor shall review all the documents and add their stamp and comments directly to the PDF prior to posting for the Architect to review.
  - 2. Contractor shall provide to the Architect and Owner an electronic archive of all data at the end of the project via DVD(s) for final project records.
- E. **Contractor is to keep a printed record** of all Construction Documents including all clarifications, RFI's and approved changes to the Contract on site.
- F. **Conservation**: Coordinate construction activities to ensure that operations are carried out with consideration given to conservation of energy, water, and materials.
  - 1. Salvage materials and equipment involved in performance of, but not actually incorporated into, the Work.

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Staff Names**: Within 5 business days of starting construction operations, submit a list of principal staff 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 and office telephone numbers. Provide names, addresses, and telephone numbers of individuals assigned as standbys 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.
- B. **Submittal Log**: See section 'Submittals' for electronic delivery and record keeping.
- C. **Coordination Drawings**: Provide complete coordination drawings as specified in "Coordination Meetings and Submittals".

# 1.5 ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL

- A. **General**: In addition to Project superintendent, provide other administrative and supervisory personnel as required for proper performance of the Work.
- B. **Perform project quality control** in accordance with requirements specified in Related Sections, including:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Quality Control Services".
  - 2. Division 1 Section "Construction Waste Management and Disposal".

# 1.6 CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS DOCUMENTATION

# A. **Progress Photographs**:

- 1. Photographically document site conditions prior to start of construction operations.
- 2. Take weekly photographs throughout the entire project. Photographs shall be provided for unrestricted use by Owner.
  - a. Indicate photographs demonstrating environmental procedures.

# 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.
  - Agenda: Prepare the meeting agenda. Distribute the agenda to all invited attendees.
  - 3. Minutes: Record significant discussions and agreements achieved. Distribute the meeting minutes to everyone concerned, including Owner and Architect, within 3 days of the meeting.
- B. **Preconstruction Conference**: Schedule a preconstruction conference before starting construction, at a time convenient to Owner and Architect, but no later than 15 days after execution of the Agreement. Hold the conference at Project site or another convenient location. Conduct the meeting to review responsibilities and personnel assignments.
  - 1. Attendees: Authorized representatives of Owner, Architect, and their consultants; Contractor and its superintendent; major subcontractors; manufacturers; suppliers; and other concerned parties shall attend the conference. All participants at the conference shall be familiar with Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.
  - 2. Agenda: Discuss items of significance that could affect progress, including the following:
    - a. Tentative construction schedule.
    - b. Phasing.
    - c. Critical work sequencing.
    - d. Designation of responsible personnel.
    - e. Procedures for processing field decisions and Change Orders.
    - f. Procedures for processing Applications for Payment.
    - g. Distribution of the Contract Documents.
    - h. Submittal procedures.
    - i. Preparation of Record Documents.

- j. Use of the premises.
- k. Responsibility for temporary facilities and controls.
- I. Parking availability.
- m. Office, work, and storage areas.
- n. Equipment deliveries and priorities.
- o. First aid.
- p. Security.
- q. Progress cleaning.
- r. Working hours.
- 3. **Documentation:** Furnish Architect certificate of insurance naming VCBO as an additional insured.
- C. Progress Meetings: Conduct progress meetings at intervals as agreed by Owner, Contractor and Design Professionals. Coordinate dates of meetings with preparation of payment requests.
  - 1. Reporting: Distribute minutes of the meeting to each party present and to parties who should have been present. Include a brief summary, in narrative form, of progress since the previous meeting and report.
    - 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.

# 1.8 REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION (RFI)

- A. **Procedure:** Immediately on discovery of the need for interpretation of Contract Document, and if not possible to request interpretation at Project meeting, prepare and submit an RFI in the form specified.
  - 1. RFIs shall be submitted by the Contractor. RFIs submitted by entities other than Contractor will be returned with no response.
  - Coordinate and submit RFIs in a prompt manner so as to avoid delays in Contractor's work or work of subcontractors.
  - 3. Contractor is to keep a printed record of all RFI's and post them on the 'Record Drawings' kept on site.
- B. **Content of the RFI**: Include a detailed, legible description of item needing interpretation and the following:
  - 1. Project name.
  - 2. Date.
  - 3. Name of Contractor.
  - 4. Name of Architect and Owner.
  - 5. RFI number, numbered sequentially.
  - 6. Specification Section number and title and related paragraphs, as appropriate.
  - 7. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.
  - 8. Field dimensions and conditions, as appropriate.
  - 9. Contractor's suggested solution(s). If Contractor's solution(s) impact the Contractor Time or the Contract Sum, Contractor shall state impact in the RFI.
  - Contractor's signature.
  - 11. Attachments: Include drawings, descriptions, measurements, photos, Product Data, Shop Drawings, and other information necessary to fully describe items needing interpretation.
    - a. Supplementary drawings prepared by Contractor shall include dimensions, thickness, structural grid references, and details of affected materials, assemblies, and attachments.

#### C. Electronic RFI's:

- 1. RFI's shall be processed and delivered electronically through web-based RFI processing software (via Owner's Submittal Exchange).
- 2. Identify each page of attachments with the General Contractors RFI number and sequential page number.
- 3. Attachments shall be electronic files in PDF format.
- D. **Architect's Action**: Architect will review each RFI, determine action required, and return it. Allow seven working days for Architect's response for each RFI. RFI's received afer 1:00 p.m. will be considered as received the following working day.
  - 1. The following RFIs will be returned without action:
    - Requests for approval of submittals.
    - b. Request for approval of substitutions.
    - c. Requests for coordination information already indicated in the Contract Documents.
    - d. Request for adjustments in the Contract Time or Contract Sum.
    - e. Requests for interpretation of Architect's actions on submittals.
    - f. Incomplete RFIs or RFI with numerous errors.
  - 2. Architect's action may include a request for additional information, in which case Architect's Time for response will start again.
  - 3. Architect's action on RFI that may result a change to the Contract Time or the Contract Sum may be eligible for Contractor to submit Change Proposal according to Division 01 Section "Contract Modification Procedures."
    - a. If Contractor believes the RFI response warrants change in the Contract Time or the Contract Sum, notify Architect and Owner in writing within 10 calendar days of receipt of the RFI response.
- E. **On receipt of Architect's Owner's action**, update the RFI log and immediately distribute the RFI response to the affected parties. Review response and notify Architect and Owner within seven calendar days if Contractor disagrees with response.
- F. **RFI Log**: Prepare, maintain, and submit a tabular log of RFIs organized by RFI number. Submit log monthly.
  - 1. Project name.
  - 2. Name and address of Contractor.
  - 3. Name and address of Architect and Owner.
  - 4. RFI number including RFIs that were dropped and not submitted.
  - 5. RFI description.
  - 6. Date the RFI was submitted.
  - 7. Date Architect's and Owner's response was received.
  - 8. Identification of related Minor Change in the Work, Construction Change Directive, and Proposal Request, as appropriate.
  - 9. Identification of related Field Order, Work Change Directive, and Proposal Request, as appropriate.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED** 

**PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED** 

**END OF SECTION** 

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# **SECTION 01 3313**

#### **SUBMITTALS**

# **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. This Section specifies **administrative and procedural requirements for submittals** required for performance of the Work, including:
  - 1. Contractor's construction schedule.
  - 2. Daily construction reports.
  - 3. Shop Drawings.
  - 4. Product Data.
  - 5. Samples.
  - 6. Delegated Design/Deferred Submittals for review by the Building Code Official.
- B. **Administrative Submittals**: Refer to other Division-1 Sections and other Contract Documents for requirements for administrative submittals. Such submittals include, but are not limited to:
  - 1. Applications for payment.
  - 2. Performance and payment bonds.
  - 3 Insurance certificates
  - 4. List of Subcontractors.

# C. Related Sections:

- Section 01 3100 "Project Management and Coordination" for electronic web-based construction administration software (using Owner's Submittal Exchange).
- 2. Section 01 4000 "Quality Control Services" for inspection and test reports.

# 1.3 ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL DELIVERY

- A. **To minimize printing reimbursables**, shipping reimbursables and the impact on the environment, process and deliver submittals electronically through Submittal Exchange.
  - 1. One complete hard copy of each submittal shall also be furnished for verification of the completeness of electronic submission, if requested by Architect.
- B. **Construction Manager or General Contractor** must first review and approve submittals sent by Subcontractors prior to sending to Architect. Include Contractor's certification that information complies with Contract Document requirements; record deviations from Contract Document requirements, including minor variations and limitations.
  - 1. Contractor shall coordinate numbering system and nomenclature with Architect prior to first submissions.
  - 2. Email notifications of items delivered to Submittal Exchange shall be sent to both the project manager and the appropriate administrative assistant in the Architect's office simultaneously with posting to Submittal Exchange.

- C. **Submittals must follow the requirements outlined** in this specification and as required in individual specification sections.
- D. **Deliver the following** to the Architect electronically in pdf format:
  - Product Data
  - 2. Shop Drawings
  - Certifications
  - Test Data
  - 5. Schedules
  - 6. Calculations
  - 7. Mix Designs
  - 8. Warranty Information

# E. Samples and Color Selection

- Log physical samples via Submittal Exchange, but deliver by mail or courier to the Architect for review.
- 2. Samples and color selection will not be reviewed electronically.
- 3. See separate specification sections for quantities and sample selection process. The Architect shall return review comments via the Architect's File Transfer Site.

# F. Submittal Stamps

 Contractor or Construction Manager shall affix an electronic stamp to PDF submittals.

# G. Submittal Logs

 Architect shall maintain a submittal log through Submittal Exchange, however, General Contractor or Construction Manager shall be responsible for maintaining the official submittal log.

# 1.4 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

- A. **No submittal will be accepted** by the Architect **without the General Contractor's action stamp**, clearly visible, indicating that the submittal has been fully reviewed by the General Contractor for compliance to the Construction Documents.
- B. **Submittals with the General Contractor's stamp but not in compliance** with the Construction Documents will be deemed incomplete and returned without review. These will not be shown as received.
- C. **Coordination**: Coordinate preparation and processing of submittals with performance of construction activities. Transmit each submittal sufficiently in advance of performance of related construction activities to avoid delay.
  - Coordinate transmittal of different types of submittals for related elements of the Work so processing will not be delayed by the need to review submittals concurrently for coordination.
    - a. The Architect reserves the right to withhold action on a submittal requiring coordination with other submittals until related submittals are received.

- D. **Processing Time**: Allow enough time for submittal review, including time for resubmittals, as follows. Time for review shall commence on Architect's receipt of submittal.
  - Initial Review: Allow 14 calendar days for initial review of each submittal. Allow additional time if processing must be delayed to permit coordination with subsequent submittals. Architect will advise Contractor when a submittal being processed must be delayed for coordination.
  - 2. Concurrent Review: Where concurrent review of submittals by Architect's consultants, Owner, or other parties is required, allow 21 calendar days for initial review of each submittal.
  - 3. Deferred Submittal Review: Where deferred submittals are required by the Building Code Official allow review time as dictated by the Official.
  - 4. If intermediate submittal is necessary, process it in same manner as initial submittal.
  - 5. Allow 14 calendar days for processing each resubmittal.
  - 6. No extension of the Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals enough in advance of the Work to permit processing.
- E. **Submittal Preparation**: Place a permanent label or title block on each submittal for identification. Indicate the name of the entity that prepared each submittal on the label or title block.
  - Include the following information on the label for processing and recording action taken.
    - a. Project name.
    - b. Date.
    - c. Name and address of Architect.
    - d. Name and address of Contractor.
    - e. Name and address of Subcontractor.
    - f. Name and address of Supplier.
    - g. Name of Manufacturer.
- F. **Submittal Transmittal**: Package each submittal appropriately for transmittal and handling. Transmit each submittal from Contractor to Architect using a transmittal form. Submittals received from sources other than the Contractor will be returned without action.
  - 1. On the form, or separate sheet, record deviations from Contract Document requirements, including minor variations and limitations. Include Contractor's certification that information complies with Contract Document requirements.
- G. **Submittal requirements** for electronic PDF submittals:
  - Create submittals with native PDF files whenever possible. Do not print a PDF file, and scan in as an image file, as this will delete all file search functions typically embedded within a native PDF file.
  - 2. Break down PDF submittals by individual specification section. Do not collate multiple specification sections together into one non-separated submittal package (i.e. carpet, VCT, rubber base, and entry mats; though frequently provided by one installer, shall not be submitted as one non-separated package unless formatted as described below.)
  - 3. All PDF submittals that cover multiple items within one specification section, or PDF submittals that include multiple related specification sections shall have an index and be formatted with electronic book marks to distinguish various components from one another, and make each item easily retrievable without navigating through each page of an entire submittal.

#### 1.5 CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

- A. **Bar-Chart Schedule**: Prepare a fully developed, horizontal bar-chart type Contractor's construction schedule.
  - 1. Provide a separate time bar for each significant construction activity. Provide a continuous vertical line to identify the first working day of each week. Use the same breakdown of units of the Work as indicated in the "Schedule of Values".
  - 2. Within each time bar indicate estimated completion percentage in 10 percent increments. As Work progresses, place a contrasting mark in each bar to indicate Actual Completion.
  - 3. Prepare the schedule on a sheet of sufficient width to show data for the entire construction period.
  - 4. Secure time commitments for performing critical elements of the Work from parties involved. Coordinate each element on the schedule with other construction activities; include minor elements involved in the sequence of the Work. Show each activity in proper sequence. Indicate graphically sequences necessary for completion of related portions of the Work.
  - 5. Coordinate the Contractor's construction schedule with the schedule of values, list of subcontracts, submittal schedule, progress reports, payment requests and other schedules.
  - 6. Indicate completion in advance of the date established for Substantial Completion. Indicate Substantial Completion on the schedule to allow time for the Architect's procedures necessary for certification of Substantial Completion.
- B. **Distribution**: Following response to the initial submittal, print and distribute copies to the Architect, Owner, subcontractors, and other parties required to comply with scheduled dates. Post copies in the Project meeting room and temporary field office.
  - 1. When revisions are made, distribute 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 construction activities.
- C. **Schedule Updating**: Revise the schedule after each meeting or activity, where revisions have been recognized or made. Issue the updated schedule concurrently with report of each meeting.

#### 1.6 DAILY CONSTRUCTION REPORTS

- A. **Daily Construction Report:** Prepare a daily construction report, recording the following information concerning events at the site; and submit duplicate copies to the Architect at weekly intervals:
  - 1. List of subcontractors at the site.
  - 2. Approximate count of personnel at the site.
  - 3. High and low temperatures, general weather conditions.
  - 4. Accidents and unusual events.
  - 5. Meetings and significant decisions.
  - 6. Stoppages, delays, shortages, losses.
  - 7. Meter readings and similar recordings.
  - 8. Orders and requests of governing authorities.
  - 9. Change Orders received, implemented.
  - 10. Services connected, disconnected.

- B. **Material Location Reports**: At monthly intervals, prepare 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.
- C. **Field Condition Reports**: Immediately on discovery of a difference between field conditions and the Contract Documents, prepare a detailed report. Submit with a request for information on CSI Form 13.2A. Include a detailed description of the differing conditions, together with recommendations for changing the Contract Documents.

# 1.7 SPECIAL REPORTS

- A. **General**: Submit special reports directly to Owner within one day 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.

# 1.8 SHOP DRAWINGS

- A. **Submit newly prepared information**, drawn to accurate scale. Highlight, encircle, or otherwise indicate deviations from the Contract Documents. Do not reproduce Contract Documents or copy standard information as the basis of Shop Drawings.
- B. **Shop Drawings include** fabrication and installation drawings, setting diagrams, schedules, patterns, templates and similar drawings. Include the following information:
  - 1. Dimensions.
  - 2. Identification of products and materials included.
  - 3. Compliance with specified standards.
  - 4. Notation of coordination requirements.
  - 5. Notation of dimensions established by field measurement.
- C. **Sheet Size**: Submit Shop Drawings, layout drawings and other Revit or CADD style sheets formatted for 24 x 36 inch or 30 x 42 inch sheets. Details and drawings are to match or exceed construction bid document scales. All drawings are to be submitted to scale. All other product brochures and cut sheets can be provided in an 8-1/2 x 11 format.
- D. **Final Electronic Submittal**: Submit 2 prints, one for the Architect and one for the Owner at the end of the project or as requested by the parties during construction.
  - 1. If submittal was reviewed by members of the design team other than the Architect, provide an additional copy of the submittal for each design firm.
  - 2. The prints shall be marked-up and maintained as a "Record Document".

#### 1.9 DELEGATED DESIGN/DEFERRED SUBMITTALS

- A. **Performance and Design Criteria**: Where professional design services or certifications by a design professional are specifically required of Contractor by the Contract Documents, provide products and systems complying with specific performance and design criteria indicated.
  - 1. If criteria indicated are not sufficient to perform services or certification required, submit a written request for additional information to Architect.
- B. Delegated-Design Services Certification: In addition to Shop Drawings, Product Data, and other required submittals, submit digitally signed PDF electronic file and three paper copies of certificate, signed and sealed by the responsible design professional, for each product and system specifically assigned to Contractor to be designed or certified by a design professional.
  - 1. Indicate that products and systems comply with performance and design criteria in the Contract Documents. Include list of codes, loads, and other factors used in performing these services.
- C. **Refer to the General Information sheet** on the Drawings for a list of required delegated design/deferred submittals.
- D. Submit deferred submittals on same size sheet as original drawings (30 x 42 or 8 1/2 x 11). Drawings and calculations shall be on the Design Professional's title block stating the project name and all other items specified under 'Submittal Preparation' above.
- E. **Furnish deferred submittals to the Architect** who will electronically submit to the Building Code Official for review as required by the IBC.
- F. Contractor shall include these submittal sheets in the Record Documents.

# 1.10 PRODUCT DATA

- A. Submit in timely manner to complete project, but no later than 90 days after Notice of Award.
- B. Collect Product Data into a single submittal for each element of construction or system. Product Data includes printed information such as manufacturer's installation instructions, catalog cuts, standard color charts, roughing-in diagrams and templates, standard wiring diagrams and performance curves. Where Product Data must be specially prepared because standard printed data is not suitable for use, submit as "Shop Drawings."
  - Mark each copy to show applicable choices and options. Where printed Product
    Data includes information on several products, some of which are not required,
    mark copies to indicate the applicable information. Include the following
    information:
    - a. Manufacturer's printed recommendations.
    - b. Compliance with recognized trade association standards.
    - c. Compliance with recognized testing agency standards.
    - d. Application of testing agency labels and seals.
    - e. Notation of dimensions verified by field measurement.
- C. **Do not submit Product Data until** compliance with requirements of the Contract Documents has been confirmed.

- D. **Submittals**: Submit 4 copies of each required submittal; submit 6 copies where required for maintenance manuals. The Architect will retain one, and will return the other marked with action taken and corrections or modifications required.
- E. **Electronic Submittals**: Submit a pdf copy of each required submittal; include copies where required for maintenance manuals. See electronic submittal delivery and submittal procedures for further requirements

#### 1.11 SAMPLES

- A. Submit in timely manner to complete project, but no later than 90 days after Notice of Award.
- B. **Samples**: Submit full-size, fully fabricated samples cured and finished as specified and physically identical with the material or product proposed. Samples include partial sections of manufactured or fabricated components, cuts or containers of materials, color range sets, and swatches showing color, texture and pattern.
- C. **Submittals**: Except for Samples illustrating assembly details, workmanship, fabrication techniques, connections, operation and similar characteristics, submit 3 sets; one will be returned marked with the action taken.
  - 1. Maintain sets of samples and a file of product submittals, as returned, at the Project site, for quality comparisons and product verification throughout the course of construction.

#### 1.12 CONTRACTOR'S REVIEW

- A. **Contractor's Review:** Review each submittal and check for compliance with the Contract Documents. Note corrections and field dimensions. Mark with approval stamp before submitting to Architect.
- B. **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.
- C. **Submittals not marked** with an approval stamp and those not in compliance with the Construction Documents shall be returned without further review. It is the Contractor's responsibility to review submittals for compliance prior to forwarding the submittal to the Design Team for review.

#### 1.13 ARCHITECT'S ACTION

- A. **Architect's Action**: Except for submittals for record, information or similar purposes, where action and return is required or requested, the Architect will review each submittal, mark to indicate action taken, and return promptly.
  - 1. Compliance with specified characteristics is the Contractor's responsibility.

- B. **Action Stamp**: The Architect will stamp each submittal with a uniform, self-explanatory action stamp. The stamp will be appropriately marked to indicate the action taken.
  - 1. Corrections or comments made on the shop drawings during this review do not relieve the Contractor from compliance with requirements of the drawings and specifications. This check is only for review of general conformance with the design concept of the project and general compliance with the information given in the contract documents. The Contractor is responsible for; confirming and correlating all quantities and dimensions; selecting fabrication processes and techniques of construction; coordinating his work with that of all other trades; and performing his work in a safe and satisfactory manner.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED** 

**PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED** 

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 01 5050**

#### **TEMPORARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

# 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This section **specifies administrative and procedural requirements** for temporary services and facilities, including such items as temporary utility services, temporary construction and support facilities, and project security and protection.
- B. **Temporary construction and support facilities** required for the project include but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Sanitary facilities, including drinking water.
  - 2. Hoists.
  - 3. First aid station.
  - 4. Waste disposal services.
  - 5. Construction aids and miscellaneous general services and facilities.
- C. **Security and protection facilities** and services required for the project include but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Temporary fire protection.
  - 2. Barricades, warning signs, lights.
  - 3. Enclosure fence for stored material.
  - 4. Environmental protection.

# 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Regulations**: **Comply with requirements** of local laws and regulations governing construction and local industry standards, in the installation and maintenance of temporary services and facilities, including but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Building codes, including requirements for permits, testing and inspection.
  - 2. Health and safety regulations.
  - 3. Utility company regulations and recommendations governing temporary utility services.
  - 4. Environmental protection regulations governing use of water and energy, and the control of dust, noise and other nuisances.
- B. **Standards**: Comply with the requirements of NFPA Code 241, "Building Construction and Demolition Operations", and ANSI A-10 Series standards for "Safety Requirements for Construction and Demolition", and the NECA National Joint Guideline NJG-6 "Temporary Job Utilities and Services."
- C. Refer to the most current "Guidelines for Bid Conditions for Temporary Job Utilities and Services", as prepared jointly be AGC and ASC industry recommendations.

#### 1.3 JOB CONDITIONS

A. General: Provide each temporary service and facility ready for use at each location when the service or facility is first needed to avoid delay in the performance of the work. Maintain, expand as required and modify temporary services and facilities as needed throughout the progress of the Work. Do not remove until services or facilities are no longer needed, or are replaced by the authorized use of completed permanent facilities.

- B. **Conditions of Use**: Operate temporary services and facilities in a safe and efficient manner. Do not overload temporary services or facilities, and do not permit them to interfere with the progress of the work. Do not allow unsanitary conditions, public nuisances or hazardous conditions to develop or persist on the site.
  - 1. Temporary Construction and Support Facilities: Maintain temporary facilities in such a manner as to prevent discomfort to users. Take necessary fire prevention measures. Maintain temporary support facilities in a sanitary manner so as to avoid health problems and other deleterious effects.
  - 2. Security and Protection: Maintain site security and protection facilities in a safe, lawful and publicly acceptable manner. Take necessary measures to prevent erosion of the site.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. **General:** Provide new materials and equipment for temporary services and facilities, used materials and equipment that are undamaged and in serviceable condition may be used, if acceptable to the Architect.
- B. **Temporary Construction and Support Facilities:** Provide facilities that can be maintained properly throughout their use at the project site.
- C. **Temporary Offices and Similar Construction:** For temporary offices, fabrication shops, storage sheds and similar construction, provide either standard prefabricated or mobile units or the equivalent job-built construction.
  - 1. Self-contained Toilet Units: Provide single-occupant self-contained toilet units of the chemical, aerated recirculation, or combustion type, properly vented and fully enclosed with a glass fiber reinforced polyester shell or similar non-absorbent material.
  - 2. Tarpaulins: Provide waterproof, fire-resistant, UL labeled tarpaulins with a flame-spread rating of 15 or less.
  - 3. First Aid Supplies: Comply with governing regulations and recognized recommendations within the construction industry.
  - 4. Drinking Water: Provide potable water approved by local health authorities.
  - 5. Sign Materials: For signs and directory boards, provide exterior type, Grade B-B High Density Concrete Form Overlay Plywood conforming to PS-1, of sizes and thicknesses indicated. Provide exterior grade acrylic-latex-base enamel for painting panels and applying graphics.
- D. **Fire Extinguishers**: Provide type "A" fire extinguishers for temporary offices and similar spaces where there is a minimal danger of electrical or grease-oil-flammable liquid fires. In other locations provide type "ABC" dry chemical extinguishers, or a combination of several extinguishers of NFPA recommended types for the exposures in each case.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **General:** Use qualified tradesmen for installation of temporary services and facilities. Locate temporary services and facilities where they will serve the entire project adequately and result in minimum interference with the performance of the Work.
  - 1. Relocate, modify and extend services and facilities as required during the course of work so as to accommodate the entire work of the project.

#### 3.2 TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT FACILITIES INSTALLATION

- A. **General**: Provide a reasonably neat and uniform appearance in temporary construction and support facilities acceptable to the Architect/Engineer and the Owner.
  - 1. Locate field offices, storage and fabrication sheds and other support facilities for easy access to the Work. Position offices so that windows give the best possible view of construction activities.
  - 2. Maintain field offices, storage and fabrication sheds, temporary sanitary facilities, waste collection and disposal systems, and project identification and temporary signs until near substantial completion. Immediately prior to substantial completion remove these facilities.
- B. **Sanitary Facilities**: Sanitary facilities include temporary toilets, wash facilities and drinking water fixtures. Comply with governing regulations including safety and health codes for the type, number, location, operation and maintenance of fixtures and facilities; provide not less than specified requirements. Install in locations that will best serve the project's needs.
  - 1. Sanitary facilities located within the existing facility will not be permitted to be used by the Contractor.
- C. Hoists: Provide adequate facilities for hoisting materials and employees. Do not permit employees to ride hoists which comply only with requirements for hoisting materials. The Contractor is responsible for selection of type, size, and number of facilities. Truck cranes and similar devices used for hoisting are considered as being "tools and equipment" and not temporary facilities.

# D. Collection and Disposal of Wastes:

- 1. Establish a system for daily collection and disposal of waste or extraneous materials from all construction areas on site that may present a hazard to the project, its craftsmen and the expeditious construction of the work. The Contractor shall provide to the Owner a satisfactory method to assure clean-up is performed in a timely and expeditious fashion. Enforce requirements strictly. Do not hold collected materials at the site longer than 1 day. Handle waste materials that are hazardous, dangerous, or unsanitary separately from other inert waste by containerizing appropriately. Dispose of waste material in a lawful manner.
  - a. Burying or burning of waste materials on the site will not be permitted.
  - b. Washing waste materials down sewers or into waterways will not be permitted.
  - c. Provide rodent proof containers located on each floor level of construction work, to encourage depositing of lunch garbage and similar wastes by construction personnel.
- 2. The Owner reserves the right to withhold payments and perform the clean-up, if necessary, at the expense of the Contractor, if unsatisfactory clean-up efforts are not performed in a timely fashion.

# E. Construction Aids and Miscellaneous Services and Facilities:

- Design, construct, and maintain construction aids and miscellaneous general services and facilities as needed to accommodate performance of the work. Construction aids and miscellaneous general services and facilities include, but or not limited to the following:
  - a. Temporary stairs and ladders.
  - b. Guardrails and barriers.
- 2. Stairs: Provide temporary stairs where ladders are not adequate for performance of work.
- 3. Guardrails and Barriers: Provide guardrails at all unprotected edges of floor and roof openings, and at perimeter of roof and unenclosed floors.

#### 3.3 SECURITY AND PROTECTION FACILITIES INSTALLATION

A. **General:** Provide a reasonably neat and uniform appearance to security and protection facilities acceptable to the Architect/Engineer and the Owner.

# B. **Temporary Fire Protection:**

- Install and maintain temporary fire protection facilities of the types needed to adequately protect against reasonably predictable and controllable fire losses. Comply with applicable recommendations of the NFPA Standard 10 "Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers". Locate fire extinguishers where they are most convenient and effective for their intended purpose. Store combustible materials in containers in recognized fire-safe locations.
- 2. Develop and supervise an overall fire prevention and first-aid fire protection program for personnel at the project site. Review needs with the local fire department officials and establish procedures to be followed. Instruct personnel in methods and procedures to be followed. Post warnings and information and enforce strict discipline. Maintain unobstructed access to fire extinguishers, fire hydrants, temporary fire protection facilities, stairways and other access routes for fighting fires. Prohibit smoking of any kind on school property. Provide supervision of welding operations, and similar sources of ignition for possible fires.

# C. Security Enclosure and Lockups:

- Install general temporary enclosure of partially completed areas of construction. Provide locking entrances adequate to deter unauthorized entrance, vandalism, theft and similar deleterious effects of violations of project security.
- 2. Storage: Where materials and equipment must be temporarily stored, prior to and during construction, and are of substantial value or are attractive for possible theft, provide a secure lockup and enforce strict discipline in connection with the timing of installation and release of materials, so that the opportunity for theft and vandalism is minimized.
- D. **General Environmental Protection:** Provide general protection facilities, operate temporary facilities, conduct construction activities, and enforce strict discipline for personnel on the site in ways and by methods that comply with environmental regulations, and that minimize the possibility that air, waterways and subsoil might be contaminated or polluted, or that other undesirable effects might result from the performance of work at the site. Avoid the use of tools and equipment which produce harmful noise. Restrict the use of noise making tools and equipment to hours of use that will minimize noise complaints from persons and firms near the project site.

# 3.4 OPERATION, TERMINATION AND REMOVAL

- A. Supervision: Enforce strict discipline in use of temporary services and facilities at the site. Limit availability of temporary services and facilities to essential and intended uses to minimize waste and abuse. Do not permit temporary installations to be abused or endangered. Do not allow hazardous, dangerous or unsanitary conditions to develop or persist on the project site.
- B. **Maintenance:** Operate and maintain temporary services and facilities in good operating condition throughout the time of use and until removal is authorized. Protect from damage by freezing temperatures and similar elements.
- C. Termination and Removal: Unless the Architect requests that it be maintained for a longer period of time, remove each temporary service and facility promptly when the need for it or a substantial portion of it has ended, or when is has been replaced by the authorized use of a permanent facility, or no later than substantial completion. Complete, or, if necessary, restore permanent work which may have been delayed because of interference with the temporary service or facility. Repair damaged work, clean exposed surfaces and replace work which cannot be satisfactorily repaired.
  - 1. Materials and facilities that constitute temporary services and facilities and remain the property of the Contractor.

**END OF SECTION** 

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#### **SECTION 01 6000**

#### 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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **This Section includes** the following administrative and procedural requirements: selection of products for use in Project; product delivery, storage, and handling; manufacturers' standard warranties on products; special warranties; product substitutions; and comparable products.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 01 1900 "**Definitions and Standards**" for applicable industry standards for products specified.
  - Section 01 7700 "Closeout Procedures" for submitting warranties for contract closeout.
  - 4. **Divisions 2** through **48 Sections** for specific requirements for warranties on products and installations specified to be warranted.

# 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. **Products**: Items purchased 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. Only new products are allowed to be used unless directed by the Architect in writing.
  - 3. Comparable Product: Product that is demonstrated and approved through submittal process, or where indicated as a product substitution, 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. Substitutions: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those required by the Contract Documents and proposed by Contractor.
- C. Basis-of-Design Product Specification: Where a specific manufacturer's product is named and accompanied by the words "basis of design," 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 other named manufacturers.

- D. **Manufacturer's Warranty**: Preprinted written warranty published by individual manufacturer for a particular product and specifically endorsed by manufacturer to Owner.
- E. **Special Warranty**: Written warranty required by or incorporated into the Contract Documents, either to extend time limit provided by manufacturer's warranty or to provide more rights for Owner.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product List**: Submit a list, in tabular form, showing specified products. Include generic names of products required. Include manufacturer's name and proprietary product names for each product.
  - 1. Coordination: Coordinate product list with Contractor's Construction Schedule and the Submittals Schedule.
  - 2. Form: Tabulate information for each product under the following column headings:
    - a. Specification Section number and title.
    - b. Generic name used in the Contract Documents.
    - c. Proprietary name, model number, and similar designations.
    - d. Manufacturer's name and address.
    - e. Supplier's name and address.
    - f. Installer's name and address.
    - g. Projected delivery date or time span of delivery period.
    - h. Identification of items that require early submittal approval for scheduled delivery date.
  - 3. Initial Submittal: Within 30 days after date of commencement of the Work, submit 3 copies of initial product list. Include a written explanation for omissions of data and for variations from Contract requirements.
    - a. At Contractor's option, initial submittal may be limited to product selections and designations that must be established early in Contract period.
  - 4. Completed List: Within 60 days after date of commencement of the Work, submit 3 copies of completed product list. Include a written explanation for omissions of data and for variations from Contract requirements.
  - 5. Architect's Action: Architect will respond in writing to Contractor within 15 days of receipt of completed product list. Architect's response will include a list of unacceptable product selections and a brief explanation of reasons for this action. Architect's response, or lack of response, does not constitute a waiver of requirement that products comply with the Contract Documents.
- B. **Substitution Requests**: Submit three copies of each request for consideration. 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 material or product cannot be provided.
    - 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, that will be necessary to accommodate proposed substitution.

- c. Detailed comparison of significant qualities of proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Significant qualities may include attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, and specific features and requirements indicated.
- d. Product Data, including drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
- e. Samples, where applicable or requested.
- f. List of similar installations for completed projects with project names and addresses and names and addresses of architects and owners.
- g. Material test reports from a qualified testing agency indicating and interpreting test results for compliance with requirements indicated.
- h. Research/evaluation reports evidencing compliance with building code in effect for Project, from a model code organization acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- i. 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 lack of availability or delays in delivery.
- Cost information, including a proposal of change, if any, in the Contract Sum.
- k. Contractor's certification that proposed substitution complies with requirements in the Contract Documents and is appropriate for applications indicated.
- 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 one week of receipt of a request for substitution. Architect will notify Contractor of acceptance or rejection of proposed substitution within 15 business days of receipt of request, or 7 business days of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later.
  - a. Form of Acceptance: Change Order.
  - b. Use product specified if Architect cannot make a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.
- C. **Basis-of-Design Product Specification Submittal**: Comply with requirements in Division 1 Section "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, product selected shall be compatible with products previously selected, even if previously selected products were also options.
  - 1. Each contractor is responsible for providing products and construction methods compatible with products and construction methods of other contractors.
  - 2. If a dispute arises between contractors over concurrently selectable but incompatible products, Architect will determine which products shall be used.

# 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. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Schedule delivery to minimize long-term storage at Project site and to prevent overcrowding of construction spaces.
  - 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 ensure compliance with the Contract Documents and to ensure that products are undamaged and properly protected.
  - 5. Store products to allow for inspection and measurement of quantity or counting of units.
  - 6. Store materials in a manner that will not endanger Project structure.
  - Store products that are subject to damage by the elements, under cover in a
    weathertight enclosure above ground, with ventilation adequate to prevent
    condensation.
  - 8. Comply with product manufacturer's written instructions for temperature, humidity, ventilation, and weather-protection requirements for storage.
  - 9. Protect stored products from damage.

# 1.7 PRODUCT WARRANTIES

- A. **General**: 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.
- B. **Special Warranties**: Prepare a written document that contains appropriate terms and identification, ready for execution. Submit a draft for approval before final execution.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Standard Form: Modified to include Project-specific information and properly executed.
  - 2. Refer to Divisions 2 through 48 Sections for specific content requirements and particular requirements for submitting special warranties.
- C. **Submittal Time**: Comply with requirements in Division 1 Section "Closeout Procedures."

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 PRODUCT OPTIONS

- A. **General Product Requirements**: Provide products that comply with the Contract Documents, that are undamaged, and unless otherwise indicated, that 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. Where products are accompanied by the term "match sample," sample to be matched is Architect's.
- 6. Descriptive, performance, and reference standard requirements in the Specifications establish "salient characteristics" of products.
- 7. Or Equal: Where products are specified by name and accompanied by the term "or equal" or "or approved equal" or "or approved," comply with provisions in "Comparable Products" Article to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product.
- B. **Product Selection Procedures**: Procedures for product selection include the following:
  - 1. Product: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Product" name a single product and manufacturer, provide the product named.
    - a. Substitutions may be considered, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Manufacturer/Source: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Manufacturer" or "Source" name single manufacturers or sources, provide a product by the manufacturer or from the source named that complies with requirements.
    - a. Substitutions may be considered, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Products: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Products" introduce a list of names of both products and manufacturers, provide one of the products listed that complies with requirements.
    - a. Substitutions may be considered, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 4. Manufacturers: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Manufacturers" introduce a list of manufacturers' names, provide a product by one of the manufacturers listed that complies with requirements.
    - a. Substitutions may be considered, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 5. Available Products: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Available Products" introduce a list of names of both products and manufacturers, provide one of the products listed or another product that complies with requirements. Comply with provisions in "Comparable Products" Article to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product.
  - 6. Available Manufacturers: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Available Manufacturers" introduce a list of manufacturers' names, provide a product by one of the manufacturers listed or another manufacturer that complies with requirements. Comply with provisions in "Comparable Products" Article to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product.
  - 7. Product Options: Where Specification paragraphs titled "Product Options" indicate that size, profiles, and dimensional requirements on Drawings are based on a specific product or system, provide either the specific product or system indicated or a comparable product or system by another manufacturer. Comply with provisions in "Product Substitutions" Article.
  - 8. Basis-of-Design Products: Where Specification paragraphs or subparagraphs titled "Basis-of-Design Products" are included and also introduce or refer to a list of manufacturers' names, provide either the specified 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 provisions in "Comparable Products" Article to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product.
    - a. Substitutions may be considered, unless otherwise indicated.

- 9. Visual Matching Specification: Where Specifications require matching an established Sample, select a product (and manufacturer) that complies with requirements and matches Architect's sample. Architect's decision will be final on whether a proposed product matches satisfactorily.
  - a. If no product available within specified category matches satisfactorily and complies with other specified requirements, comply with provisions of the Contract Documents on "substitutions" for selection of a matching product.
- 10. Visual Selection Specification: Where Specifications include the phrase "as selected from manufacturer's colors, patterns, textures" or a similar phrase, select a product (and manufacturer) that complies with other specified requirements.
  - a. Standard Range: Where Specifications include the phrase "standard range of colors, patterns, textures" or similar phrase, Architect will select color, pattern, or texture from manufacturer's product line that does not include premium items.
  - b. Full Range: Where Specifications include the phrase "full range of colors, patterns, textures" or similar phrase, Architect will select color, pattern, or texture from manufacturer's product line that includes both standard and premium items.

# 2.2 PRODUCT SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. **Timing**: Architect will consider requests for substitution if received within 60 days after the Notice to Proceed. Requests received after that time may be considered or rejected at discretion of Architect.
- B. **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:
  - 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.
  - 2. Requested substitution does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.
  - Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.
  - 4. Substitution request is fully documented and properly submitted.
  - Requested substitution will not adversely affect Contractor's Construction Schedule.
  - 6. Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 7. Requested substitution is compatible with other portions of the Work.
  - 8. Requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work.
  - 9. Requested substitution provides specified warranty.
  - 10. 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.

#### 2.3 COMPARABLE PRODUCTS

- A. **Where products** or manufacturers are specified by name, submit the following, in addition to other required submittals, to obtain approval of an unnamed product:
  - Evidence that the proposed product does not require extensive 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** 

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#### **SECTION 01 7300**

### **EXECUTION REQUIREMENTS**

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

# 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **This Section includes** general procedural requirements governing execution of the Work including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Construction layout.
  - 2. General installation of products.
  - 4. Progress cleaning.
  - 5. Starting and adjusting.
  - 6. Protection of installed construction.
  - 7. Correction of the Work.

# B. **Related Sections** include the following:

- 1. Section 01 3100 "**Project Management and Coordination**" for procedures for coordinating field engineering with other construction activities.
- 2. Section 01 3300 **"Submittals"** for administrative submittals and also product and procedural submittals.
- 3. Section 01 7700 "Closeout Procedures" for submitting final property survey with Project Record Documents, recording of Owner-accepted deviations from indicated lines and levels, and final cleaning.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED**

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. **Existing Conditions**: The existence and location of site improvements, utilities, and other construction indicated as existing are not guaranteed. Before beginning work, investigate and verify the existence and location of mechanical and electrical systems and other construction affecting the Work.
  - 1. Before construction, verify the location and points of connection of utility services.
- B. **Existing Utilities**: The existence and location of underground and other utilities and construction indicated as existing are not guaranteed. Before beginning sitework, investigate and verify the existence and location of underground utilities 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; and underground electrical services.
  - 2. Furnish location data for work related to Project that must be performed by public utilities serving Project site.

- C. **Acceptance of Conditions**: 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. Written Report: Where a written report listing conditions detrimental to performance of the Work is required by other Sections, include the following:
    - a. Description of the Work.
    - b. List of detrimental conditions, including substrates.
    - c. List of unacceptable installation tolerances.
    - d. Recommended corrections.
  - 2. Verify compatibility with and suitability of substrates, including compatibility with existing finishes or primers.
  - 3. Examine roughing-in for mechanical and electrical systems to verify actual locations of connections before equipment and fixture installation.
  - 4. Examine walls, floors, and roofs for suitable conditions where products and systems are to be installed.
  - 5. 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 Interruptions**: Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary utility services according to requirements indicated:
  - 1. Notify Architect and Owner not less than two business days in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
  - 2. Do not proceed with utility interruptions without Architect's and Owner's written permission.
- 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, submit a request for information to Architect. Include a detailed description of problem encountered, together with recommendations for changing the Contract Documents.

# 3.3 CONSTRUCTION LAYOUT

A. **Verification**: Before proceeding to lay out the Work, verify layout information shown on Drawings, in relation to existing building. If discrepancies are discovered, notify Architect promptly.

#### B. General:

- 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 dimensions** within tolerances indicated. Do not scale Drawings to obtain required dimensions.
- 3. **Inform installers** of lines and levels to which they must comply.
- 4. Check the location, level and plumb, of every major element as the Work progresses.
- Notify Architect when deviations from required lines and levels exceed allowable tolerances.
- C. **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.
- D. **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.

#### 3.5 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.
  - 4. Maintain minimum headroom clearance as indicated in spaces without a suspended ceiling.
- 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. **Tools and Equipment**: Do not use tools or equipment that produce harmful noise levels.
- F. **Anchors and Fasteners**: Provide anchors and fasteners as required to anchor each component securely in place, accurately located and aligned with other portions of the Work.
  - 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.

- G. **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.
- H. **Hazardous Materials**: Use products, cleaners, and installation materials that are not considered hazardous.

# 3.6 PROGRESS CLEANING

- A. **General**: Clean Project site and work areas daily, including common areas. Coordinate progress cleaning for joint-use areas where more than one installer has worked. 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 materials more than 7 days during normal weather or 3 days if the temperature is expected to rise above 80 degrees F.
  - 3. Containerize hazardous and unsanitary waste materials separately from other waste. Mark containers appropriately and dispose of legally, according to regulations.
- 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**: Clean exposed surfaces and protect as necessary to ensure freedom from damage and deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.
- G. **Cutting and Patching**: Clean areas and spaces where cutting and patching are performed. Completely remove paint, mortar, oils, putty, and similar materials.
  - 1. Thoroughly clean piping, conduit, and similar features before applying paint or other finishing materials. Restore damaged pipe covering to its original condition.
- H. **Waste Disposal**: Burying or burning waste materials on-site will not be permitted. Washing waste materials down sewers or into waterways will not be permitted.
- I. **Protection**: 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.

- J. **Maintenance**: 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 smooth operation without damaging effects.
- K. **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.

#### 3.7 DUST CONTROL

- A. **Provide continuous** (7 days per week, 24 hours per day) **fugitive dust control measures** within the limits of the construction site, related sites and adjacent streets and roads. Dust control shall be provided for, but not be specifically limited to, the stabilization of unpaved roads, haul roads, access roads, spoil sites, borrow and material sources, excavations, embankments, stockpiles, and all other areas which become potential sources of dust as a result of construction activities.
- B. **Maintain compliance with the General Utah Air Pollution Regulations**, R446 Utah Air Conservation Regulations, Section 4.5, Fugitive Emissions, applicable County Air Pollution Control Ordinances, and as directed by the Architect. Dust control measures shall include but not be limited to the following:
  - 1. Wetting of surfaces with water as appropriate.
  - 2. Minimizing surface disturbances.
- C. **In order to control fugitive dust emissions**, apply the following procedures and techniques:
  - 1. Cover loads of materials, debris and waste materials taken from construction sites as needed to suppress dust during transit.
  - 2. Water down or apply other approved dust control measures to the construction site, haul roads and public access roads as needed to suppress dust.
  - 3. All mud and dirt shall be removed from vehicles prior to entering a paved or graveled area or road. Any mud or dirt that is carried out onto paved or graveled surfaces shall be removed from surfaces immediately and no less than daily.

# 3.8 STARTING AND ADJUSTING

- A. **Start equipment** and operating components to confirm proper operation. Remove malfunctioning units, replace with new units, and retest.
- B. **Adjust operating components** for proper operation without binding. Adjust equipment for proper operation.
- C. **Test each piece** of equipment to verify proper operation. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- D. **Manufacturer's Field Service**: If a factory-authorized service representative is required to inspect field-assembled components and equipment installation, comply with qualification requirements in Division 1 Section "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.

# 3.10 CORRECTION OF THE WORK

- A. **Repair or remove** and replace defective construction. Restore damaged substrates and finishes. Comply with requirements in Division 2 Section "Cutting and Patching."
  - 1. Repairing includes replacing defective parts, refinishing damaged surfaces, touching up with matching materials, and properly adjusting operating equipment.
- B. **Restore permanent facilities** used during construction to their specified condition.
- C. **Remove and replace damaged surfaces** that are exposed to view if surfaces cannot be repaired without visible evidence of repair.
- D. **Repair components** that do not operate properly. Remove and replace operating components that cannot be repaired.
- E. Remove and replace chipped, scratched, and broken glass or reflective surfaces.

**END OF SECTION** 



# **CONSTRUCTION SAFETY REQUIRMENTS**

- I. Outside Contractors and Intermountain Construction Employees performing construction activities on Intermountain Healthcare property shall meet the following requirements. Outside Contractors will meet additional qualifications through the Supply Chain Organization Supplier Credentialing Procedure.
  - a. No work will be performed in any Intermountain Facility without prior approval and coordination with the accountable Facility Engineering Manager or Director.
  - b. Each outside contractor will have a Safety Program that complies with 29 CFR 1926 Subpart C. The Safety Program will be in writing.
  - c. Any chemical brought onto Intermountain Property must meet the following requirements:
    - i. Approved by the facility's Chemical Safety Officer,
    - ii. Accompanied by a current material safety data sheet,
    - iii. Stored in accordance with the chemical manufacturer's safety requirements in the appropriate labeled container.
    - iv. Where the chemical quantity is restricted for Healthcare Occupancies by NFPA 30 or other standards, it is the contractor's responsibility to provide for off-site storage.
    - v. The Contractor is responsible to comply with Intermountain's Hazardous Materials policy.
    - vi. The Contractor is responsible for the removal of all chemicals from Intermountain Property and for proper disposal in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.
  - d. No work will be performed without the completion of an Interim Life Safety and Infection Control Risk Assessment. These risk assessments will cover each phase of the construction project.
  - e. In existing facilities, an Asbestos inspection and any necessary abatement will be conducted prior to any renovation or remodel per the Hazmat policy.
  - f. Where work will cause noise or vibration, an assessment will be made following facility procedures to mitigate potential hazards to patients.
  - g. Above the Ceiling Permits
    - i. The Contractor will follow each facility's procedure for obtaining an above the ceiling work permit.
    - ii. No work will be performed prior to obtaining this permit.
  - h. Hot Work Permits
    - i. The Contractor will obtain a Hot Work Permit from Facilities Engineering prior to performing any hot work.
    - ii. The Contractor will provide a continuous and qualified fire watch for the duration and location specified by the Facility Engineering Director.
  - i. Confined Space Permits
    - i. The contractor will coordinate with the Intermountain Facility Engineering Director to assure that all requirements are met and a permit is completed prior to entering a permit required confined space.

ii. The Facility Engineering Director will be responsible to assure that the contractor is in compliance with Intermountain's Confined Space Policy.

# i. Control of Airborne Contaminants

- i. The contractor will control all airborne dusts, mists, fumes, and vapors such that there is no exposure to Intermountain employees, patients, or visitors. This includes the generation of contaminants outside the building.
- ii. If necessary, work will be conducted after hours to minimize potential exposures to staff, patients, and members of the public.
- k. Personal Protective Equipment.
  - i. PPE for head, eye, face, hand, foot, and respiratory protection is the responsibility of the contractor, and will be provided and worn as necessary for the exposure, except as follows:
    - 1. Hard Hats and Safety Glasses are required to be worn at all times when in the construction area.
  - ii. The action level for fall protection on Intermountain Healthcare property is 6'. This includes work from scaffold.

#### **SECTION 01 7700**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **This Section includes** administrative and procedural requirements for contract closeout, including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Inspection procedures.
  - 2. Project Record Documents.
  - 3. Operation and maintenance manuals.
  - Warranties.
  - 5. Instruction of Owner's personnel.
  - 6. Final cleaning.

# B. **Related Sections** include the following:

- 1. Section 01 2900 "Payment Procedures" for requirements for Applications for Payment for Substantial and Final Completion.
- 2. Section 01 7300 "Execution Requirements" for progress cleaning of Project site.
- 3. Section 01 7820 "**Operation and Maintenance Data**" for operation and maintenance manual requirements.
- 4. **Divisions 2 through 48** Sections for specific closeout and special cleaning requirements for products of those Sections.

#### 1.3 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

- A. **Preliminary Procedures**: Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete in request.
  - 1. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the Work is not complete.
  - 2. Advise Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
  - 3. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
  - 4. Obtain and submit releases permitting Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
  - 5. Prepare and submit Project Record Documents, operation and maintenance manuals, Final Completion construction photographs, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.
  - 6. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items to location designated by Owner. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
  - 7. Make final changeover of permanent locks and deliver keys to Owner. Advise Owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.

- 8. Complete startup testing of systems.
- 9. Submit test/adjust/balance records.
- 10. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from Project site, along with mockups, construction tools, and similar elements.
- 11. Advise Owner of changeover in heat and other utilities.
- 12. Submit changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
- 13. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touchup painting.
- 14. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection for Substantial Completion. 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.

## 1.4 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. **Preliminary Procedures**: Before requesting final inspection for determining date of Final Completion, complete the following:
  - 1. Submit a final Application for Payment according to Division 1 Section "Payment Procedures."
  - Submit certified copy of Architect's Substantial Completion inspection list of items
    to be completed or corrected (punch list), endorsed and dated by Architect. The
    certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or
    otherwise resolved for acceptance.
  - 3. Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.
  - 4. Submit pest-control final inspection report and warranty.
  - 5. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection for acceptance. 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.
- C. Additional Review Fees: Should Architect perform more than one additional review, or extend its construction period services more than 15 business days beyond the scheduled completion date, due to the failure of the Contractor's work to comply with the claims of status or completion made by the Contractor, Owner will compensate Architect for such additional/ extended services at the rate of \$500.00 per day. The Owner shall then deduct the amount of such compensation from the final payment to the Contractor.

# 1.5 LIST OF INCOMPLETE ITEMS (PUNCH LIST)

- A. **Preparation**: Submit three copies of <u>Contractors</u> 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.
  - 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.

#### 1.6 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. **General**: Do not use Project Record Documents for construction purposes. Protect Project Record Documents from deterioration and loss. Provide access to Project Record Documents for Architect's reference during normal working hours.
- B. **Record Drawings**: Maintain and submit one set of blue- or black-line white prints of Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings.
  - 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 prepare the marked-up Record Prints.
    - a. Give particular attention to information on concealed elements that cannot be readily identified and recorded later.
    - b. Accurately record information in an understandable drawing technique.
    - c. Record data as soon as possible after obtaining it. Record and check the markup before enclosing concealed installations.
    - Mark Contract Drawings or Shop Drawings, whichever is most capable of showing actual physical conditions, completely and accurately. Where Shop Drawings are marked, show cross-reference on Contract Drawings.
  - 2. Mark record sets with erasable, red-colored pencil. Use other colors to distinguish between changes for different categories of the Work at the same location.
  - 3. Mark important additional information that was either shown schematically or omitted from original Drawings.
  - 4. Note Construction Change Directive numbers, Change Order numbers, alternate numbers, and similar identification where applicable.
  - Identify and date each Record Drawing; include the designation "PROJECT RECORD DRAWING" in a prominent location. Organize into manageable sets; bind each set with durable paper cover sheets. Include identification on cover sheets.

- C. Record Specifications: Submit one copy of Project's Specifications, including addenda and contract modifications. Mark copy 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. Note related Change Orders, Record Drawings, and Product Data, where applicable.
- D. **Record Product Data**: Submit one copy of each Product Data submittal. Mark one set to indicate the actual product installation where installation varies substantially from that indicated in Product Data.
  - 1. Give particular attention to information on concealed products and installations that cannot be readily identified and recorded later.
  - 2. Include significant changes in the product delivered to Project site and changes in manufacturer's written instructions for installation.
  - 3. Note related Change Orders, Record Drawings, and Record Specifications, where applicable.
- E. **Miscellaneous Record Submittals**: Assemble miscellaneous records required by other Specification Sections for miscellaneous record keeping and submittal in connection with actual performance of the Work. Bind or file miscellaneous records and identify each, ready for continued use and reference.

## 1.7 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. **Assemble a complete set of operation and maintenance data** indicating the operation and maintenance of each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system. Include operation and maintenance data required in individual Specification Sections and as follows:
  - 1. Operation Data:
    - a. Emergency instructions and procedures.
    - System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions, including operating standards.
    - c. Operating procedures, including startup, shutdown, seasonal, and weekend operations.
    - d. Description of controls and sequence of operations.
    - e. Piping diagrams.
  - 2. Maintenance Data:
    - a. Manufacturer's information, including list of spare parts.
    - b. Name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier.
    - c. Maintenance procedures.
    - Maintenance and service schedules for preventive and routine maintenance.
    - e. Maintenance record forms.
    - f. Sources of spare parts and maintenance materials.
    - g. Copies of maintenance service agreements.
    - h. Copies of warranties and bonds.

B. Organize operation and maintenance manuals into suitable sets of manageable size. Bind and index data in heavy-duty, 3-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, in thickness necessary to accommodate contents, with pocket inside the covers to receive folded oversized sheets. Identify each binder on front and spine with the printed title "OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL," Project name, and subject matter of contents.

#### 1.8 WARRANTIES

- A. **Submittal Time**: 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.
- B. **Organize warranty documents** into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of the Project Manual.
  - 1. Bind warranties and bonds in heavy-duty, 3-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, thickness as necessary to accommodate contents, and sized to receive 8-1/2-by-11-inch 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.
- C. **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.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING

- A. **Instruction**: Instruct Owner's personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain systems, subsystems, and equipment not part of a system.
  - 1. Provide instructors experienced in operation and maintenance procedures.
  - 2. Provide instruction at mutually agreed-on times. For equipment that requires seasonal operation, provide similar instruction at the start of each season.
  - 3. Schedule training with Owner, through Architect, with at least seven days' advance notice.
  - 4. Coordinate instructors, including providing notification of dates, times, length of instruction, and course content.

- B. **Program Structure**: Develop an instruction program that includes individual training modules for each system and equipment not part of a system, as required by individual Specification Sections. For each training module, develop a learning objective and teaching outline. Include instruction for the following:
  - 1. System design and operational philosophy.
  - Review of documentation.
  - Operations.
  - 4. Adjustments.
  - 5. Troubleshooting.
  - 6. Maintenance.
  - 7. Repair.

## 3.2 FINAL CLEANING

- A. **General**: Provide 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 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. Rake grounds that are neither planted nor paved to a smooth, even-textured surface.
    - d. Remove tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from Project site.
    - e. Remove snow and ice to provide safe access to building.
    - f. 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.
      - 1) Use low VOC and low emitting cleaning products to the maximum extent feasible.
    - g. Remove debris and surface dust from limited access spaces, including roofs, plenums, shafts, trenches, equipment vaults, manholes, attics, and similar spaces.
    - h. Sweep concrete floors broom clean in unoccupied spaces.
    - i. Vacuum carpet and similar soft surfaces, removing debris and excess nap; shampoo if visible soil or stains remain.
    - j. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other noticeable, vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Polish mirrors and glass, taking care not to scratch surfaces.
    - k. Remove labels that are not permanent.

- Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that cannot be satisfactorily repaired or restored or that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
  - Do not paint over "UL" and similar labels, including mechanical and electrical nameplates.
- m. Wipe surfaces of mechanical and electrical equipment, elevator equipment, and similar equipment. Remove excess lubrication, paint and mortar droppings, and other foreign substances.
- n. Replace parts subject to unusual operating conditions.
- o. Clean plumbing fixtures to a sanitary condition, free of stains, including stains resulting from water exposure.
- p. Replace disposable air filters and clean permanent air filters. Clean exposed surfaces of diffusers, registers, and grills.
- q. Clean ducts, blowers, and coils if units were operated without filters during construction.
- r. Clean light fixtures, lamps, globes, and reflectors to function with full efficiency. Replace burned-out bulbs, and those noticeably dimmed by hours of use, and defective and noisy starters in fluorescent and mercury vapor fixtures to comply with requirements for new fixtures.
- s. Leave Project clean and ready for occupancy.
- C. Cleaning Standards: Comply with safety standards for cleaning. Do not burn waste materials. Do not bury debris or excess materials on Owner's property. Do not discharge volatile, harmful, or dangerous materials into drainage systems. Remove waste materials from Project site and dispose of lawfully.

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# **INTERMOUNTAIN HEALTHCARE**

# RECORD DRAWING REQUIREMENTS

PROJECT CONTRACT NAME: Project Contract Name			
ARCHITECTURAL FIRM: Architect Firm		ARCH. PROJECT NO: ##	
CONTRACTOR: Contractor			
Record Drawings are required per the Owner / Architect contract agreement and shall consist of AutoCAD files (.dwg), BIM files (i.e. REVIT [.rvt], etc.), PDF (.pdf) files, Sheet Index (.xls), Renderings/Photos and Specifications as outlined below. Drawing files shall be separated into individual files with all external references (xrefs) and attached files (i.e. images, special fonts, pen settings, etc.) bound to each separate drawing. The AutoCAD, BIM and PDF files can be included under each discipline below in separate folders. Naming of these files shall be sequential and as outlined on the Architects Drawing Index. The file names shall not include any special characters and/or symbols (i.e.  \/, :, *, ?, ", <, >,  #, \{, \}, %, ~, &, etc.). By submitting Record Drawings to the Owner, Architect has verified that all content is functional and readable.			
RECORD DRAWING SHEET INDEX  Provide an Excel File (.xls) of complete drawing index.			
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#### **SECTION 01 7820**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **This Section includes** administrative and procedural requirements for preparing operation and maintenance manuals, including the following:
  - 1. Operation and maintenance documentation directory.
  - 2. Emergency manuals.
  - 3. Operation manuals for systems, subsystems, and equipment.
  - 4. Maintenance manuals for the care and maintenance of products, materials, and finishes systems and equipment.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - Section 01 3313 "Submittal Procedures" for submitting copies of submittals for operation and maintenance manuals.
  - Section 01 7700 "Closeout Procedures" for submitting operation and maintenance manuals.
  - 3. **Divisions 2 through 48** Sections for specific operation and maintenance manual requirements for the Work in those Sections.

## 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 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Initial Submittal**: Submit 2 draft copies of each manual at least 15 days before requesting inspection for Substantial Completion. Include a complete operation and maintenance directory. Architect will return one copy of draft and mark whether general scope and content of manual are acceptable.
- B. **Final Submittal**: Submit 2 of each manual in final form at least 15 days before final inspection. Architect will return copy with comments within 15 days after final inspection.
  - 1. Correct or modify each manual to comply with Architect's comments. Submit 3 copies of each corrected manual within 15 days of receipt of Architect's comments.

## 1.5 COORDINATION

A. Where operation and maintenance documentation includes information on installations by more than one factory-authorized service representative, assemble and coordinate information furnished by representatives and prepare manuals.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DOCUMENTATION DIRECTORY

- A. **Organization**: Include a section in the directory for each of the following:
  - 1. List of documents.
  - 2. List of systems.
  - 3. List of equipment.
  - 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 MANUALS, GENERAL

- 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**: Enclose title page in transparent plastic sleeve. 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, address, and telephone number of Contractor.
  - 6. Name and address of Architect.
  - 7. 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.
  - 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.
  - 1. Binders: Heavy-duty, 3-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, in thickness necessary to accommodate contents, sized to hold 8-1/2-by-11-inch paper; with clear plastic sleeve on spine to hold label describing contents and with pockets inside covers to hold folded oversize sheets.
    - a. If two or more binders are necessary to accommodate data of a system, organize data in each binder into groupings by subsystem and related components. Cross-reference other binders if necessary to provide essential information for proper operation or maintenance of equipment or system.
    - b. Identify each binder on front and spine, with printed title "OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL," Project title or name, and subject matter of contents. Indicate volume number for multiple-volume sets.
  - Dividers: Heavy-paper dividers with plastic-covered tabs for each section.
     Mark each tab to indicate contents. Include typed list of products and major components of equipment included in the section on each divider, cross-referenced to Specification Section number and title of Project Manual.
  - 3. Protective Plastic Sleeves: Transparent plastic sleeves designed to enclose diagnostic software diskettes for computerized electronic equipment.
  - 4. Supplementary Text: Prepared on 8-1/2-by-11-inch white bond paper.
  - 5. Drawings: Attach reinforced, punched binder tabs on drawings and bind with text.
    - a. If oversize drawings are necessary, fold drawings to same size as text pages and use as foldouts.
    - b. If drawings are too large to be used as foldouts, fold and place drawings in labeled envelopes and bind envelopes in rear of manual. At appropriate locations in manual, insert typewritten pages indicating drawing titles, descriptions of contents, and drawing locations.
- E. **Coordinate final O&M manual data and delivery** with Commissioning Agent as required in LEED EA credit 3 "Enhanced Commissioning."

#### 2.3 EMERGENCY MANUALS

- A. **Content**: Organize manual into a separate section for each of the following:
  - 1. Type of emergency.
  - 2. Emergency instructions.
  - 3. Emergency procedures.
- B. **Type of Emergency**: Where applicable for each type of emergency indicated below, include instructions and procedures for each system, subsystem, piece of equipment, and component:
  - 1. Fire.
  - 2. Flood.
  - Gas leak.

- 4. Water leak.
- 5. Power failure.
- 6. Water outage.
- 7. System, subsystem, or equipment failure.
- 8. Chemical release or spill.
- C. **Emergency Instructions**: Describe and explain warnings, trouble indications, error messages, and similar codes and signals. Include responsibilities of Owner's operating personnel for notification of Installer, supplier, and manufacturer to maintain warranties.
- D. **Emergency Procedures**: Include the following, as applicable:
  - 1. Instructions on stopping.
  - 2. Shutdown instructions for each type of emergency.
  - 3. Operating instructions for conditions outside normal operating limits.
  - 4. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
  - 5. Special operating instructions and procedures.

# 2.4 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.
  - 2. Performance and design criteria if Contractor is delegated design responsibility.
  - 3. Operating standards.
  - 4. Operating procedures.
  - Operating logs.
  - 6. Wiring diagrams.
  - 7. Control diagrams.
  - 8. Piped system diagrams.
  - 9. Precautions against improper use.
  - 10. License requirements including inspection and renewal dates.
- B. **Descriptions**: Include the following:
  - 1. Product name and model number.
  - 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:
  - Startup procedures.
  - 2. Equipment or system break-in procedures.
  - 3. Routine and normal operating instructions.
  - 4. Regulation and control procedures.
  - 5. Instructions on stopping.
  - 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

## 2.5 PRODUCT MAINTENANCE MANUAL

- 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.
- 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.

## 2.6 SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE MANUAL

- 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.

- C. **Manufacturers' Maintenance Documentation**: Manufacturers' maintenance documentation including the following information for each component part or piece of equipment:
  - 1. Standard printed 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 videotape, 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, guarterly, 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. **Maintenance Service Contracts**: Include copies of maintenance agreements with name and telephone number of service agent.
- H. **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. **Emergency Manual**: Assemble a complete set of emergency information indicating procedures for use by emergency personnel and by Owner's operating personnel for types of emergencies indicated.

- C. **Product Maintenance Manual**: Assemble a complete set of maintenance data indicating care and maintenance of each product, material, and finish incorporated into the Work.
- D. **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.
  - 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.
- E. **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.
- F. **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 Division 1 Section "Project Record Documents."
- G. **Comply with** Division 1 Section "Closeout Procedures" for schedule for submitting operation and maintenance documentation.

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# **DIVISION 2 – EXISTING CONDITIONS**

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## **SECTION 02 4101**

#### **CUTTING AND PATCHING**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes procedural requirements for cutting and patching.
- B. The General Contractor is responsible to patch and repair any and all material disturbed during construction, this is to include but not limited to walls, floors, ceilings, asphalt, concrete, lawns and landscaping, roofs, etc.

## 1.3 DEFINITION

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

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Cutting and Patching Proposal**: Submit a proposal describing procedures at least 10 days before the time cutting and patching will be performed, requesting approval to proceed.
  - 1. Architect's Approval: Obtain approval of cutting and patching proposal before cutting and patching. Approval does not waive right to later require removal and replacement of unsatisfactory work.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Structural Elements**: Do not cut and patch structural elements in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity or load-deflection ratio.
- B. **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, including but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Primary operational systems and equipment.
  - 2. Fire-protection systems.
  - 3. Communication systems.
  - 4. Electrical wiring systems.

- C. **Miscellaneous Elements**: Do not cut and patch the following elements or related components in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity, that results in reducing their capacity to perform as intended, or that results in increased maintenance or decreased operational life or safety.
  - 1. Piping, ductwork, vessels, and equipment.
- D. **Visual Requirements**: Do not cut and patch construction in a manner that results in visual evidence of cutting and patching. Do not cut and patch construction exposed on the exterior or in occupied spaces 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.
  - 1. If possible, retain original Installer or fabricator to cut and patch exposed Work. If it is impossible to engage original Installer or fabricator, engage another recognized, experienced, and specialized firm.
- E. **Cutting and Patching Conference**: Before proceeding, meet at Project site with parties involved in cutting and patching, including mechanical and electrical trades. Review areas of potential interference and conflict. Coordinate procedures and resolve potential conflicts before proceeding.

## 1.6 WARRANTY

A. **Existing Warranties**: Remove, replace, patch, and repair materials and surfaces cut or damaged during cutting and patching operations, by methods and with materials so as not to void existing warranties.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. **General**: Comply with requirements specified in other Sections of these Specifications.
- B. **Existing Materials**: Use materials identical to existing materials. For exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match existing adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
  - 1. If identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used, use materials that, when installed, will match the visual and functional performance of existing materials.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. **Examine surfaces** to be cut and patched and conditions under which cutting and patching are to be performed.
  - 1. Compatibility: Before patching, verify compatibility with and suitability of substrates, including compatibility with existing finishes or primers.
  - 2. Proceed with installation only after unsafe or unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

A. **Temporary Support**: Provide temporary support of Work to be cut.

- B. **Protection**: Protect existing 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.
- C. **Adjoining Areas**: Avoid interference with use of adjoining areas or interruption of free passage to adjoining areas.
- D. **Existing Services**: Where existing services are required to be removed, relocated, or abandoned, bypass such services before cutting to minimize interruption of services to occupied areas.

#### 3.3 PERFORMANCE

- A. **General**: Employ skilled workers to perform cutting and patching. Proceed with cutting and patching at the earliest feasible time, and complete without delay.
  - Cut existing 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. **Cutting**: Cut existing 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. General: use hand or small power tools designed for sawing and grinding, not hammering and chopping. Cut holes and slots as small as possible, neatly to size required, and with minimum disturbance of adjacent surfaces. Temporarily cover openings when not in use.
  - 2. Existing Finished Surfaces: Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces.
  - Concrete/Masonry: Cut using a cutting machine, such as an abrasive saw or a diamond-core drill.
  - 4. Mechanical and Electrical Services: Cut off pipe or conduit 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.
  - 5. Patching: Proceed with patching after construction operations requiring cutting are complete.
- C. **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 possible. Patch masonry with masonry units and grout that match as closely as possible the original. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Sections of these Specifications.
  - 1. Inspection: Where feasible, test and inspect patched areas after completion to demonstrate 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 eliminate evidence of patching and refinishing.

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## **SECTION 02 4102**

#### **SELECTIVE DEMOLITION**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Demolition and removal of selected portions of a building or structure.
  - 2. Repair procedures for selective demolition operations.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 02 4101 "**Cutting and Patching**" for cutting and patching procedures for selective demolition operations.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. **Deconstruction**: Disassembly of buildings for the purpose of recovering materials
- B. **Demolish**: Completely remove and legally dispose of off-site.
- C. **Existing to Remain or Retain**: Existing items of construction that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed and salvaged, or removed and reinstalled
- D. **Protect**: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "protect" is used to describe the process of shielding from harm existing fixtures, elements or materials.
- E. **Protect and Maintain**: To remove deteriorating corrosion, reapply protective coatings, and install protective measures such as temporary guards; to provide the least degree of intervention.
- F. **Recycle**: Recovery of demolition waste for subsequent processing in preparation for reuse.
- G. **Remove**: To detach items from existing construction and legally dispose of them off-site unless indicated to be removed and salvaged or removed and reinstalled.
- H. **Remove and Salvage**: To detach items from existing construction and deliver them to Owner ready for reuse.
- I. **Remove and Reinstall**: To detach items from existing construction, repair and clean them for reuse, and reinstall them where indicated.

- J. **Salvage**: Carefully detach from existing construction, in a manner to prevent damage, and deliver to Owner. Include fasteners or brackets needed for reattachment elsewhere.
- K. **Stabilize**: To apply measures designed to reestablish a weather-resistant enclosure and the structural reinforcement of an item or portion of the building while maintaining the essential form as it exists at present.

#### 1.4 MATERIALS OWNERSHIP

A. **Historic items, relics, and similar objects** including, but not limited to, cornerstones and their contents, commemorative plaques and tablets, antiques, and other items of interest or value to Owner that may be encountered during selective demolition remain Owner's property. Carefully remove and salvage each item or object in a manner to prevent damage and deliver promptly to Owner.

## 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Qualification Data**: For firms and persons specified in "Quality Assurance" Article to demonstrate their capabilities and experience. Include lists of completed projects with project names and addresses, names and addresses of architects and owners, and other information specified.
- B. **Proposed Dust-Control and Noise-Control Measures**: Submit statement or drawing that indicates the measures proposed for use, proposed locations, and proposed time frame for their operation. Identify options if proposed measures are later determined to be inadequate.
- Schedule of items and materials to be salvaged: Identify procedures for disassembly.
  - Identify materials to be recycled. Identify materials to be salvaged for reuse on site and off site.
- D. Schedule of Selective Demolition Activities: Indicate the following:
  - Detailed sequence of selective demolition and removal work, with starting and ending dates for each activity. Ensure Owner's on-site operations are uninterrupted.
  - 2. Interruption of utility services.
  - 3. Coordination for shutoff, capping, and continuation of utility services.
  - 4. Locations of temporary partitions and means of egress.
  - 5. Coordination of Owner's continuing occupancy of portions of existing building and of Owner's partial occupancy of completed Work.
- E. **Inventory**: After selective demolition is complete, submit a list of items that have been removed and salvaged.
- F. **Pre-demolition Photographs or Videotape**: Show existing conditions of adjoining construction and site improvements, including finish surfaces, which might be misconstrued as damage caused by selective demolition operations. Submit before Work begins.
- G. **Landfill Records**: Indicate receipt and acceptance of hazardous wastes by a landfill facility licensed to accept hazardous wastes.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Demolition Firm Qualifications**: An experienced firm that has specialized in demolition work similar in material and extent to that indicated for this Project.
- B. **Regulatory Requirements**: Comply with governing EPA notification regulations before beginning selective demolition. Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Standards: Comply with ANSI A10.6 and NFPA 241.
- D. **Pre-demolition Conference**: Conduct conference at Project site to comply with requirements in Division 1 Section "Project Management and Coordination." Review methods and procedures related to selective demolition including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Inspect and discuss condition of construction to be selectively demolished.
  - 2. Review structural load limitations of existing structure.
  - 3. Review and finalize selective demolition schedule and verify availability of materials, demolition personnel, equipment, and facilities needed to make progress and avoid delays.
  - 4. Review requirements of work performed by other trades that rely on substrates exposed by selective demolition operations.

## 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Owner will occupy portions of building** immediately adjacent to selective demolition area. Conduct selective demolition so Owner's operations will not be disrupted. Provide not less than 72 hours' notice to Owner of activities that will affect Owner's operations.
- B. **Maintain access to existing walkways**, corridors, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities.
  - 1. Do not close or obstruct walkways, corridors, or other occupied or used facilities without written permission from authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Owner assumes no responsibility for condition of areas to be selectively demolished.
  - 1. Conditions existing at time of inspection for bidding purpose will be maintained by Owner as far as practical.
- D. **Hazardous Materials**: It is not expected that hazardous materials will be encountered in the Work.
  - 1. Hazardous materials will be removed by Owner before start of the Work.
  - 2. If materials suspected of containing hazardous materials are encountered, do not disturb; immediately notify Architect and Owner. Hazardous materials will be removed by Owner under a separate contract.
- E. Storage or sale of removed items or materials on-site will not be permitted.
- F. **Utility Service**: Maintain existing utilities indicated to remain in service and protect them against damage during selective demolition operations.
  - 1. Maintain fire-protection facilities in service during selective demolition operations.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 REPAIR MATERIALS

- A. **Use repair materials** identical to existing materials.
  - 1. If identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used for exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match existing adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
  - Use materials whose installed performance equals or surpasses that of existing materials.
- B. **Comply with material and installation requirements** specified in individual Specification Sections.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. **Verify** that utilities have been disconnected and capped.
- B. **Survey existing conditions** and correlate with requirements indicated to determine extent of selective demolition required.
- C. **Inventory and record** the condition of items to be removed and reinstalled and items to be removed and salvaged.
- D. When unanticipated mechanical, electrical, or structural elements that conflict with intended function or design are encountered, investigate and measure the nature and extent of conflict. Promptly submit a written report to Architect.
- E. **Engage a professional engineer** to survey condition of building to determine whether removing any element might result in structural deficiency or unplanned collapse of any portion of structure or adjacent structures during selective demolition operations.
- F. **Perform surveys** as the Work progresses to detect hazards resulting from selective demolition activities.

# 3.2 UTILITY SERVICES

- A. **Existing Utilities**: Maintain services indicated to remain and protect them against damage during selective demolition operations.
- B. **Utility Interruption**: Do not interrupt existing utilities serving occupied or operating facilities unless authorized in writing by Owner and authorities having jurisdiction. Provide temporary services during interruptions to existing utilities, as acceptable to Owner and to authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. **Provide at least 72 hours'** notice to Owner if shutdown of service is required during changeover.

- D. **Utility Requirements**: Locate, identify, disconnect, and seal or cap off indicated utilities serving areas to be selectively demolished.
- E. Owner will arrange to shut off indicated utilities when requested by Contractor.
- F. **If utility services are required to be removed**, relocated, or abandoned, before proceeding with selective demolition provide temporary utilities that bypass area of selective demolition and that maintain continuity of service to other parts of building.
- G. **Cut off pipe or conduit in walls** or partitions to be removed. Cap, valve, or plug and seal remaining portion of pipe or conduit after bypassing.
- H. **Utility Requirements**: Refer to Mechanical and Electrical Sections for shutting off, disconnecting, removing, and sealing or capping utilities. Do not start selective demolition work until utility disconnecting and sealing have been completed and verified in writing.

#### 3.3 PREPARATION

- A. **Dangerous Materials**: Drain, purge, or otherwise remove, collect, and dispose of chemicals, gases, explosives, acids, flammables, or other dangerous materials before proceeding with selective demolition operations.
- B. **Site Access and Temporary Controls**: Conduct selective demolition and debris-removal operations to ensure minimum interference with roads, streets, walks, walkways, and other adjacent occupied and used facilities.
  - Do not close or obstruct streets, walks, walkways, or other adjacent occupied or used facilities without permission from Owner and authorities having jurisdiction. Provide alternate routes around closed or obstructed traffic ways if required by governing regulations.
  - 2. Erect temporary protection, such as walks, fences, railings, canopies, and covered passageways, where required by authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 3. Protect existing site improvements, appurtenances, and landscaping to remain.
- C. **Temporary Facilities**: Provide temporary barricades and other protection required to prevent injury to people and damage to adjacent buildings and facilities to remain.
  - 1. Provide protection to ensure safe passage of people around selective demolition area and to and from occupied portions of building.
  - 2. Protect walls, ceilings, floors, and other existing finish work that are to remain or that are exposed during selective demolition operations.
  - 3. Cover and protect furniture, furnishings, and equipment that have not been removed.
- D. **Temporary Enclosures**: Provide temporary enclosures for protection of existing building and construction, in progress and completed, from exposure, foul weather, other construction operations, and similar activities. Provide temporary weathertight enclosure for building exterior.
  - Where heating or cooling is needed and permanent enclosure is not complete, provide insulated temporary enclosures. Coordinate enclosure with ventilating and material drying or curing requirements to avoid dangerous conditions and effects.

- E. **Temporary Partitions**: Erect and maintain dustproof partitions and temporary enclosures to limit dust and dirt migration and to separate areas from fumes and noise.
- F. **Temporary Shoring**: Provide and maintain shoring, bracing, or structural support to preserve stability and prevent movement, settlement, or collapse of construction to remain, and to prevent unexpected or uncontrolled movement or collapse of construction being demolished.
  - Strengthen or add new supports when required during progress of selective demolition.

## 3.4 POLLUTION CONTROLS

- A. **Temporary ventilation**: Provide temporary ventilation as follows:
  - Vacuum old carpets prior to removal using a certified Carpet and Rug Institute (CRI) Green Label vacuum cleaner. Vacuum floor immediately after old carpet is removed.
- B. **Dust Control**: Use water mist, temporary enclosures, and other suitable methods to limit spread of dust and dirt. Comply with governing environmental-protection regulations.
  - 1. Do not use water when it may damage existing construction or create hazardous or objectionable conditions, such as ice, flooding, and pollution.
  - 2. Wet mop floors to eliminate trackable dirt and wipe down walls and doors of demolition enclosure. Vacuum carpeted areas.
- C. **Disposal**: Remove and transport debris in a manner that will prevent spillage on adjacent surfaces and areas.
  - 1. Remove debris from elevated portions of building by chute, hoist, or other device that will convey debris to grade level in a controlled descent.
- D. **Cleaning**: Clean adjacent structures and improvements of dust, dirt, and debris caused by selective demolition operations. Return adjacent areas to condition existing before selective demolition operations began.

#### 3.5 SELECTIVE DEMOLITION

- A. **General**: Demolish and remove existing construction only to the extent required by new construction and as indicated. Use methods required to complete the Work within limitations of governing regulations and as follows:
  - Proceed with selective demolition systematically, from higher to lower level.
     Complete selective demolition operations above each floor or tier before disturbing supporting members on the next lower level.
  - Neatly cut openings and holes plumb, square, and true to dimensions required.
    Use cutting methods least likely to damage construction to remain or adjoining construction. Use hand tools or small power tools designed for sawing or grinding, not hammering and chopping, to minimize disturbance of adjacent surfaces. Temporarily cover openings to remain.
  - 3. Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces to avoid marring existing finished surfaces.
  - 4. Do not use cutting torches until work area is cleared of flammable materials. At concealed spaces, such as duct and pipe interiors, verify condition and contents of hidden space before starting flame-cutting operations. Maintain portable fire-suppression devices during flame-cutting operations.

- 5. Maintain adequate ventilation when using cutting torches.
- 6. Remove decayed, vermin-infested, or otherwise dangerous or unsuitable materials and promptly dispose of off-site.
- 7. Remove structural framing members and lower to ground by method suitable to avoid free fall and to prevent ground impact or dust generation.
- 8. Locate selective demolition equipment and remove debris and materials so as not to impose excessive loads on supporting walls, floors, or framing.
- 9. Dispose of demolished items and materials promptly.
- 10. Return elements of construction and surfaces that are to remain to condition existing before selective demolition operations began.
- B. **Existing Facilities**: Comply with Owner's requirements for using and protecting walkways, building entries, and other building facilities during selective demolition operations.
- C. Removed and Salvaged Items: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Clean salvaged items.
  - 2. Pack or crate items after cleaning. Identify contents of containers.
  - 3. Store items in a secure area until delivery to Owner.
  - 4. Transport items to Owner's storage area designated by Owner.
  - 5. Protect items from damage during transport and storage.
- D. **Removed and Reinstalled Items**: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Clean and repair items to functional condition adequate for intended reuse. Paint equipment to match new equipment.
  - 2. Pack or crate items after cleaning and repairing. Identify contents of containers.
  - 3. Protect items from damage during transport and storage.
  - 4. Reinstall items in locations indicated. Comply with installation requirements for new materials and equipment. Provide connections, supports, and miscellaneous materials necessary to make item functional for use indicated.
- E. **Existing Items to Remain**: Protect construction indicated to remain against damage and soiling during selective demolition. When permitted by Architect, items may be removed to a suitable, protected storage location during selective demolition and cleaned and reinstalled in their original locations after selective demolition operations are complete.
- F. **Concrete**: Neatly core drill openings in existing floor verify locations of services in suspended slab and below before any cutting.

#### 3.6 PATCHING AND REPAIRS

- A. **General**: Promptly repair damage to adjacent construction caused by selective demolition operations.
- B. **Repairs**: Where repairs to existing surfaces are required, patch to produce surfaces suitable for new materials.
  - Completely fill holes and depressions in existing masonry walls that are to remain with an approved masonry patching material applied according to manufacturer's written recommendations.
- C. **Finishes**: Restore exposed finishes of patched areas and extend restoration into adjoining construction in a manner that eliminates evidence of patching and refinishing.

- D. **Floors and Walls**: Where walls or partitions that are demolished 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 existing floor and wall coverings and replace with new materials, as noted on Drawings, to achieve uniform color and appearance.
  - 1. Patch with durable seams that are as invisible as possible. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Sections of these Specifications.
  - 2. Skim coat entire wall surface with drywall compound to provide smooth, unblemished substrate for new paint finish.
  - 3. Where patching occurs in a painted surface, apply primer and intermediate paint coats over patch and apply final paint coat over entire unbroken surface containing patch. Provide additional coats until patch blends with adjacent surfaces.
  - 4. Test and inspect patched areas after completion to demonstrate integrity of installation.
- E. **Ceilings**: Patch, repair, or rehang existing ceilings as necessary to provide an even-plane surface of uniform appearance. Replace damaged ceiling panels with new panels, matching existing.

#### 3.7 DISPOSAL OF DEMOLISHED MATERIALS

- A. **General**: Promptly dispose of demolished materials. Do not allow demolished materials to accumulate on-site.
- B. **Burning**: Do not burn demolished materials.
- Disposal: Transport demolished materials off Owner's property and legally dispose of them.

**END OF SECTION** 

# **DIVISION 3 - CONCRETE**

Section 03 3053

Cast-in Place Concrete (Limited Applications)

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#### **SECTION 03 3053**

## **CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE (LIMITED APPLICATIONS)**

## **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. This Section specifies **cast-in-place concrete**, including reinforcement, concrete materials, mix design, placement procedures, and finishes.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **General**: In addition to the following, comply with submittal requirements in ACI 301.
- B. **Product Data**: For each type of manufactured material and product indicated.
- C. **Design Mixes**: For each concrete mix.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Installer Qualifications**: An experienced installer who has completed concrete work similar in material, design, and extent to that indicated for this Project and whose work has resulted in construction with a record of successful in-service performance.
- B. **Manufacturer Qualifications**: A firm experienced in manufacturing ready-mixed concrete products complying with ASTM C 94 requirements for production facilities and equipment.
- C. **Source Limitations**: Obtain each type of cement of the same brand from the same manufacturer's plant, each aggregate from one source, and each admixture from the same manufacturer.
- D. **Comply with ACI 301**, "Specification for Structural Concrete," including the following, unless modified by the requirements of the Contract Documents.
  - 1. General requirements, including submittals, quality assurance, acceptance of structure, and protection of in-place concrete.
  - 2. Formwork and form accessories.
  - Steel reinforcement and supports.
  - 4. Concrete mixtures.
  - 5. Handling, placing, and constructing concrete.
  - 6. Lightweight concrete.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 FORMWORK

A. Furnish formwork and form accessories according to ACI 301.

#### 2.2 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

- A. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M, Grade 60 (Grade 420), deformed.
- B. Plain-Steel Wire: ASTM A 82, as drawn.
- C. **Plain-Steel Welded Wire Fabric**: ASTM A 185, fabricated from as-drawn steel wire into flat sheets.

## 2.3 CONCRETE MATERIALS

- A. **Portland Cement**: ASTM C 150, Type I.
- B. **Normal-Weight Aggregate**: ASTM C 33, uniformly graded, not exceeding 1-1/2-inch nominal size.
- C. **Water**: Potable and complying with ASTM C 94.

#### 2.4 ADMIXTURES

- A. **General**: Admixtures certified by manufacturer to contain not more than 0.1 percent water-soluble chloride ions by mass of cement and to be compatible with other admixtures. Do not use admixtures containing calcium chloride.
- B. Air-Entraining Admixture: ASTM C 260.
- C. Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494, Type A.

## 2.5 RELATED MATERIALS

- A. **Fine-Graded Granular Material**: Clean mixture of crushed stone, crushed gravel, and manufactured or natural sand; ASTM D 448, Size 10, with 100 percent passing a No. 4 (4.75-mm) sieve and 10 to 30 percent passing a No. 100 (0.15-mm) sieve; complying with deleterious substance limits of ASTM C 33 for fine aggregates.
- B. **Joint-Filler Strips**: ASTM D 1751, asphalt-saturated cellulosic fiber, or ASTM D 1752, cork or self-expanding cork.

#### 2.6 CURING MATERIALS

- A. **Evaporation Retarder**: Waterborne, monomolecular film forming, manufactured for application to fresh concrete.
- B. **Absorptive Cover**: AASHTO M 182, Class 2, burlap cloth made from jute or kenaf, weighing approximately 9 oz./sq. yd. dry.
- C. **Moisture-Retaining Cover**: ASTM C 171, polyethylene film or white burlap-polyethylene sheet.
- D. Water: Potable.

E. Clear, Waterborne, Membrane-Forming Curing Compound: ASTM C 309, Type 1, Class B.

#### 2.7 CONCRETE MIXES

- A. **Comply with ACI 301** requirements for concrete mixtures.
- B. **Prepare design mixes**, proportioned according to ACI 301, for normal-weight concrete determined by either laboratory trial mix or field test data bases, as follows:
  - 1. Compressive Strength (28 Days): Minimum 4000 psi.
  - 2. Slump: 4 inches.
    - a. Slump Limit for Concrete Containing High-Range Water-Reducing Admixture: Not more than 8 inches after adding admixture to plant- or site-verified, 2- to 3-inch slump.
- C. **Add air-entraining admixture** at manufacturer's prescribed rate to result in concrete at point of placement having an air content of 5.5 to 7.5 percent.

#### 2.8 CONCRETE MIXING

- A. **Ready-Mixed Concrete**: Comply with ASTM C 94 and ASTM C 1116.
  - When air temperature is between 85 and 90 degrees F, reduce mixing and delivery time from 1-1/2 hours to 75 minutes; when air temperature is above 90 degrees F, reduce mixing and delivery time to 60 minutes.
- B. **Project-Site Mixing**: Measure, batch, and mix concrete materials and concrete according to ASTM C 94. Mix concrete materials in appropriate drum-type batch machine mixer.
  - 1. For mixer capacity of 1 cubic yard or smaller, continue mixing at least one and one-half minutes, but not more than five minutes after ingredients are in mixer, before any part of batch is released.
  - 2. For mixer capacity larger than 1 cubic yard, increase mixing time by 15 seconds for each additional 1 cubic yard.
  - 3. Provide batch ticket for each batch discharged and used in the Work, indicating Project identification name and number, date, mix type, mix time, quantity, and amount of water added. Record approximate location of final deposit in structure.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 FORMWORK

A. Design, construct, erect, shore, brace, and maintain formwork according to ACI 301.

#### 3.2 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

A. **Comply with CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice"** for fabricating, placing, and supporting reinforcement.

#### 3.3 JOINTS

A. **General:** Construct joints true to line with faces perpendicular to surface plane of concrete.

- B. **Construction Joints:** Locate and install so as not to impair strength or appearance of concrete, at locations indicated or as approved by Architect.
- C. **Isolation Joints**: Install joint-filler strips at junctions with slabs-on-grade and vertical surfaces, such as column pedestals, foundation walls, grade beams, and other locations, as indicated.
  - 1. Extend joint fillers full width and depth of joint, terminating flush with finished concrete surface, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. **Contraction (Control) Joints in Slabs-on-Grade**: Form weakened-plane contraction joints, sectioning concrete into areas as indicated. Construct contraction joints for a depth equal to at least one-fourth of the concrete thickness, as follows:
  - Grooved Joints: Form contraction joints after initial floating by grooving and finishing each edge of joint with groover tool to a radius of 1/8 inch. Repeat grooving of contraction joints after applying surface finishes. Eliminate groover marks on concrete surfaces.

#### 3.4 CONCRETE PLACEMENT

- A. **Comply with recommendations in ACI 304R** for measuring, mixing, transporting, and placing concrete.
- B. **Do not add water** to concrete during delivery, at Project site, or during placement.
- C. Consolidate concrete with mechanical vibrating equipment.

#### 3.5 FINISHING FORMED SURFACES

- A. **Smooth-Formed Finish:** As-cast concrete texture imparted by form-facing material, arranged in an orderly and symmetrical manner with a minimum of seams. Repair and patch tie holes and defective areas. Completely remove fins and other projections.
  - 1. Apply to concrete surfaces exposed to public view or to be covered with a coating or covering material applied directly to concrete.
  - 2. Do not apply rubbed finish to smooth-formed finish.
- B. **Related Unformed Surfaces:** At tops of walls, horizontal offsets, and similar unformed surfaces adjacent to formed surfaces, strike off smooth and finish with a texture matching adjacent formed surfaces. Continue final surface treatment of formed surfaces uniformly across adjacent unformed surfaces, unless otherwise indicated.

#### 3.6 FINISHING UNFORMED SURFACES

- A. **General:** Comply with ACI 302.1R for screeding, restraightening, and finishing operations for concrete surfaces. Do not wet concrete surfaces.
- B. **Screed surfaces** with a straightedge and strike off. Begin initial floating using bull floats or darbies to form a uniform and open-textured surface plane before excess moisture or bleedwater appears on the surface.
  - Do not further disturb surfaces before starting finishing operations.
- C. **Trowel Finish**: Apply a hard trowel finish to surfaces indicated and to floor and slab surfaces exposed to view or to be covered with resilient flooring, carpet, ceramic or quarry tile set over a cleavage membrane, paint, or another thin film-finish coating system.

#### 3.7 TOLERANCES

A. Comply with ACI 117, "Specifications for Tolerances for Concrete Construction and Materials."

#### 3.8 CONCRETE PROTECTION AND CURING

- A. **General:** Protect freshly placed concrete from premature drying and excessive cold or hot temperatures. Comply with ACI 306.1 for cold-weather protection, and follow recommendations in ACI 305R for hot-weather protection during curing.
- B. **Evaporation Retarder**: Apply evaporation retarder to concrete surfaces if hot, dry, or windy conditions cause moisture loss approaching 0.2 lb/sq. ft. x h before and during finishing operations. Apply according to manufacturer's written instructions after placing, screeding, and bull floating or darbying concrete, but before float finishing.
- C. **Begin curing** after finishing concrete, but not before free water has disappeared from concrete surface.
- D. **Curing Methods**: Cure formed and unformed concrete for at least seven days by moisture curing, moisture-retaining-cover curing, curing compound, or a combination of these as follows:
  - 1. Moisture Curing: Keep surfaces continuously moist for not less than seven days with the following materials:
    - a. Continuous water-fog spray.
    - b. Absorptive cover, water saturated and kept continuously wet. Cover concrete surfaces and edges with 12-inch lap over adjacent absorptive covers.
  - 2. Curing Compound: Apply uniformly in continuous operation by power spray or roller according to manufacturer's written instructions. Recoat areas subjected to heavy rainfall within three hours after initial application. Maintain continuity of coating and repair damage during curing period.

#### 3.9 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. **Testing Agency:** Owner will engage a qualified independent testing and inspecting agency to sample materials, perform tests, and submit test reports during concrete placement. Tests will be performed according to ACI 301.
  - 1. Testing Frequency: Obtain one composite sample for each day's pour of each concrete mix exceeding 5 cubic yard, but less than 25 cubic yard, plus one set for each additional 50 cubic yard or fraction thereof.

## 3.10 REPAIRS

A. **Remove and replace concrete** that does not comply with requirements in this Section.

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# **DIVISION 5 - METALS**

Section 05 5000

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#### **SECTION 05 5000**

#### **METAL FABRICATIONS**

#### **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. This **Section includes** the following:
  - 1. Catwalk structure.
  - 2. Steel framing and supports for countertops.
  - 3. Steel framing and supports for mechanical and electrical equipment.
  - 4. Steel framing and supports for applications where framing and supports are not specified in other Sections.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 06 1053 "Miscellaneous Rough Carpentry" for metal framing anchors and other rough hardware.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For the following:
  - 1. Paint products.
  - 2. Grout.
- B. **Shop Drawings General**: Detail fabrication and erection of each metal fabrication indicated. Include plans, elevations, sections, and details of metal fabrications and their connections. Show anchorage and accessory items.
  - 1. Provide templates for anchors and bolts specified for installation under other Sections.
- C. Welding Certificates: Copies of certificates for welding procedures and personnel.
- D. Qualification Data: For firms and persons specified in "Quality Assurance" Article to demonstrate their capabilities and experience. Include lists of completed projects with project names and addresses, names and addresses of architects and owners, and other information specified.
- E. **Delegated-Design Submittal:** For installed products indicated to comply with performance requirements and design criteria, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Fabricator Qualifications**: A firm experienced in producing metal fabrications similar to those indicated for this Project and with a record of successful in-service performance, as well as sufficient production capacity to produce required units.
- B. **Welding**: Qualify procedures and personnel according to the following:
  - AWS D1.1, "Structural Welding Code--Steel."
  - 2. AWS D1.2, "Structural Welding Code--Aluminum."
  - 3. AWS D1.3, "Structural Welding Code--Sheet Steel."
  - 4. Certify that each welder has satisfactorily passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and, if pertinent, has undergone recertification.

#### 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Field Measurements General**: Where metal fabrications are indicated to fit walls and other construction, verify dimensions by field measurements before fabrication and indicate measurements on Shop Drawings. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.
  - Established Dimensions: Where field measurements cannot be made without delaying the Work, establish dimensions and proceed with fabricating metal fabrications without field measurements. Coordinate construction to ensure that actual dimensions correspond to established dimensions. Allow for trimming and fitting.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

A. **Coordinate installation of anchorages for metal fabrications**. 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.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 METALS, GENERAL

A. **Metal Surfaces, General**: For metal fabrications exposed to view in the completed Work, provide materials with smooth, flat surfaces without blemishes. Do not use materials with exposed pitting, seam marks, roller marks, rolled trade names, or roughness. Do not use steel sheet with variations in flatness exceeding those permitted by referenced standards for stretcher-leveled sheet.

# 2.2 FERROUS METALS

- A. Steel Plates, Shapes, and Bars: ASTM A 36/A 36M.
- B. **Steel Tubing**: Cold-formed steel tubing complying with ASTM A 500.
- C. **Steel Pipe**: ASTM A 53, standard weight (Schedule 40), unless another weight is indicated or required by structural loads.

- E. **Uncoated Hot-Rolled Steel Sheet**: Commercial quality, complying with ASTM A 569/A569M or structural quality, complying with ASTM A 570, Grade 30, unless another grade is required by design loads.
- F. **Galvanized-Steel Sheet**: ASTM A 653/A 653M, Structural Steel (SS), G60 (Z180) zinc coating.
- G. **Brackets, Flanges, and Anchors**: Cast or formed metal of same type of material and finish as supported rails, unless otherwise indicated.
- H. **Slotted Channel Framing**: Cold-formed metal channels with flange edges returned toward web and with 9/16-inch- wide slotted holes in webs at 2 inches o.c.
  - 1. Width of Channels: 1-5/8 inches.
  - 2. Depth of Channels: 1-5/8 inches.
  - 3. Metal and Thickness: Uncoated steel complying with ASTM A 570, Grade 33; 14 gauge minimum thickness.
  - 4. Finish: Rust-inhibitive, baked-on, acrylic enamel.
- I. Cast-in-Place Anchors in Concrete: Anchors of type indicated below, fabricated from corrosion-resistant materials capable of sustaining, without failure, the load imposed within a safety factor of 4, as determined by testing per ASTM E 488, conducted by a qualified independent testing agency.
  - 1. Threaded or wedge type; galvanized ferrous castings, either ASTM A 47 malleable iron or ASTM A 27cast steel. Provide bolts, washers, and shims as needed, hot-dip galvanized per ASTM A 153.
- J. **Welding Rods and Bare Electrodes**: Select according to AWS specifications for metal alloy welded.

## 2.3 PAINT

- A. **Shop Primer for Ferrous Metal**: Fast-curing, lead- and chromate-free, universal modified-alkyd primer complying with performance requirements in FS TT-P-664; selected for good resistance to normal atmospheric corrosion, compatibility with finish paint systems indicated, and capability to provide a sound foundation for field-applied topcoats despite prolonged exposure.
  - 1. Refer to Section 09 9123 Painting for specific primer required on identified steel items.
- B. **Galvanizing Repair Paint**: High-zinc-dust-content paint for regalvanizing welds in steel, complying with SSPC-Paint 20.
- C. **Bituminous Paint**: Cold-applied asphalt mastic complying with SSPC-Paint 12, except containing no asbestos fibers, or cold-applied asphalt emulsion complying with ASTM D 1187.

#### 2.4 FASTENERS

A. **General**: Provide Type 304 or 316 stainless-steel fasteners for exterior use and zinc-plated fasteners with coating complying with ASTM B 633, Class Fe/Zn 5, where built into exterior walls. Select fasteners for type, grade, and class required.

- B. **Bolts and Nuts**: Regular hexagon-head bolts, ASTM A 307, Grade A; with hex nuts, ASTM A 563; and, where indicated, flat washers.
- C. Anchor Bolts: ASTM F 1554, Grade 36.
- D. Machine Screws: ASME B18.6.3.
- E. Lag Bolts: ASME B18.2.1.
- F. Wood Screws: Flat head, carbon steel, ASME B18.6.1.
- G. Plain Washers: Round, carbon steel, ASME B18.22.1
- H. **Lock Washers**: Helical, spring type, carbon steel, ASME B18.21.1.
- I. 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 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 agency.
  - Material: Carbon-steel components zinc-plated to comply with ASTM B 633, Class Fe/Zn 5.
- J. Toggle Bolts: FS FF-B-588, tumble-wing type, class and style as needed.

#### 2.5 GROUT

A. **Nonshrink, Nonmetallic Grout**: Factory-packaged, nonstaining, noncorrosive, nongaseous grout complying with ASTM C 1107. Provide grout specifically recommended by manufacturer for interior and exterior applications.

#### 2.6 CONCRETE FILL

- A. **Concrete Materials and Properties**: Comply with requirements in Division 3 Section "Cast-in-Place Concrete" for normal-weight, air-entrained, ready-mix concrete with a minimum 28-day compressive strength of 4000 psi, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **Welded Wire Fabric**: ASTM A 185, 6 by 6 inches -W1.4 by W1.4, unless otherwise indicated.

#### 2.7 FABRICATION, GENERAL

- A. **Shop Assembly**: Preassemble items in shop to greatest extent possible to minimize field splicing and assembly. Disassemble units only as necessary for shipping and handling limitations. Use connections that maintain structural value of joined pieces. Clearly mark units for reassembly and coordinated installation.
- B. **Shear and punch** metals cleanly and accurately. Remove burrs.
- C. Ease exposed edges to a radius of approximately 1/32 inch, unless otherwise indicated. Form bent-metal corners to smallest radius possible without causing grain separation or otherwise impairing work.

- D. **Weld corners** and seams continuously to comply with the following:
  - 1. Use materials and methods that minimize distortion and develop strength and corrosion resistance of base metals.
  - 2. Obtain fusion without undercut or overlap.
  - 3. Remove welding flux immediately.
  - 4. At exposed connections, finish exposed welds and surfaces smooth and blended so no roughness shows after finishing and contour of welded surface matches that of adjacent surface.
- E. **Provide for anchorage** of type indicated; coordinate with supporting structure. Fabricate and space anchoring devices to secure metal fabrications rigidly in place and to support indicated loads.
- F. **Cut, reinforce, drill, and tap metal fabrications** as indicated to receive finish hardware, screws, and similar items.
- G. **Fabricate joints** that will be exposed to weather in a manner to exclude water, or provide weep holes where water may accumulate.
- H. **Allow for thermal movement** resulting from the following maximum change (range) in ambient and surface temperatures by preventing buckling, opening up of joints, overstressing of components, failure of connections, and other detrimental effects. Base engineering calculation on surface temperatures of materials due to both solar heat gain and nighttime-sky heat loss.
  - 1. Temperature Change (Range): 120 degrees F, ambient; 180 degrees F, material surfaces.
- Form exposed work true to line and level with accurate angles and surfaces and straight sharp edges.
- J. Remove sharp or rough areas on exposed traffic surfaces.
- K. **Form exposed connections with hairline joints**, flush and smooth, using concealed fasteners where possible. Use exposed fasteners of type indicated or, if not indicated, Phillips flat-head (countersunk) screws or bolts. Locate joints where least conspicuous.

# 2.8 LOOSE BEARING AND LEVELING PLATES

- A. **Provide loose bearing and leveling plates** for steel items bearing on masonry or concrete construction. Drill plates to receive anchor bolts and for grouting.
- B. **Galvanize plates** after fabrication.

# 2.9 LOOSE STEEL LINTELS

- A. **Fabricate loose structural-steel lintels** from steel angles and shapes of size indicated for openings and recesses in masonry walls and partitions at locations indicated.
- B. **Weld adjoining members** together to form a single unit where as required.
- C. **Size loose lintels** to provide bearing length at each side of openings equal to one-twelfth of clear span, but not less than 8 inches, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Galvanize loose steel lintels located in exterior walls.

#### 2.10 SHELF ANGLES

- A. **Fabricate shelf angles** from steel angles of sizes indicated and for attachment to concrete framing. Provide horizontally slotted holes to receive 3/4-inch bolts, spaced not more than 6 inches from ends and 24 inches o.c., unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **For cavity walls**, provide vertical channel brackets to support angles from backup masonry and concrete. Align expansion joints in angles with indicated control and expansion joints in cavity-wall exterior wythe.
- C. Galvanize shelf angles to be installed in exterior walls
- D. **Furnish wedge-type concrete inserts**, complete with fasteners, to attach shelf angles to cast-in-place concrete.

#### 2.11 MISCELLANEOUS FRAMING AND SUPPORTS

- A. **General**: Provide steel framing and supports that are not a part of structural-steel framework as necessary to complete the Work.
- B. **Fabricate units** from structural-steel shapes, plates, and bars of welded construction, unless otherwise indicated. Fabricate to sizes, shapes, and profiles indicated and as necessary to receive adjacent construction retained by framing and supports. Cut, drill, and tap units to receive hardware, hangers, and similar items.
  - 1. Fabricate units from slotted channel framing where required for deflection.
  - 2. Where units are indicated to be cast into concrete or built into masonry, equip with integrally welded steel strap anchors 1-1/4 inches wide by 1/4 inch thick by 8 inches long at 24 inches o.c., unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Furnish inserts if units must be installed after concrete is placed.
- C. **Galvanize** miscellaneous framing and supports in the following locations:
  - Exterior locations and where miscellaneous items will be concealed from view.

#### 2.12 MISCELLANEOUS STEEL TRIM

- A. **Unless otherwise indicated,** fabricate units from structural-steel shapes, plates, and bars of profiles shown with continuously welded joints, and smooth exposed edges. Miter corners and use concealed field splices where possible.
- B. **Provide cutouts, fittings, and anchorages as needed** to coordinate assembly and installation with other work. Provide anchors, welded to trim, for embedding in concrete or masonry construction, spaced not more than 6 inches from each end, 6 inches from corners, and 24 inches o.c., unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Galvanize miscellaneous steel trim in the following locations:
  - Exterior.

#### 2.13 FINISHES, GENERAL

- A. **Comply with NAAMM's** "Metal Finishes Manual for Architectural and Metal Products" for recommendations for applying and designating finishes.
- B. Finish metal fabrications after assembly.

#### 2.14 STEEL AND IRON FINISHES

- A. **Galvanizing**: Hot-dip galvanize items as indicated to comply with applicable standard listed below:
  - 1. ASTM A 123, for galvanizing steel and iron products.
  - 2. ASTM A 153, for galvanizing steel and iron hardware.
- B. **Preparation for Shop Priming**: Prepare uncoated ferrous-metal surfaces to comply with minimum requirements indicated below for SSPC surface-preparation specifications and environmental exposure conditions of installed metal fabrications:
  - 1. Exteriors (SSPC Zone 1B): SSPC-SP 6/NACE No. 3, "Commercial Blast Cleaning."
  - 2. Interiors (SSPC Zone 1A): SSPC-SP 3, "Power Tool Cleaning."
- C. **Application**: Apply shop primer to uncoated surfaces of metal fabrications, except those with galvanized finishes and those to be embedded in concrete, sprayed-on fireproofing, or masonry, unless otherwise indicated. Comply with SSPC-PA 1, "Paint Application Specification No. 1," for shop painting.
  - 1. Stripe paint corners, crevices, bolts, welds, and sharp edges.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **Fastening to In-Place Construction**: Provide anchorage devices and fasteners where necessary for securing metal fabrications to in-place construction. Include threaded fasteners for concrete and masonry inserts, toggle bolts, through-bolts, lag bolts, wood screws, and other connectors.
- B. **Cutting, Fitting, and Placement**: Perform cutting, drilling, and fitting required for installing metal fabrications. Set metal fabrications accurately in location, alignment, and elevation; with edges and surfaces level, plumb, true, and free of rack; and measured from established lines and levels.
- C. **Provide temporary bracing** or anchors in formwork for items that are to be built into concrete, masonry, or similar construction.
- D. Fit exposed connections accurately together to form hairline joints. Weld connections that are not to be left as exposed joints but cannot be shop welded because of shipping size limitations. Do not weld, cut, or abrade surfaces of exterior units that have been hot-dip galvanized after fabrication and are for bolted or screwed field connections.
- E. **Field Welding**: Comply with the following requirements:
  - Use materials and methods that minimize distortion and develop strength and corrosion resistance of base metals.
  - 2. Obtain fusion without undercut or overlap.
  - 3. Remove welding flux immediately.
  - 4. At exposed connections, finish exposed welds and surfaces smooth and blended so no roughness shows after finishing and contour of welded surface matches that of adjacent surface.

F. **Corrosion Protection**: Coat concealed surfaces of aluminum that will come into contact with grout, concrete, masonry, wood, or dissimilar metals with a heavy coat of bituminous paint.

#### 3.2 SETTING BEARING AND LEVELING PLATES

- A. **Clean concrete and masonry bearing surfaces** of bond-reducing materials, and roughen to improve bond to surfaces. Clean bottom surface of plates.
- B. **Set bearing and leveling plates** on wedges, shims, or leveling nuts. After bearing members have been positioned and plumbed, tighten anchor bolts. Do not remove wedges or shims but, if protruding, cut off flush with edge of bearing plate before packing with grout.
  - Use non-shrink grout, either metallic or nonmetallic, in concealed locations where not exposed to moisture; use non-shrink, nonmetallic grout in exposed locations, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Pack grout solidly between bearing surfaces and plates to ensure that no voids remain.

#### 3.3 INSTALLING MISCELLANEOUS FRAMING AND SUPPORTS

- A. **General**: Install framing and supports to comply with requirements of items being supported, including manufacturers' written instructions and requirements indicated on Shop Drawings, if any.
- B. **Support steel girders on solid grouted masonry**, concrete, or steel pipe columns. Secure girders with anchor bolts embedded in grouted masonry or concrete or with bolts through top plates of pipe columns.
  - 1. Where grout space under bearing plates is indicated at girders supported on concrete or masonry, install as specified above for setting and grouting bearing and leveling plates.

#### 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. **Touchup Painting**: Immediately after erection, clean field welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas of shop paint, and paint exposed areas with the same material as used for shop painting to comply with SSPC-PA 1 for touching up shop-painted surfaces.
  - 1. Apply by brush or spray to provide a minimum 2.0-mil dry film thickness.
- B. **Galvanized Surfaces**: Clean field welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas and repair galvanizing to comply with ASTM A 780.

# **END OF SECTION**

# **DIVISION 6 – WOOD, PLASTICS, AND COMPOSITES**

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#### **SECTION 06 1000**

#### ROUGH CARPENTRY

#### **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. This **Section includes** the following:
  - 1. Framing with dimension lumber.
  - 2. Framing with engineered wood products.
  - 3. Solid wood blocking and nailers at locations of wall mounted fixtures.
    - a. Provide 2 rows each at base and upper cabinets and casework.
  - 4. Wood furring
  - 5. Plywood backing panels.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. **Rough Carpentry**: Carpentry work not specified in other Sections and not exposed, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **Exposed Framing**: Dimension lumber not concealed by other construction.
- C. **Lumber grading agencies**, and the abbreviations used to reference them, include the following:
  - 1. NLGA National Lumber Grades Authority.
  - 2. WCLIB West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau.
  - 3. WWPA Western Wood Products Association.

#### 1.4 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, net amount of preservative retained, and chemical treatment manufacturer's written instructions for handling, storing, installing, and finishing treated material.
  - Include copies of warranties from chemical treatment manufacturers for each type of treatment.
- B. **Fastener Patterns**: Full-size templates for fasteners in exposed framing.
- C. **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.

- D. **Research/Evaluation Reports**: For the following, showing compliance with building code in effect for Project:
  - 1. Wood-preservative-treated wood.
  - 2. Engineered wood products.
  - 3. Power-driven fasteners.
  - 4. Powder-actuated fasteners.
  - 5. Expansion anchors.
  - 6. Metal framing anchors.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. **Source Limitations for Engineered Wood Products**: Obtain each type of engineered wood product through one source from a single manufacturer.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Keep materials under cover and dry**. Protect from weather and contact with damp or wet surfaces. Stack lumber, plywood, and other panels. Provide for air circulation within and around stacks and under temporary coverings.
  - 1. For lumber and plywood pressure treated with waterborne chemicals, place spacers between each bundle to provide air circulation.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 WOOD PRODUCTS, GENERAL

- A. **Lumber**: DOC PS 20 and applicable rules of lumber grading agencies certified by the American Lumber Standards Committee Board of Review.
  - 1. Factory mark each piece of lumber with grade stamp of grading agency.
  - 2. For exposed lumber indicated to receive a stained or natural finish, mark grade stamp on end or back of each piece, or omit grade stamp and provide certificates of grade compliance issued by grading agency.
  - 3. 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.
  - 4. Provide dressed lumber, S4S, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 5. Provide dry lumber with 19 percent maximum moisture content at time of dressing for 2-inch nominal thickness or less, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **Engineered Wood Products**: Provide engineered wood products acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and for which current model code research or evaluation reports exist that show compliance with building code in effect for Project.
  - Allowable Design Stresses: Provide engineered wood products with allowable design stresses, as published by manufacturer, which meet or exceed those indicated. Manufacturer's published values shall be determined from empirical data or by rational engineering analysis and demonstrated by comprehensive testing performed by a qualified independent testing agency.

#### 2.2 WOOD-PRESERVATIVE-TREATED MATERIALS

- A. **General**: Where lumber or plywood is indicated as preservative treated or is specified to be treated, comply with applicable requirements of AWPA C2 (lumber) and AWPA C9 (plywood). Mark each treated item with the Quality Mark Requirements of an inspection agency approved by ALSC's Board of Review.
  - 1. Do not use chemicals containing chromium or arsenic.
  - 2. For exposed items indicated to receive stained finish, use chemical formulations that do not bleed through, contain colorants, or otherwise adversely affect finishes.
- B. **Pressure treat above-ground items** with waterborne preservatives to a minimum retention of 0.25 lb/cu. ft. After treatment, kiln-dry lumber and plywood to a maximum moisture content of 19 and 15 percent, respectively. Treat indicated items and the following:
  - 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, furring, stripping, and similar concealed members in contact with masonry or concrete.
- C. **Pressure treat wood members in contact with ground** or freshwater with waterborne preservatives to a minimum retention of 0.40 lb/cu. ft.

# 2.3 FIRE-RETARDANT TREATMENT BY PRESSURE PROCESS

- A. **General**: Where fire-retardant-treated wood is indicated, pressure impregnate lumber and plywood with fire-retardant chemicals to comply with AWPA C20 and C27, respectively, for treatment type indicated; identify "fire-retardant-treated wood" with appropriate classification marking of Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., U.S. Testing, Timber Products Inspection, Inc. or other testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - Current Evaluation/Research Reports: Provide fire-retardant- treated wood for which a current model code evaluation/research report exists that is acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and that evidences compliance of fire-retardanttreated wood for application indicated.
- B. **Interior Type A**: For interior locations use fire-retardant chemical formulation that produces treated lumber and plywood with the following properties under conditions present after installation:
  - No reduction takes place in bending strength, stiffness, and fastener holding capacities below values published by manufacturer of chemical formulation that are based on tests by a qualified independent testing laboratory of treated wood products identical to those indicated for this Project under elevated temperature and humidity conditions simulating installed conditions.
  - 2. No other form of degradation occurs due to acid hydrolysis or other causes related to manufacture and treatment.
  - 3. No corrosion of metal fasteners results from their contact with treated wood.
- C. **Exterior Type**: Use for exterior locations and where indicated.
- D. **Inspection**: Inspect each piece of treated lumber or plywood after drying and discard damaged or defective pieces.

- E. **Products**: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - Interior Type A Fire-Retardant-Treated Wood:
    - a. "Dricon" Hickson Corporation.
    - b. "Pyro-Guard" Hoover Treated Wood Products.
    - c. "Flameproof LHC-HTT" Osmose Wood Preserving Co, Inc.
  - 2. Exterior Type Fire-Retardant-Treated Wood:
    - a. "Exterior Fire-X" Hoover Treated Wood Products.

#### 2.4 DIMENSION LUMBER

- A. **General**: Provide dimension lumber of grades indicated according to the American Lumber Standards Committee National Grading Rule provisions of the grading agency indicated.
- B. **Joists, Rafters, and Other Framing Not Listed Above**: Construction or No. 2 grade and any of the following species:
  - 1. Douglas fir-larch; WCLIB or WWPA.
  - 2. Provide dressed lumber, S4S, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Provide dry lumber with 19 percent maximum moisture content at time of dressing for 2-inch nominal thickness or less, unless otherwise indicated.

#### 2.5 MISCELLANEOUS LUMBER

- A. **General**: Provide lumber for support or attachment of other construction, including the following:
  - 1. Rooftop equipment bases and support curbs.
  - 2. Blocking.
  - 3. Nailers.
  - 4. Furring.
  - 5. Grounds.
- B. **For items of dimension lumber size**, provide Construction, Stud, or No. 2 grade lumber with 15 percent maximum moisture content and any of the following species:
  - 1. Hem-fir or Hem-fir (north); NLGA, WCLIB, or WWPA.
  - 2. Western woods; WCLIB or WWPA.
- C. **For concealed boards**, provide lumber with 15 percent maximum moisture content and any of the following species and grades:
  - 1. Hem-fir or Hem-fir (north), Construction or 2 Common grade; NLGA, WCLIB, or WWPA
  - 2. Western woods, Construction or No. 2 Common grade; WCLIB or WWPA.
- D. **For furring strips** for installing plywood or hardboard paneling, select boards with no knots capable of producing bent-over nails and damage to paneling.

#### 2.6 PLYWOOD BACKING PANELS

A. **Telephone and Electrical Equipment Backing Panels**: DOC PS 1, Exposure 1, C-D Plugged, fire-retardant treated, in thickness indicated or, if not indicated, not less than 1/2 inch thick.

# 2.7 FASTENERS

- A. **General**: Provide fasteners of size and type indicated that comply with requirements specified in this Article for material and manufacture.
- B. **All nails, brad, anchors, bolts and other fasteners** shall be <u>non-ferrous</u> type, of sufficient strength to hold components securely. Verify acceptability of any product with Architect and Owner prior to proceeding with the Work.
  - 1. Verify compatibility of any fastener in contact with treated lumber.

#### 2.8 METAL FRAMING ANCHORS

- A. **General**: Provide framing anchors made from metal indicated, of structural capacity, type, and size indicated, and as follows:
  - 1. Research/Evaluation Reports: Provide products acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and for which model code research/evaluation reports exist that show compliance of metal framing anchors, for application indicated, with building code in effect for Project.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **Set rough carpentry to required levels and lines**, with members plumb, true to line, cut, and fitted. Fit rough carpentry to other construction; scribe and cope as needed for accurate fit. Locate furring, nailers, blocking, grounds, and similar supports to comply with requirements for attaching other construction.
- B. **Do not use materials with defects** that impair quality of rough carpentry or pieces that are too small to use with minimum number of joints or optimum joint arrangement.
- C. **Apply field treatment** complying with **AWPA M4** to cut surfaces of preservative-treated lumber and plywood.
- D. **Securely attach rough carpentry work** to substrate by anchoring and fastening as indicated.

#### 3.2 WOOD GROUND, BLOCKING, AND NAILER INSTALLATION

- A. **Install where indicated and where required** for screeding or attaching other work. Form to shapes indicated and cut as required for true line and level of attached work. Coordinate locations with other work involved.
- B. Attach items to substrates to support applied loading. Recess bolts and nuts flush with surfaces, unless otherwise indicated. Build anchor bolts into masonry during installation of masonry work. Where possible, secure anchor bolts to formwork before concrete placement.
- C. **Provide permanent grounds** of dressed, pressure-preservative-treated, key-beveled lumber not less than 1-1/2 inches wide and of thickness required to bring face of ground to exact thickness of finish material. Remove temporary grounds when no longer required.

# 3.3 WOOD FRAMING INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **Framing Standard**: Comply with AFPA's "Manual for Wood Frame Construction," unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **Framing with Engineered Wood Products**: Install engineered wood products to comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
- C. **Do not splice** structural members between supports.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 06 4023**

#### INTERIOR ARCHITECTURAL WOODWORK

#### **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. This **Section includes** the following but is not limited to the following:
  - 1. Custom millwork.
  - 2. Laminate-clad cabinets.
  - 3. Solid-surface material countertops

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. **Interior architectural woodwork includes** wood furring, blocking, shims, and hanging strips for installing woodwork items unless concealed within other construction prior to woodwork installation.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: Product data for each type of product and process specified and incorporated into items of architectural woodwork during fabrication, finishing, and installation.
- B. **Shop Drawings**: Provide shop drawings showing location of each item, dimensioned plans and elevations, large-scale details, attachment devices, and other components.
  - 1. Show details full size.
  - 2. Show locations and sizes of furring, blocking, and hanging strips, including concealed blocking and reinforcing specified in other Sections.

# C. Samples for verification of the following:

- 1. Plastic-laminate-clad panel products, 8 by 10 inches, for each type, color, pattern, and surface finish.
- Thermoset decorative-overlay surfaced panel products, 8 by 10 inches, for each type, color, pattern, and surface finish.
- 3. Exposed cabinet hardware, one unit for each type and finish.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- AWS Quality Standard: Comply with applicable requirements of Architectural Woodwork Standards (AWS) - 2nd Edition, October 1, 2014, except as otherwise indicated.
- B. **Installer Qualifications**: Arrange for installation of architectural woodwork by a firm which can demonstrate successful experience in installing architectural woodwork items similar in type and quality to those required for this project.

C. Measurements: Before proceeding with fabrication of woodwork required to be fitted to other construction, obtain field measurements and verify dimensions and shop drawing details as required for accurate fit.

# D. Casework Integrity

1. All cabinets shall satisfy the AWS Appendix A testing standards: Structural Integrity Test, Concentrated Load Test, Torsion Test, Door Durability Test, Door Impact Test, Door Hinge Test, Drawer Bottom Impact Test, Drawer Support Test, Drawer And Door Pull Test, Drawer Rolling Load Test and Shelf Load Test.

#### E. Testing

- 1. The Owner reserves the right to take random sampling of casework components to verify that the materials and construction are as specified. In the event that one such sampling proves to be inferior to that which is specified, the entire installation shall become suspect of being inferior. The supplier shall, at his own expense, replace all components deemed of being inferior, or the supplier shall provide the guality of casework to the satisfaction of the Owner.
- F. Materials: Only non-ferrous metals shall be used in casework, including hardware.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Protect woodwork during transit**, delivery, storage, and handling to prevent damage, soilage, and deterioration.
- B. **Do not deliver woodwork** until painting and similar operations that could damage, soil, or deteriorate woodwork have been completed in installation areas. If woodwork must be stored in other than installation areas, store only in areas whose environmental conditions meet requirements specified in "Project Conditions."

#### 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Environmental Limitations**: Do not deliver or install woodwork until building is enclosed, wet-work is completed, and HVAC system is operating and will maintain temperature and relative humidity at occupancy levels during the remainder of the construction period.
- B. **Field Measurements**: Where woodwork is indicated to be fitted to other construction, check actual dimensions of other construction by accurate field measurements before fabrication, and show recorded measurements on final shop drawings. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.
  - 1. Verify locations of concealed framing, blocking, reinforcements, and furring that support woodwork by accurate field measurements before being enclosed. Record measurements on final shop drawings.
  - Where field measurements cannot be made without delaying the Work, guarantee dimensions and proceed with fabricating woodwork without field measurements. Provide allowance for trimming at site and coordinate construction to ensure that actual dimensions correspond to guaranteed dimensions.

#### 1.8 COORDINATION

- A. **Coordinate sizes and locations of framing**, blocking, furring, reinforcements, and other related units of Work specified in other Sections to ensure that interior architectural woodwork can be supported and installed as indicated.
- B. **Coordinate casework with RF-magnetic shielding vendor** to assure compatibility of all components with MRI equipment.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 WOODWORK FABRICATORS

- A. **Fabricators**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, provide interior architectural woodwork by one of the following:
  - 1. Huetter Mill and Cabinet Company.
  - 2. Granite Mill and Fixture Company.
  - Swainston Mill.
  - 4. Johnson Brothers.
  - 5. Pacific Cabinets, Inc. of Ferdinand, ID.
  - 6. Fondell Woodwork.
  - 7. Artistic Mill
  - 8. Masterpiece Commercial Millwork.
  - 9. Client's Design.
  - 10. Other mills may submit for approval no later than 10 days before the date for receipt of bids. Mills need not be members of AWI or WI to receive consideration, however, quality shall conform to levels outlined in these specifications and Associations' reference standards.
- B. **Acceptable Laminate Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, provide products listed below. If not listed, submit as a substitution according to Conditions of the Contract and the requirements of Division 1 Sections.
  - 1. Wilsonart.
- C. Acceptable Solid Surface Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, provide products listed below. If not listed, submit as a substitution according to Conditions of the Contract and the requirements of Division 1 Sections.
  - 1. DuPont; Corian.

#### 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. **General**: Provide materials that comply with requirements of the AWI quality standard for each type of woodwork and quality grade indicated and, where the following products are part of interior woodwork, with requirements of the referenced product standards that apply to product characteristics indicated:
  - 1. Hardboard: AHA A135.4.
  - 2. Particleboard: ANSI A208.1, Grade M-2, made with phenol-formaldehyde resins (no urea formaldehyde).
  - 3. Softwood Plywood: PS 1.
  - 4. Hardwood Plywood and Face Veneers: HPVA HP-1.
    - a. Select white maple, plain sliced.

- B. **High-Pressure Decorative Laminate**: NEMA LD 3, grades as indicated, or if not indicated, as required by woodwork quality standard.
- C. Adhesive for Bonding Plastic Laminate: Contact cement.
- D. **Thermoset Decorative Overlay**: Decorative surface of thermally fused polyester or melamine-impregnated web, bonded to specified substrate and complying with ALA 1992.
  - 1. Substrate: Medium-density particleboard.

# E. Solid Surfacing:

- 1. Cast, nonporous, filled polymer, not coated, laminated or of composite construction with through body colors meeting ANSI Z124.3 or ANSI Z124.6, having minimum physical and performance properties specified.
- 2. Superficial damage to a depth of 0.010 inch shall be repairable by sanding and/or polishing.
- 3. Thickness: 1/2 inch (or maximum thickness available in selected color/texture).
- 4. Adhesives: As recommended by quartz surfacing manufacturer for specific application.

#### 2.3 MANUFACTURED UNITS

#### A. Cabinets:

- Quality Standard: Comply with AWS Section 10, Custom grade, flush overlay design and the following:
- 2. Vertical Surface High Pressure Plastic Laminate:
  - a. High pressure plastic laminate for exterior surfaces shall be NEMA vertical grade 0.028 inch thickness, satin finish. Colors are to be selected from manufacturer's full color selection, including polished mirror types. Cabinet fronts for each individual cabinet shall be one color only.
  - b. Balancing sheet on inside of doors, drawer fronts and finished ends shall be high pressure plastic laminate cabinet liner matching cabinet interior.
- 3. Horizontal Surface High Pressure Plastic Laminate: High pressure plastic laminate for countertops and other horizontal surfaces shall be post-forming grade 0.039 inch thickness, satin finish. Colors to be selected from manufacturer's full color selection.
- 4. Thermo-Fused Melamine to Particle Board:
  - a. Melamine thermo-fused to a 45 pound density, or better particle board substrate. Color shall be almond.
  - b. Almond colored melamine shall be standard for all cabinet interiors whether exposed or semi-exposed.
- 5. Hardboard:
  - a. Hardboard for dividers shall be 1/4 inch tempered hardboard smooth both sides. Color shall be dark brown.
  - b. Hardboard exposed one side for cabinet backs and drawer bottoms shall be 1/4 inch thick and pre-finished one side to match cabinet interiors.
- 6. Laminate Grade for Exposed Surfaces: Provide laminate cladding complying with the following requirements for type of surface and grade.
  - a. Horizontal Surfaces Other Than Tops: GP-50 (0.050 inch nominal thickness).
  - b. Postformed Surfaces: PF-42 (0.039 inch nominal thickness).
  - c. Colors: As indicated on Finish Schedule, Sheet A501.

- 7. Edge-banding:
  - a. Edge-banding for cabinet body parts shall be purified 0.020 inch PVC, applied with hot melt glue by automatic edge-banding equipment. Color shall be as selected by Architect from manufacturers full color range.
  - Edge-banding for door and drawer fronts shall be purified 3 mm PVC applied with hot melt glue by automatic edge-banding equipment.
     Edges and corners shall be rounded with a 3mm radius and scraped free from machining or chatter marks. Color shall be as selected by Architect from manufacturers full color range.

#### 2.4 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Adhesives, General: Adhesives shall not contain urea formaldehyde.
- B. **VOC Limits for Installation Adhesives:** Installation adhesives shall comply with the following limits for VOC content when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24):
  - a. Wood Glues: Not more than 30 g/L.
  - b. Multipurpose Construction Adhesives: 70 g/L.
  - c. Contact Adhesive: Not more than 250 g/L.

#### 2.5 CABINET HARDWARE AND ACCESSORY MATERIALS

- A. **General:** Provide cabinet hardware and accessory materials associated with architectural cabinets, except for items specified in Division 8 Section "Door Hardware."
- B. Finish Hardware: All casework hardware shall be non-ferrous/non-magnetic type.
  - 1. Hinges: Hafele Single Pivot Institutional Hinge Arm, Aximat® 300, Grade 1, opening angle 270 degrees; black.
  - 2. Pulls: Berensen "Metro" 128mm CC Matte black pull, zinc.
  - 3. Drawer Slides: Sugatsune stainless steel slides, full extension, sized to accommodate drawers.
  - 4. Adjustable Shelf Supports:
    - a. Adjustable shelves shall be supported on adjustable shelf supports inserted in shelf holes drilled into the case ends or partitions and adjustable on 32mm (1-1/2 inch) centers. Supports to be KV 346 clips, zinc.
  - 5. Locks (where indicated on Drawings): Olympus non-magnetic deadbolts. Locks to have a two level keying system, coordinate with Owner for master locks and keying system.
  - 6. Screws: Reed and Prince square drive screws. Standard wood screws and sheet metal screws are not acceptable. Fasteners must be stainless steel or aluminum.

#### 2.6 INSTALLATION MATERIALS

- A. **Furring, Blocking, Shims, and Hanging Strips**: Softwood or hardwood lumber, kiln dried to less than 15 percent moisture content.
- B. **All nails, brad, anchors, bolts and other fasteners** shall be <u>non-ferrous</u> type, of sufficient strength to hold components securely. Verify acceptability of any product with Architect and Owner prior to proceeding with the Work.
  - 1. Verify compatibility of any fastener in contact with treated lumber.

- C. **Screws**: Select material, type, size, and finish required for each use. Comply with ASME B18.6.1 for applicable requirements.
- D. **Nails**: Select material, type, size, and finish required for each use. Comply with FS FF-N-105 for applicable requirements.
- E. **Anchors**: Select material, type, size, and finish required for each substrate for secure anchorage. Provide nonferrous metal anchors and inserts as required Provide toothed lead expansion bolt devices for drilled-in-place anchors.

#### 2.7 FABRICATION

#### A. General:

- 1. Wood Moisture Content: Comply with requirements of referenced quality standard for moisture content of lumber at time of fabrication and for relative humidity conditions in the installation areas.
- 2. Dimensions and profiles: Fabricate woodwork to dimensions, profiles, and details indicated with openings and mortises precut, where possible, to receive hardware and other items and work.
- 3. Edges: Ease edges to a 1/16 inch radius, for corners of cabinets and edges of solid wood (lumber) members less than 1 inch in nominal thickness, 1/8 inch radius for edges of rails and similar members over 1 inch in nominal thickness.
- 4. Pre-assembly: Complete fabrication, assembly, finishing, hardware application, and other work before shipment to project site to maximum extent possible. Disassemble components only as necessary for shipment and installation. Where necessary for fitting at site, provide ample allowance for scribing, trimming, and fitting.
- 5. Pre-Cut Openings: Fabricate architectural woodwork with pre-cut openings, where possible, to receive hardware, appliances, plumbing fixtures, electrical work and similar items. Locate openings accurately and use templates or roughing-in diagrams for proper size and shape. Smooth edges of cutoffs and, where located in countertops and similar exposures seal edges of cutouts with a water-resistant coating.
- 6. Door and Drawer Fronts: Doors, drawer fronts, and false fronts shall be flush overlay. They shall align vertically and horizontally and be on the same plane as one another. Shall be installed free of: warp, twisting, cupping, and/or bowing that cannot be held true; open joints, visible machine marks, cross-sanding, tear-outs, nicks, chips, and/or scratches

#### 2.8 COMPONENT CONSTRUCTION

A. **Toe Kicks**: Fixed cabinet bases shall be constructed of 3/4 inch exterior grade oriented strand board with 2x fir stringers height as shown on the drawings. Bases shall be leveled and anchored to the floor in continuing lengths to ensure straight and true lines of casework. Rubber, vinyl, or other finished base shall be furnished and installed by others.

#### B. Core Material:

1. Particleboard: Premium grade board of balanced construction with a density of 45 lbs. per cubic foot and moisture content of 8 percent or less. Face screw holding shall be a minimum of 320 lbs. withdrawal.

# C. Case Body:

- 1. Ends: Case ends shall be 3/4 inch fused melamine laminated to thermo-fused melamine to core material with phenolic backer on concealed side. Exposed exterior cabinet ends shall be laminated with vertical grade high pressure plastic laminate. Exposed edges shall be edges with 0.020 inch PVC edge-banding. Holes shall be drilled for adjustable shelf supports at 32mm (1-1/4 inch) centers.
- 2. Cabinet Top and Bottom:
  - a. Base and tall cabinet top and bottom shall be 3/4 inch thick with melamine thermo-fused to core material and phenolic backer sheets on concealed sides when semi-exposed. Provide plastic laminate if exposed to view.
  - b. Wall cabinet top and bottom shall be 3/4 inch thick except as noted below. Melamine thermo-fused to core material when semi-exposed. Provide plastic laminate if exposed to view.
    - 1) Provide bottoms of upper cabinets with a 50 lb per sq ft/ sq cm load capacity.
    - 2) Provide with thickness of 1 inch minimum when made with particleboard core and are 42 inch and over in length.
  - c. All exposed edges shall be banded with 0.020 inch PVC edge-banding.3. Adjustable Shelves:
  - a. Load is the total applied weight, uniformly dispersed on an individual shelf, not to exceed 200 lbs on any one shelf. Provide, per the AWS standards, the following load capacities:
    - 1) 50 lbs per sq ft/ sq cm for school, hospital, and library or book shelving.
    - 2) 40 lbs per sq ft/ sq cm for all other shelving
  - b. Deflection is the measured distance from a straight line that a shelf will deflect under load.
    - 1) L/144 (the length of the shelf divided by 144) is the industry standard for the maximum acceptable deflection of a shelf, which permits 1/4 inch deflection in a 36 inch shelf.
  - c. Adjustable shelves shall be 3/4 inch thick with melamine thermo-fused to core material on both sides for shelves up to 30 inch in width, and 1 inch thick for shelves over 30 inch in width.
  - d. Adjustable shelves in exposed or semi-exposed millwork shall be 3/4 inch thick with high pressure plastic laminate on exterior surface on both sides for shelves up to 30 inch in width, and 1 inch thick for shelves over 30 inch in width.
  - e. All exposed edges shall be banded with 0.020 inch thick PVC.
  - f. All shelves to be adjustable on 32mm, 1 1/4 inch centers.
- 4. Cabinet Backs:
  - a. Cabinet backs shall be 1/4 inch thick pre-finished hardboard for use in semi-exposed cabinets. The 1/4 inch is backed up with 4 inch x 3/4 inch hanging cleats on the back side.
  - b. Exposed back shall be 1/2 inch thick with melamine thermo-fused to core material on interior, and high pressure plastic laminate on exterior surface. The 1/2 inch is backed up with 4 inch x 1/2 inch hanging cleats on the back side.
  - c. Cabinet backs shall be dadoed or plowed in into top, bottom and sides, with a minimum shoulder of 3/8 inch, shall be securely nailed or stapled to the case body at a maximum of 4 inch on center.
  - Hanging cleats will be mounted on backs for installation purposes, one top and one bottom in wall and base cabinets. Three rails will be used for all tall cabinets.

#### D. **Doors and Drawer Fronts:**

- Plastic Laminate Doors and Drawer Fronts: Plastic laminate doors and drawer fronts shall be 3/4 inch thick for all hinged and sliding doors with vertical grade high pressure plastic laminate exterior face and color cabinet liner on interior face white.
  - a. Core material to be 11/16 inch thick.

#### E. Joinery:

- 1. All parts shall be accurately machined and fit for square and true, within a tolerance not to exceed 1/32 inch difference in measurement at top versus bottom, and 1/16 inch diagonally.
- 2. Cabinet components shall be doweled into ends using 10 mm hardwood dowels 4 inch on center maximum, securely glued. First dowel to be spaced a maximum of 1-15/16 inch from each edge or end.
- 3. Drawer bodies shall be box type construction with detachable drawer fronts. Joints shall be securely fastened with hardwood dowels and glue.

#### 2.9 SOLID-SURFACING-MATERIAL COUNTERTOPS

- A. Quality Standard: Comply with AWS Section 11 requirements for countertops.
  - 1. Grade: Premium.
- B. Solid-Surfacing-Material Thickness: 1/2 inch.
- C. **Colors, Patterns, and Finishes**: Provide materials and products that result in colors of solid-surfacing material complying with the following requirements:
  - 1. As indicated on Legend-Finish Schedule or, if not indicated, as selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range including colors and patterns from all price ranges.
- D. **Fabricate tops in one piece**, unless otherwise indicated. Comply with solid-surfacing-material manufacturer's written recommendations for adhesives, sealers, fabrication, and finishing.
  - 1. Fabricate tops with shop-applied edges of materials and configuration indicated.
  - 2. Fabricate tops with shop-applied backsplashes.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 PREPARATION

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

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

A. **Install woodwork plumb**, level, true, and straight with no distortions. Shim as required with concealed shims. Install to a tolerance of 1/8 inch in 96 inches for plumb and level (including tops).

- B. **Scribe and cut woodwork** to fit adjoining work and refinish cut surfaces or repair damaged finish at cuts.
- C. **Anchor woodwork to anchors** or blocking built in or directly attached to substrates. Secure to grounds, stripping and blocking with countersunk, concealed fasteners and blind nailing as required for complete installation. Use fine finishing nails for exposed nailing, countersunk and filled flush with woodwork and matching final finish where transparent finish is indicated.
- D. Cabinets: Install without distortion so that doors and drawers fit openings properly and are accurately aligned. Adjust hardware to center doors and drawers in openings and to provide unencumbered operation. Complete the installation of hardware and accessory items as indicated.
  - 1. Install cabinets with no more than 1/8 inch in 96-inch sag, bow, or other variation from a straight line.
- E. **Tops**: Anchor securely to base units and other support systems as indicated. Calk space between backsplash and wall with specified sealant.
  - 1. Install countertops with no more than 1/8 inch in 96-inch sag, bow, or other variation from a straight line.
  - 2. Secure backsplashes to tops with concealed metal brackets at 16 inches o.c.
- F. **Complete the finishing** work specified in this Section to the extent not completed at shop or before installation of woodwork.

#### 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

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

#### 3.4 PROTECTION

A. **Provide final protection** and maintain conditions in a manner acceptable to fabricator and Installer that ensures that woodwork is without damage or deterioration at the time of Substantial Completion.

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## **SECTION 07 2100**

#### **BUILDING INSULATION**

## **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. This Section includes the following:
  - Concealed building insulation.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: Provide product data for each type of insulation product specified.
- B. **Product Test Reports**: Provide product test reports from and based on tests performed by a qualified independent testing agency evidencing compliance of insulation products with specified requirements including those for thermal resistance, fire-test-response characteristics, water-vapor transmission, water absorption, and other properties, based on comprehensive testing of current products.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Single-Source Responsibility for Insulation Products**: Obtain each type of building insulation from a single source with resources to provide products complying with requirements indicated without delaying the Work.
- B. **Fire-Test-Response Characteristics**: Provide insulation and related materials with the fire-test-response characteristics indicated on Drawings or specified elsewhere in this Section as determined by testing identical products per test method indicated below by UL or another testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Identify materials with appropriate markings of applicable testing and inspecting agency.
  - 1. Surface-Burning Characteristics: ASTM E 84.
  - 2. Fire-Resistance Ratings: ASTM E 119.
  - 3. Combustion Characteristics: ASTM E 136.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. **Protection**: Protect insulation materials from physical damage and from deterioration by moisture, soiling, and other sources. Store inside and in a dry location. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for handling, storing, and protecting during installation.

- B. **Protect plastic** insulation as follows:
  - 1. Do not expose to sunlight, except to extent necessary for period of installation and concealment.
  - 2. Protect against ignition at all times. Do not deliver plastic insulating materials to Project site before installation time.
  - 3. Complete installation and concealment of plastic materials as rapidly as possible in each area of construction.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. **Available Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, manufacturers offering insulation products that may be incorporated in the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - Glass-Fiber Insulation:
    - a. CertainTeed Corporation.
    - b. Knauf Fiber Glass GmbH.
    - c. Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corporation.
    - d. Johns Manville Corporation.

## 2.2 INSULATING MATERIALS

- A. **General:** Provide insulating materials that comply with requirements and with referenced standards.
- B. **Unfaced Mineral-Fiber Blanket Insulation**: (blankets without membrane facing). Thermal insulation combining mineral fibers of type described below with thermosetting resins to comply with ASTM C 665, Type I.
  - 1. Mineral-Fiber Type: Fibers manufactured from glass.
  - 2. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread and smoke-developed indices of 25 and 50, respectively.
  - 3. At 3 5/8 inch steel stud walls provide R-13 blankets, at 6 inch steel stud walls provide R-19 blankets and provide R-38 blankets at soffits, overhangs and roof exterior.

## 2.3 AUXILIARY INSULATING MATERIALS

A. **Adhesive for Bonding Insulation**: Product with demonstrated capability to bond insulation securely to substrates indicated without damaging insulation and substrates.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. **Examine substrates** and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements of Sections in which substrates and related work are specified and to determine if other conditions affecting performance of insulation are satisfactory. Do not proceed with installation until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected. The Architect shall examine the installation of the insulation prior to insulation being covered by other work. If insulation is covered prior to Architects examination, Contractor shall remove other work, at contractor's expense to allow for Architect's examination.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

A. **Clean substrates** of substances harmful to insulations or vapor retarders, including removing projections capable of puncturing vapor retarders or that interfere with insulation attachment.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **Comply with insulation manufacturer's written instructions** applicable to products and application indicated.
- B. **Install insulation** that is undamaged, dry, unsoiled, and has not been exposed at any time to ice and snow.
- C. **Extend insulation** in thickness indicated to envelop entire area to be insulated. Cut and fit tightly around obstructions and fill voids with insulation. Remove projections that interfere with placement.
- D. **Apply single layer of insulation** to produce thickness indicated, unless multiple layers are otherwise shown or required to make up total thickness.

## 3.4 INSTALLATION OF GENERAL BUILDING INSULATION (ABOVE GRADE)

- A. **Apply insulation** units to substrates by method indicated, complying with manufacturer's written instructions. If no specific method is indicated, bond units to substrate with adhesive or use mechanical anchorage to provide permanent placement and support of units.
- B. **Install mineral-fiber blankets** in cavities formed by framing members according to the following requirements:
  - 1. Use blanket widths and lengths that fill cavities formed by framing members. Where more than one length is required to fill cavity, provide lengths that will produce a snug fit between ends.
  - 2. Place blankets in cavities formed by framing members to produce a friction fit between edges of insulation and adjoining framing members.
  - 3. Insulation is to extend from floor to deck, typical.
- C. Stuff glass-fiber loose-fill insulation into miscellaneous voids and cavity spaces. Compact to approximately 40 percent of normal maximum volume equaling a density of approximately 2.5 lb/cu. ft.

## 3.5 PROTECTION

A. **General:** Protect installed insulation from damage due to harmful weather exposures, physical abuse, and other causes. Provide temporary coverings or enclosures where insulation is subject to abuse and cannot be concealed and protected by permanent construction immediately after installation.

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#### **SECTION 07 9200**

#### **JOINT SEALANTS**

## **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. **This Section includes** sealants for the following applications, including those specified by reference to this Section:
  - 1. Exterior joints in the following vertical surfaces and non-traffic horizontal surfaces:
    - a. Control and expansion joints in cast-in-place concrete.
    - b. Control and expansion joints in unit masonry.
    - c. Joints between different materials listed above.
    - d. Perimeter joints between materials listed above and wall penetrations.
    - e. Other joints as indicated.
  - 2. Interior joints in the following vertical surfaces and horizontal nontraffic surfaces:
    - a. Control and expansion joints on exposed interior surfaces of exterior walls
    - b. Perimeter joints of exterior openings where indicated.
    - c. Control and expansion joints in ceiling and overhead surfaces.
    - d. Tile control and expansion joints.
    - e. Vertical control joints on exposed surfaces of interior unit masonry and concrete walls and partitions.
    - f. Perimeter joints between interior wall surfaces and frames of interior doors, windows, and elevator entrances.
    - g. Joints between plumbing fixtures and adjoining walls, floors, and counters.
    - h. Joints between interior partitions and concrete floors.
    - i. Joints between metal deck and walls.
    - Other joints as indicated.
  - 3. Interior joints in the following horizontal traffic surfaces:
    - a. Control and expansion joints in cast-in-place concrete slabs.
    - b. Control and expansion joints in tile flooring.
    - c. Other joints as indicated.
  - 4. All joints between dissimilar materials.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 09 2900 **"Gypsum Board"** for sealing perimeter joints of gypsum board partitions to reduce sound transmission.
  - 2. Section 09 5100 "**Acoustical Ceilings**" for sealing edge moldings at perimeters of acoustical ceilings.

## 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. **Provide elastomeric joint sealants** that establish and maintain watertight and airtight continuous joint seals without staining or deteriorating joint substrates.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each joint-sealant product indicated.
- B. **Samples for Selection**: Manufacturer's color charts consisting of strips of cured sealants showing the full range of colors available for each product exposed to view.
- C. **Product Certificates**: Signed by manufacturers of joint sealants certifying that products furnished comply with requirements and are suitable for the use indicated.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Installer Qualifications**: An experienced installer who has specialized in installing joint sealants similar in material, design, and extent to those indicated for this Project and whose work has resulted in joint-sealant installations with a record of successful in-service performance.
- B. **Source Limitations**: Obtain each type of joint sealant through one source from a single manufacturer.
- C. **Preconstruction Compatibility and Adhesion Testing**: Submit to joint sealant manufacturers, for testing indicated below, samples of materials that will contact or affect joint sealants.
  - 1. Use manufacturers standard test methods to determine whether priming and other specific joint preparation techniques are required to obtain rapid, optimum adhesion of joint sealants to joint substrates.
    - a. Perform tests under environmental conditions replicating those that will exist during installation.
  - 2. Submit not fewer than nine pieces of each type of material, including joint substrates, shims, joint-sealant backings, secondary seals, and miscellaneous materials.
  - Schedule sufficient time for testing and analyzing results to prevent delaying the Work.
  - 4. For materials failing tests, obtain joint sealant manufacturer's written instructions for corrective measures, including the use of specially formulated primers.
  - 5. Testing will not be required if joint sealant manufacturers submit joint preparation data that are based on previous testing of current sealant products for adhesion to, and compatibility with, joint substrates and other materials matching those submitted.
- D. Mockups: Before installing joint sealants, apply elastomeric sealants as follows to verify color selections and to demonstrate aesthetic effects and qualities of materials and execution:
  - Joints in mockups of assemblies specified in other Sections that are indicated to receive elastomeric joint sealants, which are specified by reference to this Section.
  - 2. Provide not less than six and not more than twelve 12 inch long x typical width and depth samples of sealants and caulks for Owner and Architect review. Samples shall be installed at floors, walls, ceiling and other locations selected by Architect.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Deliver materials** to Project site in original unopened containers or bundles with labels indicating manufacturer, product name and designation, color, expiration date, pot life, curing time, and mixing instructions for multicomponent materials.
- B. **Store and handle materials** in compliance with manufacturer's written instructions to prevent their deterioration or damage due to moisture, high or low temperatures, contaminants, or other causes.

## 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Environmental Limitations**: 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.
- B. **Joint-Width Conditions**: Do not proceed with installation of joint sealants where joint widths are less than those allowed by joint sealant manufacturer for applications indicated.
- C. **Joint-Substrate Conditions**: Do not proceed with installation of joint sealants until contaminants capable of interfering with adhesion are removed from joint substrates.

## 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. **Special Installer's Warranty**: Installer's standard form in which Installer agrees to repair or replace elastomeric joint sealants that do not comply with performance and other requirements specified in this Section within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Warranty Period: Three years from date of Substantial Completion.
- B. **Special warranties** specified in this Article exclude deterioration or failure of elastomeric joint sealants from the following:
  - 1. Movement of the structure resulting in stresses on the sealant exceeding sealant manufacturer's written specifications for sealant elongation and compression caused by structural settlement or errors attributable to design or construction.
  - 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 sealant manufacturer based on testing and field experience.

- B. **VOC Content of Interior Sealants:** Sealants and sealant primers used inside the weatherproofing system shall comply with the following limits for VOC content when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24):
  - 1. Architectural Sealants: 250 g/L.
  - 2. Sealant Primers for Nonporous Substrates: 250 g/L.
  - 3. Sealant Primers for Porous Substrates: 775 g/L.
- C. Colors of Exposed Joint Sealants: All colors shall be custom as selected by Architect.

## 2.2 ELASTOMERIC JOINT SEALANTS

- A. **Elastomeric Sealant Standard**: Comply with ASTM C 920 and other requirements indicated for each liquid-applied chemically curing sealant in the Elastomeric Joint-Sealant Schedule at the end of Part 3, including those referencing ASTM C 920 classifications for type, grade, class, and uses.
- B. Additional Movement Capability: Where additional movement capability is specified in the Elastomeric Joint-Sealant Schedule, provide products with the capability, when tested for adhesion and cohesion under maximum cyclic movement per ASTM C 719, to withstand the specified percentage change in the joint width existing at the time of installation and remain in compliance with other requirements of ASTM C 920 for uses indicated.
- C. **Suitability for Contact with Food**: Where elastomeric sealants are indicated for joints that will come in repeated contact with food, provide products that comply with 21 CFR 177.2600.

## 2.3 SOLVENT-RELEASE JOINT SEALANTS

- A. **Acrylic-Based Solvent-Release Joint-Sealant Standard**: Comply with ASTM C 1311 for each product of this description indicated in the Solvent-Release Joint-Sealant Schedule at the end of Part 3.
- B. **Butyl-Rubber-Based Solvent-Release Joint-Sealant Standard**: Comply with ASTM C 1085 for each product of this description indicated in the Solvent-Release Joint-Sealant Schedule at the end of Part 3.

## 2.4 LATEX JOINT SEALANTS

A. **Latex Sealant Standard**: Comply with ASTM C 834 for each product of this description indicated in the Latex Joint-Sealant Schedule at the end of Part 3.

## 2.5 ACOUSTICAL JOINT SEALANTS

- A. **Acoustical Sealant for Exposed and Concealed Joints**: For each product of this description indicated in the Acoustical Joint-Sealant Schedule at the end of Part 3, provide manufacturer's standard nonsag, paintable, nonstaining latex sealant complying with ASTM C 834 and the following:
  - 1. 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.

## 2.6 JOINT-SEALANT BACKING

- A. **General**: Provide sealant backings of material and type that are nonstaining; are compatible with joint substrates, sealants, primers, and other joint fillers; and are approved for applications indicated by sealant manufacturer based on field experience and laboratory testing.
- B. **Cylindrical Sealant Backings**: ASTM C 1330, of type indicated below and of size and density to control sealant depth and otherwise contribute to producing optimum sealant performance:
- C. **Type C**: Closed-cell material with a surface skin.
- D. **Elastomeric Tubing Sealant Backings**: Neoprene, butyl, EPDM, or silicone tubing complying with ASTM D 1056, nonabsorbent to water and gas, and capable of remaining resilient at temperatures down to minus 26 degrees F. Provide products with low compression set and of size and shape to provide a secondary seal, to control sealant depth, and otherwise contribute to optimum sealant performance.
- E. **Bond-Breaker Tape**: Polyethylene tape or other plastic tape recommended by sealant manufacturer for preventing sealant from adhering to rigid, inflexible joint-filler materials or joint surfaces at back of joint where such adhesion would result in sealant failure. Provide self-adhesive tape where applicable.

#### 2.7 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. **Primer**: Material recommended by joint sealant manufacturer where required for adhesion of sealant to joint substrates indicated, as determined from preconstruction joint-sealant-substrate tests and field tests.
- B. Cleaners for Nonporous Surfaces: Chemical cleaners acceptable to manufacturers of sealants and sealant backing materials, free of oily residues or other substances capable of staining or harming joint substrates and adjacent nonporous surfaces in any way, and formulated to promote optimum adhesion of sealants with joint substrates.
- C. **Masking Tape**: Nonstaining, nonabsorbent material compatible with joint sealants and surfaces adjacent to joints.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. All joints of **dissimilar materials** to receive joint sealant.
- B. **Examine joints** to receive joint sealants, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for joint configuration, installation tolerances, and other conditions affecting joint-sealant performance.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. **Surface Cleaning of Joints**: Clean out joints immediately before installing joint sealants to comply with joint sealant manufacturer's written instructions and the following requirements:
  - 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, blast cleaning, 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 from above cleaning operations by vacuuming or blowing out joints with oil-free compressed air. Porous joint surfaces include concrete, masonry or unglazed surfaces of ceramic tile.
  - 3. Remove laitance and form-release agents from concrete.
  - 4. Clean nonporous surfaces with chemical cleaners or other means that do not stain, harm substrates, or leave residues capable of interfering with adhesion of joint sealants to metal, glass, porcelain enamel or glazed surfaces of ceramic tile.
- B. **Joint Priming**: Prime joint substrates where recommended in writing by joint sealant manufacturer, based on preconstruction joint-sealant-substrate tests or prior experience. Apply primer to comply with joint sealant manufacturer's written instructions. Confine primers to areas of joint-sealant bond; do not allow spillage or migration onto adjoining surfaces.
- C. **Masking Tape**: Use masking tape where required to prevent contact of sealant with adjoining surfaces that otherwise would be permanently stained or damaged by such contact or by cleaning methods required to remove sealant smears. Remove tape immediately after tooling without disturbing joint seal.

### 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 of ASTM C 1193 for use of joint sealants as applicable to materials, applications, and conditions indicated.
- C. **Acoustical Sealant Application Standard**: Comply with recommendations of ASTM C 919 for use of joint sealants in acoustical applications as applicable to materials, applications, and conditions indicated.
- D. **Install sealant backings** of type indicated to support sealants during application and at position required to produce cross-sectional shapes and depths of installed sealants relative to joint widths that allow optimum sealant movement capability.
  - 1. Do not leave gaps between ends of sealant backings.
  - 2. Do not stretch, twist, puncture, or tear sealant backings.
  - 3. Remove absorbent sealant backings that have become wet before sealant application and replace them with dry materials.

- E. **Install bond-breaker tape** behind sealants where sealant backings are not used between sealants and back of joints.
- F. **Install sealants** by proven techniques to 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 provided for each joint configuration.
  - 3. Produce uniform, cross-sectional shapes and depths relative to joint widths that allow optimum sealant movement capability.
  - 4. Seal abutting joint at all dissimilar materials.
- G. **Tooling of Nonsag Sealants**: Immediately after sealant application and before skinning or curing begins, tool sealants according to requirements specified 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 sealants from surfaces adjacent to joint.
  - 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 configuration per Figure 5A in ASTM C 1193, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 4. Provide flush joint configuration, per Figure 5B in ASTM C 1193, where indicated.
  - 5. Provide recessed joint configuration, per Figure 5C in ASTM C 1193, of recess depth and at locations indicated.
    - a. Use masking tape to protect adjacent surfaces of recessed tooled joints.

#### 3.4 CLEANING

A. **Clean off excess sealants** 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.

## 3.5 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 the original work.

#### 3.6 ELASTOMERIC JOINT-SEALANT SCHEDULE

- A. **Medium-Modulus Neutral-Curing Silicone Sealant**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. 795; Dow Corning.
    - b. PSI-631; Polymeric Systems, Inc.
    - c. Masterseal NP 150, MasterBuilders/BASF
    - d. Spectrem 2; Tremco.
  - 2. Type and Grade: S (single component) and NS (nonsag).
  - 3. Class: 25.
  - 4. Use Related to Exposure: NT (nontraffic).
  - 5. Uses Related to Joint Substrates: M (masonry), G (glass), A (aluminum), and, as applicable to joint substrates indicated, O (other).
    - a. Use O Joint Substrates: Coated glass, color anodic aluminum, aluminum coated with a high-performance coating, galvanized steel, brick and masonry, ceramic tile, and wood.
  - 6. Stain-Test-Response Characteristics: Nonstaining to porous substrates per ASTM C 1248.
  - 7. Applications: Exterior and interior joints in vertical surfaces of concrete; between metal and concrete and mortar; perimeter of metal frames in exterior walls; overhead or ceiling joints.
- B. **Mildew-Resistant Silicone Sealant**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products formulated with fungicide that are intended for sealing interior ceramic tile joints and other nonporous substrates that are subject to in-service exposures of high humidity and temperature extremes, and that comply with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. 786 Mildew Resistant; Dow Corning.
    - b. Omniplus, Sonneborn.
    - c. Sanitary 1700; GE Silicones.
    - d. Tremsil 600 White: Tremco.
    - e. Masterseal NP 150, MasterBuilders/BASF
  - 2. Type and Grade: S (single component) and NS (nonsag).
  - 3. Class: 25.
  - 4. Use Related to Exposure: NT (nontraffic).
  - 5. Uses Related to Joint Substrates: G, A, and, as applicable to joint substrates indicated. O.
    - a. Use O Joint Substrates: Coated glass, color anodic aluminum, aluminum coated with a high-performance coating, galvanized steel, and ceramic tile.
  - 6. Applications: Interior joints in vertical surfaces of ceramic tile in toilet rooms, and showers.

- C. **Multicomponent Pourable Urethane Sealant**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. Vulkem 245; Mameco International.
    - b. Elasto-Thane 920 Pourable; Pacific Polymers, Inc.
    - c. Sikaflex 2c SL; Sika Corporation.
    - d. Masterseal SL 2; MasterBuilders/BASF
  - 2. Type and Grade: M (multicomponent) and P (pourable).
  - 3. Class: 25.
  - 4. Uses Related to Exposure: T (traffic) and NT (nontraffic).
  - 5. Uses Related to Joint Substrates: M, A, and, as applicable to joint substrates indicated. O.
    - a. Use O Joint Substrates: Coated glass, color anodic aluminum, aluminum coated with a high-performance coating, galvanized steel, brick and masonry, ceramic tile, and wood.
  - 6. Applications: Traffic joints.
- D. **Single-Component Nonsag Urethane Sealant**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. Vulkem 921; Mameco International.
    - b. Dynatrol I; Pecora Corporation.
    - c. DyMonic; Tremco.
    - d. Masterseal NP1, MasterBuilders/BASF
  - 2. Type and Grade: S (single component) and NS (nonsag).
  - 3. Class: 25
  - 4. Use Related to Exposure: NT (nontraffic).
  - Uses Related to Joint Substrates: M, A, and, as applicable to joint substrates indicated, O.
    - a. Use O Joint Substrates: Coated glass, color anodic aluminum, aluminum coated with a high-performance coating, galvanized steel, brick and masonry, ceramic tile, and wood.
  - 6. Applications: Joints in concrete.

## 3.7 LATEX JOINT-SEALANT SCHEDULE

- A. **Latex Sealant**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. AC-20; Pecora Corporation.
    - b. Sonolac; BASF
    - c. Tremflex 834; Tremco.
  - 2. Applications: Interior joints in field-painted vertical and overhead surfaces at hollow metal door frames, gypsum drywall, and concrete; and all other interior locations not indicated otherwise.

## 3.8 ACOUSTICAL JOINT-SEALANT SCHEDULE

- A. **Acoustical Sealant for Exposed and Concealed Joints**: Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products:
    - a. AC-20 FTR Acoustical and Insulation Sealant; Pecora Corporation.
    - SHEETROCK Acoustical Sealant; USG Corp., United States Gypsum Co.
  - 2. Applications: Use in locations of sound walls and in locations indicated.

## 3.9 SMOKE AND ACOUSTIC SEALANT

- A. **Smoke and Acoustical Sealant for Joints** between **metal decks and walls** (non-fire rated): Where joint sealants of this type are indicated, provide products complying with the following:
  - 1. Products (where flutes are parallel to the wall):
    - a. CP767 Speed Strips pre-formed mineral wool plugs by Hilti, if required.
    - b. CP 506 Smoke and Acoustic Sealant; Hilti.
  - 2. Products (where flutes are perpendicular to the wall):
    - a. CP777 Speed Strips pre-formed mineral wool plugs by Hilti. Press into flutes.
    - b. CP 572 Smoke and Acoustic Sealant; Hilti.

## **END OF SECTION**

# **DIVISION 8 - OPENINGS**

Section 08 1113 Hollow Metal Doors and Frames

Section 08 1416 Flush Wood Doors

Section 08 3100 Access Doors and Frames

Section 08 7100 Door Hardware

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## **SECTION 08 1113**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - Hollow metal door frames.
- B. Related Sections
  - Section 08 1416 "Flush Wood Doors" for wood doors installed in steel frames.
  - 2. Section 08 7100 "Door Hardware" for door hardware for hollow metal doors.
  - 3. Section 09 2900 **"Gypsum Board"** for spot grouting frames installed in steel framed gypsum board partitions
  - 4. Section 09 9123 "Painting" for field painting hollow metal doors and frames.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. **Minimum Thickness**: Minimum thickness of base metal without coatings.
- B. **Standard Hollow Metal Work**: Hollow metal work fabricated according to ANSI/SDI A250.8.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each type of product indicated. Include construction details, material descriptions, core descriptions, fire-resistance rating, temperature-rise ratings, and finishes.
- B. **Shop Drawings**: Include the following:
  - 1. Elevations of each door frame design.
  - 2. Frame details for each frame type, including dimensioned profiles and metal thicknesses.
  - 3. Locations of reinforcement and preparations for hardware.
  - 4. Details of each different wall opening condition.
  - 5. Details of anchorages, joints, field splices, and connections.
  - 6. Details of accessories.
  - 7. Details of moldings, removable stops, and glazing.

### D. Other Action Submittals:

- 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 door hardware schedule.
- E. **Product Test Reports**: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency, for each type of hollow metal door and frame assembly.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

 Source Limitations: Obtain hollow metal work from single source from single manufacturer.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Deliver** hollow metal work palletized, wrapped, or crated to provide protection during transit and Project-site storage. Do not use nonvented plastic.
  - 1. Provide additional protection to prevent damage to finish of factory-finished units.
- B. **Deliver welded frame**s with two removable spreader bars across bottom of frames, tack welded to jambs and mullions.
- C. Store hollow metal work under cover at Project site. Place in stacks of five units maximum in a vertical position with heads up, spaced by blocking, on minimum 4-inchhigh wood blocking. Do not store in a manner that traps excess humidity.
  - Provide minimum 1/4-inch space between each stacked door to permit air circulation.

#### 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. **Field Measurements**: Verify actual dimensions of openings by field measurements before fabrication.

## 1.8 COORDINATION

A. **Coordinate installation** of anchorages 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.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. **Available Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Amweld Building Products, LLC.
  - 2. Ceco Door Products; an Assa Abloy Group company.
  - 3. Curries Company; an Assa Abloy Group company.
  - 4. Pioneer Industries, Inc.
  - 5. Steelcraft; an Allegion company.
  - 6. Republic Doors.
  - 7. Security Metal Products Corp.

## 2.2 MATERIALS

A. **Cold-Rolled Steel Sheet:** ASTM A 1008, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; suitable for exposed applications.

- B. **Hot-Rolled Steel Sheet**: ASTM A 1011, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; free of scale, pitting, or surface defects; pickled and oiled.
- C. Frame Anchors: ASTM A 591/A 591M, Commercial Steel (CS), 40Z (12G) coating designation; mill phosphatized.
  - 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.
- D. Inserts, Bolts, and Fasteners: Hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 153/A 153M.
- E. **Powder-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.
- F. **Grout:** ASTM C 476, except with a maximum slump of 4 inches, as measured according to ASTM C 143.
- G. **Mineral-Fiber Insulation:** ASTM C 665, Type I (blankets without membrane facing); consisting of fibers manufactured from slag or rock wool with 6- to 12-lb/cu. ft. density; with maximum flame-spread and smoke-development indexes of 25 and 50, respectively; passing ASTM E 136 for combustion characteristics.
- I. **Bituminous Coating**: Cold-applied asphalt mastic, SSPC-Paint 12, compounded for 15-mil dry film thickness per coat. Provide inert-type noncorrosive compound free of asbestos fibers, sulfur components, and other deleterious impurities.

## 2.3 STANDARD HOLLOW METAL FRAMES

- A. **General:** Comply with ANSI/SDI A250.8 and with details indicated for type and profile.
- B. **Interior Frames:** Fabricated from cold-rolled steel sheet unless metallic-coated sheet is indicated.
  - 1. Fabricate frames with mitered or coped corners.
  - 2. Fabricate frames as face welded unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Frames for Wood Doors: 16 gauge (0.053-inch-) thick steel sheet.
- D. **Hardware Reinforcement**: Fabricate according to ANSI/SDI A250.6 with reinforcement plates from same material as frames.

#### 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 19 gauge (0.042 inch) thick, with corrugated or perforated straps not less than 2 inches wide by 10 inches long; or wire anchors not less than 26 gauge (0.177 inch) thick.
  - 2. Stud-Wall Type: Designed to engage stud, welded to back of frames; not less than 19 gauge (0.042 inch) thick.
  - 3. Postinstalled Expansion Type for In-Place Concrete or Masonry: Minimum 3/8-inch- diameter bolts with expansion shields or inserts. Provide pipe spacer from frame to wall, with throat reinforcement plate, welded to frame at each anchor location.

- B. **Floor Anchors:** Formed from same material as frames, not less than 19 gauge (0.042 inch) thick, and as follows:
  - Monolithic Concrete Slabs: Clip-type anchors, with two holes to receive fasteners.

## 2.6 STOPS AND MOLDINGS

A. **Fixed Frame Moldings**: Formed integral with hollow metal frames, a minimum of 5/8 inch high unless otherwise indicated.

#### 2.7 ACCESSORIES

- A. **Mullions and Transom Bars**: Join to adjacent members by welding or rigid mechanical anchors.
- B. **Ceiling Struts**: Minimum 1/4-inch-thick by 1-inch- wide steel.
- C. **Grout Guards:** Formed from same material as frames, not less than 0.016 inch thick.

## 2.8 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 thickness of metal. 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. **Tolerances:** Fabricate hollow metal work to tolerances indicated in SDI 117.
- 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. Welded Frames: Weld flush face joints continuously; grind, fill, dress, and make smooth, flush, and invisible.
  - 2. Sidelight 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.
  - 3. Provide countersunk, flat- or oval-head exposed screws and bolts for exposed fasteners unless otherwise indicated.
  - 4. Grout Guards: Weld guards to frame at back of hardware mortises in frames to be grouted.
  - 5. Floor Anchors: Weld anchors to bottom of jambs and mullions with at least four spot welds per anchor.
  - 6. Jamb Anchors: Provide number and spacing of anchors as follows:
    - Stud-Wall Type: Locate anchors not more than 18 inches from top and bottom of frame. Space anchors not more than 32 inches o.c. and as follows:
      - 1) Three anchors per jamb up to 60 inches high.
      - 2) Four anchors per jamb from 60 to 90 inches high.
      - 3) Five anchors per jamb from 90 to 96 inches high.
      - 4) Five anchors per jamb plus 1 additional anchor per jamb for each 24 inches or fraction thereof above 96 inches high.
      - 5) Two anchors per head for frames above 42 inches (1066 mm) wide and mounted in metal-stud partitions.

- b. Compression Type: Not less than two anchors in each jamb.
- c. Postinstalled Expansion Type: Locate anchors not more than 6 inches from top and bottom of frame. Space anchors not more than 26 inches o.c.
- 7. **Door Silencers:** Except on weather-stripped doors, drill stops to receive door silencers as follows. Keep holes clear during construction.
  - 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.
- E. **Fabricate concealed stiffeners**, edge channels, and hardware reinforcement from either cold- or hot-rolled steel sheet.
- F. **Hardware Preparation:** Factory prepare hollow metal work to receive templated mortised hardware; include cutouts, reinforcement, mortising, drilling, and tapping according to the Door Hardware Schedule and templates furnished as specified in Division 8 Section "Door Hardware."
  - 1. Locate hardware as indicated, or if not indicated, according to ANSI/SDI A250.8.
  - 2. Reinforce doors and frames to receive non-templated, mortised and surface-mounted door hardware.
  - Comply with applicable requirements in ANSI/SDI A250.6 and ANSI/DHI A115 Series specifications for preparation of hollow metal work for hardware.
  - 4. Coordinate locations of conduit and wiring boxes for electrical connections with Division 26 Sections.
  - 5. Provide auxiliary hinge reinforcement at all hinge locations on every frame.
- G. **Stops and Moldings**: Provide stops and moldings around glazed lites where indicated. Form corners of stops and moldings with butted or mitered hairline joints.
  - Provide fixed frame moldings on outside of exterior and on secure side of interior doors and frames.
  - 2. Provide loose stops and moldings on inside of hollow metal work.

## 2.9 STEEL FINISHES

- A. **Prime Finish:** Apply manufacturer's standard primer immediately after cleaning and pretreating.
  - 1. **Shop Primer:** Manufacturer's standard, fast-curing, lead- and chromate-free primer complying with ANSI/SDI A250.10 acceptance criteria; recommended by primer manufacturer for substrate; compatible with substrate and field-applied coatings despite prolonged exposure.

## **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. **For the record, 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. **Prior to installation**, adjust and securely brace welded hollow metal frames for squareness, alignment, twist, and plumbness to the following tolerances:
  - 1. Squareness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at door rabbet on a line 90 degrees from jamb perpendicular to frame head.
  - 2. Alignment: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a horizontal line parallel to plane of wall.
  - 3. Twist: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at opposite face corners of jambs on parallel lines, and perpendicular to plane of wall.
  - 4. Plumbness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a perpendicular line from head to floor.
- C. **Drill and tap doors and frames** to receive non-templated, 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 ANSI/SDI A250.11.
  - 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-protection-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 glazing 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 plumbness, squareness, 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 are 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.
  - Floor anchors may be set with powder-actuated fasteners instead of postinstalled expansion anchors if so indicated and approved on Shop Drawings.
- 3. Metal-Stud Partitions: Solidly pack mineral-fiber insulation behind frames.
- 4. Masonry Walls: Coordinate installation of frames to allow for solidly filling space between frames and masonry with grout.
- 5. Concrete Walls: Solidly fill space between frames and concrete with grout. Take precautions, including bracing frames, to ensure that frames are not deformed or damaged by grout forces.
- 6. In-Place Concrete or Masonry Construction: Secure frames in place with postinstalled expansion anchors. Countersink anchors, and fill and make smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
- 7. In-Place Gypsum Board Partitions: Secure frames in place with postinstalled expansion anchors through floor anchors at each jamb. Countersink anchors, and fill and make smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
- 8. Ceiling Struts: Extend struts vertically from top of frame at each jamb to overhead structural supports or substrates above frame unless frame is anchored to masonry or to other structural support at each jamb. Bend top of struts to provide flush contact for securing to supporting construction. Provide adjustable wedged or bolted anchorage to frame jamb members.
- 9. 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, measured at door rabbet on a line 90 degrees from jamb perpendicular to frame head.
  - b. Alignment: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a horizontal line parallel to plane of wall.
  - c. Twist: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at opposite face corners of jambs on parallel lines, and perpendicular to plane of wall.
  - d. Plumbness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs at floor.

## 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.

## **END OF SECTION**

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## **SECTION 08 1416**

#### **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 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This **Section includes** the following:
  - 1. Solid-core doors with plastic-laminate faces.
  - 2. Factory finishing flush wood doors.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - Section 08 1116 "Aluminum Frames" for door frames.
  - 2. Section 08 7100 "Door Hardware" for hardware on standard swing doors.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each type of door. Include details of core and edge construction, louvers, 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. Dimensions and locations of mortises and holes for hardware.
  - 2. Dimensions and locations of cutouts.
  - Undercuts.
  - 4. Requirements for veneer matching.
  - 5. Doors to be factory finished and finish requirements.
  - 6. Fire ratings for fire doors.
- C. **Samples for Selection**: Color charts consisting of actual materials in small sections for the following:
  - 1. Faces of Factory-Finished Doors: Plastic laminate, 6 inches square, for each color, texture, and pattern selected.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Source Limitations**: Obtain flush wood doors through one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. **Coordinate door installation** with RF-magnetic shielding vendor.
- C. **Manufacturer Qualifications:** A qualified manufacturer that is certified for chain of custody by an FSC-accredited certification body (as applicable) and is a certified participant in AWI's Quality Certification Program.

- D. Quality Standard: Comply with AWI/AWMAC/WI "Architectural Woodwork Standards, Edition 2."
  - 1. Provide AWI Quality Certification Labels or an AWI letter of licensing for Project indicating that doors comply with requirements of grades specified.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Comply** with requirements of referenced standard and manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. **Package doors individually** in plastic bags or cardboard cartons.
- C. **Mark each door on top and bottom rail** with opening number used on Shop Drawings. Do not mark tops of doors where visible from above.

#### 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. **Environmental Limitations**: Do not deliver or install doors until building is enclosed, wet work is complete, and HVAC system is operating and will maintain temperature and relative humidity at occupancy levels during the remainder of the construction period.

## 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. **Special Warranty**: Manufacturer's standard form, signed by manufacturer, Installer, and Contractor, in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace doors that are defective in materials or workmanship, have warped (bow, cup, or twist) more than 1/4 inch in a 42-by-84-inch section, or show telegraphing of core construction in face veneers exceeding 0.01 inch in a 3-inch span.
  - Warranty shall be in effect during the following period of time from date of Substantial Completion:
    - a. Solid-Core Interior Doors: Life of installation.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. **Basis of Design:** Contract Documents are based on products specified below to establish a standard of quality. Other available manufacturers may be considered, provided deviations are minor and design concept as expressed in the Contract Documents is not changed, as judged by the Architect.
  - 1. **Manufacturer:** VT Industries, Inc.
  - 2. **Product**: Heritage.

- B. **Available Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Eggers Industries; Architectural Door Division.
  - 2. Assa Abloy; Graham/Maiman.
  - 3. Oshkosh Door Company.
  - 4. VT Industries Inc.
  - 5. Masonite Architectural; Marshfield-Algoma.

#### 2.2 PLASTIC-LAMINATE-FACED DOORS

- A. Interior Solid-Core Doors:
  - 1. Grade: Custom.
  - 2. Plastic-Laminate Faces: High-pressure decorative laminates complying with NEMA LD 3, Grade HGS.
  - 1. 3. Colors, Patterns, and Finishes: As indicated (to match adjoining casework).
    - 4. Exposed Vertical Edges: Plastic laminate that matches faces, applied before faces.
  - 2. 5. Core: Particleboard.
    - a. Construction: Five plies. Stiles and rails are bonded to core, then entire unit is abrasive planed before faces and crossbands are applied.

## 2.3 FABRICATION

- A. **Fabricate doors** in sizes indicated for Project-site fitting.
  - 1. Comply with clearance requirements of referenced quality standard for fitting.
- B. **Openings**: Cut and trim openings through doors to comply with applicable requirements of referenced standards for kind(s) of door(s) required.
  - 1. Light Openings: Trim openings with moldings of material and profile indicated.

## **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 Division 8 Section "Door Hardware."
- B. **Manufacturer's Written Instructions**: Install doors to comply with manufacturer's written instructions, referenced quality standard, and as indicated.
- C. Job-Fitted Doors: Align and fit doors in frames with uniform clearances and bevels as indicated below; do not trim stiles and rails in excess of limits set by manufacturer or permitted for fire-rated doors. Machine doors for hardware. Seal cut surfaces after fitting and machining.
  - 1. Clearances: Provide 1/8 inch at heads, jambs, and between pairs of doors. Provide 1/8 inch from bottom of door to top of decorative floor finish or covering. Where threshold is shown or scheduled, provide 1/4 inch) from bottom of door to top of threshold.
    - a. Comply with NFPA 80 for fire-rated doors.
  - 2. Bevel non-fire-rated doors 1/8 inch in 2 inches (3-1/2 degrees) at lock and hinge edges.
  - 3. Bevel fire-rated doors 1/8 inch in 2 inches (3-1/2 degrees) at lock edge; trim stiles and rails only to extent permitted by labeling agency.

## 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 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** 

#### **SECTION 08 3100**

#### **ACCESS DOORS AND FRAMES**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawing and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This **Section includes** the following:
  - Ceiling access doors and frames.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - Section 08 7100 "Door Hardware" for mortise or rim cylinder locks and master keying.
  - Section 23 3300 "Air Duct Accessories" for heating and air-conditioning duct access doors...

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each type of door and frame indicated. Include construction details relative to materials, individual components and profiles, finishes, and fire ratings (if required) for access doors and frames.
- B. **Shop Drawings**: Show fabrication and installation details of customized doors and frames. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other Work.
- C. **Schedule**: Provide complete door and frame schedule, including types, general locations, sizes, construction details, latching or locking provisions, and other data pertinent to installation.
- D. **Coordination Drawings**: Reflected ceiling plans drawn to scale and coordinating penetrations and ceiling-mounted items with concealed framing, suspension systems, piping, ductwork, and other construction. Show the following:
  - 1. Method of attaching door frames to surrounding construction.
  - 2. Ceiling-mounted items including access doors and frames, lighting fixtures, diffusers, grilles, speakers, sprinklers, and special trim.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Source Limitations**: Obtain doors and frames through one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. **Size Variations**: Obtain Architect's acceptance of manufacturer's standard-size units, which may vary slightly from sizes indicated.

## 1.5 COORDINATION

A. **Verification**: Determine specific locations and sizes for access doors needed to gain access to concealed equipment, and indicate on schedule specified in "Submittals" Article.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. **Available Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Manufacturer: Wind-Lock (www.wind-lock.com)
  - 2. Product: "Stealth Access Panels"

#### 2.2 ACCESS DOORS AND FRAMES

- A. Flush Access Door and Frames: Fabricated of glass-fiber reinforced gypsum.
  - 1. Locations: Gypsum board ceilings where lockable access is not required.
  - 2. Access Panel: 1/8 3/16 inch nominal; drop-in style.
  - 3. Frame: Tapered edges for tape joints.
  - 4. Size: As indicated on Drawings but not less than 24 x 24 inches clear opening.

#### 2.3 FABRICATION

- General: Provide access door assemblies manufactured as integral units ready for installation.
- D. **Latching Mechanisms**: Furnish number required to hold doors in flush, smooth plane when closed.
  - 1. For cylinder lock, furnish two keys per lock and key all locks alike.

## 2.6 FINISHES, GENERAL

- A. **Comply with NAAMM's** "Metal Finishes Manual for Architectural and Metal Products" for recommendations for applying and designating finishes.
- B. **Field paint** to match adjoining ceiling.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 PREPARATION

A. **Advise installers** of other work about specific requirements relating to access door and floor door installation, including sizes of openings to receive access door and frame, as well as locations of supports, inserts, and anchoring devices.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. **Comply with manufacturer's written instructions** for installing access doors and frames and floor doors and frames.
- B. **Set frames accurately** in position and attach securely to supports with plane of face panels aligned with adjacent finish surfaces.
- C. Install access doors with trimless frames and floor doors flush with adjacent finish surfaces or recessed to receive finish material.

## 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. **Adjust doors and hardware** after installation for proper operation.
- B. **Remove and replace doors and frames** that are warped, bowed, or otherwise damaged.

**END OF SECTION** 

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#### **SECTION 08 7100**

#### **DOOR HARDWARE**

## **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. **This Section includes** commercial door hardware for the following:
  - 1. Swinging doors.
- B. **Door hardware includes**, but is not necessarily limited to, the following:
  - Mechanical door hardware.
- C. Related Sections:
  - 1. Section 08 1113 "Hollow Metal Frames".
  - 2. Section 08 1416 "Flush Wood Doors".
- D. **Codes and References**: Comply with the version year adopted by the Authority Having Jurisdiction.
  - 1. ANSI A117.1 Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities.
  - 2. ICC/IBC International Building Code.
  - 3. NFPA 70 National Electrical Code.
  - 4. NFPA 80 Fire Doors and Windows.
  - 5. NFPA 101 Life Safety Code.
  - 6. NFPA 105 Installation of Smoke Door Assemblies.
  - 7. State Building Codes, Local Amendments.
- E. **Standards**: All hardware specified herein shall comply with the following industry standards:
  - 1. ANSI/BHMA Certified Product Standards A156 Series

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. **Product Data**: Manufacturer's product data sheets including installation details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, operational descriptions and finishes.

- B. **Door Hardware Schedule**: Prepared by or under the supervision of supplier, detailing fabrication and assembly of door hardware, as well as procedures and diagrams. Coordinate the final Door Hardware Schedule with doors, frames, and related work to ensure proper size, thickness, hand, function, and finish of door hardware.
  - 1. Format: Comply with scheduling sequence and vertical format in DHI's "Sequence and Format for the Hardware Schedule."
  - Organization: Organize the Door Hardware Schedule into door hardware sets indicating complete designations of every item required for each door or opening. Organize door hardware sets in same order as in the Door Hardware Sets at the end of Part 3. Submittals that do not follow the same format and order as the Door Hardware Sets will be rejected and subject to resubmission.
  - 3. Content: Include the following information:
    - Type, style, function, size, label, hand, and finish of each door hardware item.
    - b. Manufacturer of each item.
    - c. Fastenings and other pertinent information.
    - d. Location of door hardware set, cross-referenced to Drawings, both on floor plans and in door and frame schedule.
    - e. Explanation of abbreviations, symbols, and codes contained in schedule.
    - f. Mounting locations for door hardware.
    - g. Door and frame sizes and materials.
    - h. Warranty information for each product.
  - 4. Submittal Sequence: Submit the final Door Hardware Schedule at earliest possible date, particularly where approval of the Door Hardware Schedule must precede fabrication of other work that is critical in the Project construction schedule. Include Product Data, Samples, Shop Drawings of other work affected by door hardware, and other information essential to the coordinated review of the Door Hardware Schedule.
- C. **Keying Schedule**: After a keying meeting with the owner has taken place prepare a separate keying schedule detailing final instructions. Submit the keying schedule in electronic format. Include keying system explanation, door numbers, key set symbols, hardware set numbers and special instructions. Owner must approve submitted keying schedule prior to the ordering of permanent cylinders/cores.

#### D. Informational Submittals:

- 1. Product Test Reports: Indicating compliance with cycle testing requirements, based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by manufacturer and witnessed by a qualified independent testing agency.
- E. **Operating and Maintenance Manuals**: Provide manufacturers operating and maintenance manuals for each item comprising the complete door hardware installation in quantity as required in Division 01, Closeout Submittals.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. **Manufacturers Qualifications**: Engage qualified manufacturers with a minimum 5 years of documented experience in producing hardware and equipment similar to that indicated for this Project and that have a proven record of successful in-service performance.

- B. **Installer Qualifications**: A minimum 3 years documented experience installing both standard and electrified door hardware similar in material, design, and extent to that indicated for this Project and whose work has resulted in construction with a record of successful in-service performance.
- C. Door Hardware Supplier Qualifications: Experienced commercial door hardware distributors with a minimum 5 years documented experience supplying both mechanical and electromechanical hardware installations comparable in material, design, and extent to that indicated for this Project. Supplier recognized as a factory direct distributor by the manufacturers of the primary materials with a warehousing facility in Project's vicinity. Supplier to have on staff a certified Architectural Hardware Consultant (AHC) available during the course of the Work to consult with Contractor, Architect, and Owner concerning both standard and electromechanical door hardware and keying.
- D. **Source Limitations**: Obtain each type and variety of door hardware specified in this section from a single source unless otherwise indicated.
- E. **Each unit to bear third party permanent label** demonstrating compliance with the referenced standards.
- F. **Keying Conference**: Conduct conference to comply with requirements in Division 01 Section "Project Meetings." Keying conference to incorporate the following criteria into the final keying schedule document:
  - 1. Function of building, purpose of each area and degree of security required.
  - 2. Plans for existing and future key system expansion.
  - 3. Requirements for key control storage and software.
  - 4. Installation of permanent keys, cylinder cores and software.
  - 5. Address and requirements for delivery of keys.
- G. **Pre-Submittal Conference**: Conduct coordination conference in compliance with requirements in Division 01 Section "Project Meetings" with attendance by representatives of Supplier(s), Installer(s), and Contractor(s) to review proper methods and the procedures for receiving, handling, and installing door hardware.
  - Prior to installation of door hardware, conduct a project specific training meeting
    to instruct the installing contractors' personnel on the proper installation and
    adjustment of their respective products. Product training to be attended by
    installers of door hardware (including electromechanical hardware) for aluminum,
    hollow metal and wood doors. Training will include the use of installation
    manuals, hardware schedules, templates and physical product samples as
    required.
  - 2. Review sequence of operation narratives for each unique access controlled opening.
  - 3. Review and finalize construction schedule and verify availability of materials.
  - 4. Review the required inspecting, testing, commissioning, and demonstration procedures
- H. At completion of installation, provide written documentation that components were applied to manufacturer's instructions and recommendations and according to approved schedule.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Inventory door hardware** on receipt and provide secure lock-up and shelving for door hardware delivered to Project site. Do not store electronic access control hardware, software or accessories at Project site without prior authorization.
- B. **Tag each item or package** separately with identification related to the final Door Hardware Schedule, and include basic installation instructions with each item or package.
- C. **Deliver, as applicable**, permanent keys, cylinders, cores, access control credentials, software and related accessories directly to Owner via registered mail or overnight package service. Instructions for delivery to the Owner shall be established at the "Keying Conference".

## 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. **Templates**: Obtain and distribute to the parties involved templates for doors, frames, and other work specified to be factory prepared for installing standard and electrified hardware. Check Shop Drawings of other work to confirm that adequate provisions are made for locating and installing hardware to comply with indicated requirements.
- B. **Door and Frame Preparation**: Doors and corresponding frames are to be prepared, reinforced and pre-wired (if applicable) to receive the installation of the specified electrified, monitoring, signaling and access control system hardware without additional in-field modifications.

### 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. **General Warranty**: Reference Division 01, General Requirements. Special warranties specified in this Article shall not deprive Owner of other rights Owner may have under other provisions of the Contract Documents and shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties made by Contractor under requirements of the Contract Documents.
- B. **Warranty Period**: Written warranty, executed by manufacturer(s), agreeing to repair or replace components of standard and electrified door hardware that fails in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period after final acceptance by the Owner. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Structural failures including excessive deflection, cracking, or breakage.
  - 2. Faulty operation of the hardware.
  - 3. Deterioration of metals, metal finishes, and other materials beyond normal weathering.
- C. **Standard Warranty Period**: One year from date of Substantial Completion, unless otherwise indicated.

#### D. Special Warranty Periods:

- 1. Seven years for heavy duty cylindrical (bored) locks and latches.
- 2. Five years for exit hardware.
- 3. Twenty five years for manual surface door closer bodies.

#### 1.8 MAINTENANCE SERVICE

A. **Maintenance Tools and Instructions**: Furnish a complete set of specialized tools and maintenance instructions as needed for Owner's continued adjustment, maintenance, and removal and replacement of door hardware.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 SCHEDULED DOOR HARDWARE

- A. **General**: Provide door hardware for each door to comply with requirements in Door Hardware Sets and each referenced section that products are to be supplied under.
- B. **Designations**: Requirements for quantity, item, size, finish or color, grade, function, and other distinctive qualities of each type of door hardware are indicated in the Door Hardware Sets at the end of Part 3. Products are identified by using door hardware designations, as follows:
  - Named Manufacturer's Products: Product designation and manufacturer are listed for each door hardware type required for the purpose of establishing requirements. Manufacturers' names are abbreviated in the Door Hardware Schedule.
- C. Substitutions: Requests for substitution and product approval for inclusive mechanical and electromechanical door hardware in compliance with the specifications must be submitted in writing and in accordance with the procedures and time frames outlined in Division 01, Substitution Procedures. Approval of requests is at the discretion of the architect, owner, and their designated consultants.

## 2.2 HANGING DEVICES

- A. **Continuous Geared Hinges**: ANSI/BHMA A156.26 Grade 1-600 certified continuous geared hinge. with minimum 0.120-inch thick extruded 6060 T6 aluminum alloy hinge leaves and a minimum overall width of 4 inches. Hinges are non-handed, reversible and fabricated to template screw locations. Factory trim hinges to suit door height and prepare for electrical cut-outs.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. McKinney Products; ASSA ABLOY Architectural Door Accessories (MK).
    - b. Pemko Products; ASSA ABLOY Architectural Door Accessories (PE).

## 2.3 CYLINDERS AND KEYING

- A. **General**: Cylinder manufacturer to have minimum (10) years' experience designing secured master key systems and have on record a published security keying system policy.
- B. **Source Limitations**: Obtain each type of keyed cylinder and keys from the same source manufacturer as locksets and exit devices, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Corbin Russwin Hardware (RU).

- C. **Cylinders**: Original manufacturer cylinders complying with the following:
  - 1. Mortise Type: Threaded cylinders with rings and cams to suit hardware application.
  - 2. Rim Type: Cylinders with back plate, flat-type vertical or horizontal tailpiece, and raised trim ring.
  - 3. Bored-Lock Type: Cylinders with tailpieces to suit locks.
  - 4. Mortise and rim cylinder collars to be solid and recessed to allow the cylinder face to be flush and be free spinning with matching finishes.
  - 5. Keyway: Match Facility Standard.
- D. **Keying System**: Each type of lock and cylinders to be factory keyed.
  - 1. Conduct specified "Keying Conference" to define and document keying system instructions and requirements.
  - 2. Furnish factory cut, nickel-silver large bow permanently inscribed with a visual key control number as directed by Owner.
  - 3. Existing System: Key locks to Owner's existing system.
- E. **Key Quantity**: Provide the following minimum number of keys:
  - 1. Change Keys per Cylinder: Two (2)
  - 2. Master Keys (per Master Key Level/Group): Five (5).

#### 2.4 MECHANICAL LOCKS AND LATCHING DEVICES

- A. Cylindrical Locksets, Grade 1 (Heavy Duty): ANSI/BHMA A156.2, Series 4000, Grade 1 certified.
  - 1. Furnish with solid cast levers, standard 2-3/4 inch backset, and 1/2 inch (3/4 inch at rated paired openings) throw brass or stainless steel latchbolt.
  - 2. Locks are to be non-handed and fully field reversible.
  - 3. Extended cycle test: Locks to have been cycle tested in ordinance with ANSI/BHMA 156.2 requirements to 2 million cycles.
  - 4. Manufacturers:
    - a. Corbin Russwin Hardware (RU) CL3300 Series.
    - b. Sargent Manufacturing (SA) 10 Line.

## 2.5 LOCK AND LATCH STRIKES

- A. **Strikes**: Provide manufacturer's standard strike with strike box for each latch or lock bolt, with curved lip extended to protect frame, finished to match door hardware set, unless otherwise indicated, and as follows:
  - 1. Flat-Lip Strikes: For locks with three-piece anti-friction latchbolts, as recommended by manufacturer.
  - 2. Extra-Long-Lip Strikes: For locks used on frames with applied wood casing trim.
  - 3. Aluminum-Frame Strike Box: Provide manufacturer's special strike box fabricated for aluminum framing.
  - 4. Double-lipped strikes: For locks at double acting doors. Furnish with retractable stop for rescue hardware applications.

- B. **Standards**: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Strikes for Mortise Locks and Latches: BHMA A156.13.
  - 2. Strikes for Bored Locks and Latches: BHMA A156.2.
  - 3. Strikes for Auxiliary Deadlocks: BHMA A156.36.
  - 4. Dustproof Strikes: BHMA A156.16.
    - a. Trimco (TC).

## 2.6 DOOR STOPS AND HOLDERS

- A. General: Door stops and holders to be of type and design as specified below or in the Hardware Sets.
- B. **Door Stops and Bumpers**: ANSI/BHMA A156.16, Grade 1 certified door stops and wall bumpers. Provide wall bumpers, either convex or concave types with anchorage as indicated, unless floor or other types of door stops are specified in Hardware Sets. Do not mount floor stops where they will impede traffic. Where floor or wall bumpers are not appropriate, provide overhead type stops and holders.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Rockwood Products; ASSA ABLOY Architectural Door Accessories (RO).
    - b. Trimco (TC).

#### 2.7 FABRICATION

A. **Fasteners**: Provide door hardware manufactured to comply with published templates generally prepared for machine, wood, and sheet metal screws. Provide screws according to manufacturers recognized installation standards for application intended.

## 2.8 FINISHES

- A. **Standard**: Designations used in the Hardware Sets and elsewhere indicate hardware finishes complying with ANSI/BHMA A156.18, including coordination with traditional U.S. finishes indicated by certain manufacturers for their products.
- B. **Provide quality of finish**, including thickness of plating or coating (if any), composition, hardness, and other qualities complying with manufacturer's standards, but in no case less than specified by referenced standards for the applicable units of hardware
- C. **Protect mechanical finishes** on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 **EXAMINATION**

- A. **Examine scheduled openings**, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances, labeled fire door assembly construction, wall and floor construction, and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. **Notify Architect of any discrepancies** or conflicts between the door schedule, door types, drawings and scheduled hardware. Proceed only after such discrepancies or conflicts have been resolved in writing.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Hollow Metal Frames: Comply with ANSI/DHI A115 series.
- B. **Wood Doors**: Comply with ANSI/DHI A115-W series.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. **Install each item of mechanical hardware** to comply with manufacturer's written instructions and according to specifications.
  - 1. Installers are to be trained and certified by the manufacturer on the proper installation and adjustment of fire, life safety, and security products including: hanging devices; locking devices; closing devices; and seals.
- B. **Mounting Heights**: Mount door hardware units at heights indicated in following applicable publications, unless specifically indicated or required to comply with governing regulations:
  - Standard Steel Doors and Frames: DHI's "Recommended Locations for Architectural Hardware for Standard Steel Doors and Frames."
  - 2. Wood Doors: DHI WDHS.3, "Recommended Locations for Architectural Hardware for Wood Flush Doors."
  - 3. Where indicated to comply with accessibility requirements, comply with ANSI A117.1 "Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities."
  - 4. Provide blocking in drywall partitions where wall stops or other wall mounted hardware is located.
- C. Retrofitting: Install door hardware to comply with manufacturer's published templates and written instructions. Where cutting and fitting are required to install door hardware onto or into surfaces that are later to be painted or finished in another way, coordinate removal, storage, and reinstallation of surface protective trim units with finishing work specified in Division 9 Sections. Do not install surface-mounted items until finishes have been completed on substrates involved.
- D. **Storage**: Provide a secure lock up for hardware delivered to the Project but not yet installed. Control the handling and installation of hardware items so that the completion of the work will not be delayed by hardware losses before and after installation.

#### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. **Field Inspection**: Supplier will perform a final inspection of installed door hardware and state in report whether work complies with or deviates from requirements, including whether door hardware is properly installed, operating and adjusted.

## 3.5 ADJUSTING

A. Initial Adjustment: Adjust and check each operating item of door hardware and each door to ensure proper operation or function of every unit. Replace units that cannot be adjusted to operate as intended. Adjust door control devices to compensate for final operation of heating and ventilating equipment and to comply with referenced accessibility requirements.

#### 3.6 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. **Protect all hardware** stored on construction site in a covered and dry place. Protect exposed hardware installed on doors during the construction phase. Install any and all hardware at the latest possible time frame.
- B. **Clean adjacent surfaces** soiled by door hardware installation.
- Clean operating items as necessary to restore proper finish. Provide final protection and maintain conditions that ensure door hardware is without damage or deterioration at time of owner occupancy.

## 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

A. **Instruct Owner's maintenance personnel** to adjust, operate, and maintain mechanical and electromechanical door hardware.

#### 3.8 DOOR HARDWARE SETS

- A. **The hardware sets** represent the design intent and direction of the Owner and Architect. They are a guideline only and should not be considered a detailed hardware schedule. Discrepancies, conflicting hardware and missing items should be brought to the attention of the Architect with corrections made prior to the bidding process. Omitted items not included in a hardware set should be scheduled with the appropriate additional hardware required for proper application and functionality.
- B. **The supplier is responsible** for handing and sizing all products and providing the correct option for the appropriate door type and material where more than one is presented in the hardware sets. Quantities listed are for each pair of doors, or for each single door.

## C. Manufacturer's Abbreviations:

- 1. MK McKinney
- 2. PE Pemko
- 3. RU Corbin Russwin
- 4. RO Rockwood
- 5. RF Rixson
- 6. NO Norton
- 7. SU Securitron

## **Hardware Sets**

<u>Set: 1.0</u> Doors: 100

2 Continuous Hinge	CFM SLF-HD1	PT	PΕ
2 Flush Bolts	555	US26D	RO
1 Storeroom Lockset	CL3357 NZD 57A2	626	CR
2 Wall Bumper	409	US32D	RO
1 Dust Proof Strike	570	US26D	RO
1 Set Smoke Seal	S773		PΕ
1 Meeting Style Astragal	18041 CNB		PΕ

**END OF SECTION** 

# **DIVISION 9 - FINISHES**

Section 09 2216

Non-Structural Metal Framing Gypsum Board Acoustical Ceilings Resilient Floor Coverings Section 09 2900 Section 09 5100

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## **SECTION 09 2216**

#### NON-STRUCTURAL METAL FRAMING

## **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. **This Section includes** non-structural metal framing members for the following applications:
  - 1. Interior framing systems (e.g., supports for partition walls, framed soffits, furring, etc.).
  - 2. Interior suspension systems (e.g., supports for ceilings, suspended soffits, etc.).
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - Section 07 2100 "Building Insulation" for insulation installed between framing members.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. **Product Data**: For each type of product indicated.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Fire-Test-Response Characteristics**: For fire-resistance-rated assemblies that incorporate non-load-bearing steel framing, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 119 by an independent testing agency.
- B. **STC-Rated Assemblies**: For STC-rated assemblies, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 90 and classified according to ASTM E 413 by an independent testing agency.
- C. **Coordinate installation** of metal framing with RF-Magnetic shielding vendor to assure proper attachment and shielding from magnetic forces.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 NON-STRUCTURAL METAL FRAMING, GENERAL

- A. Framing Members, General: Comply with ASTM C 754 for conditions indicated.
  - Steel Sheet Components: Comply with ASTM C 645 requirements for metal, unless otherwise indicated.

## 2.2 SUSPENSION SYSTEM COMPONENTS

- A. **Tie Wire**: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper, 16 gauge (0.0625-inch-) diameter wire, or double strand of 18 gauge (0.0475-inch-) diameter wire.
- B. Hanger Attachments to Concrete:
  - Powder-Actuated Fasteners: Suitable for application indicated, fabricated from corrosion-resistant materials with clips or other devices for attaching hangers of type indicated, and capable of sustaining, without failure, a load equal to 10 times that imposed by construction as determined by testing according to ASTM E 1190 by an independent testing agency.
- C. **Wire Hangers**: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper, 0.162-inch diameter.
- D. Flat Hangers: Steel sheet, minimum 1 by 3/16 inch by length indicated.
- E. **Carrying Channels**: Cold-rolled, commercial-steel sheet with a base-metal thickness of 16 gauge (0.0538 inch) and minimum 1/2-inch- wide flanges.
  - 1. Depth: Minimum 1-1/2 inches (38 mm).
- F. Furring Channels (Furring Members):
  - 1. Hat-Shaped, Rigid Furring Channels: ASTM C 645, 7/8 inch deep.
    - a. Minimum Base Metal Thickness: Minimum 22 gauge.
  - 2. Resilient Furring Channels: 1/2-inch- deep members designed to reduce sound transmission.
    - a. Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, products which may be incorporated in the Work include but are not limited to:
      - 1) ClarkDietrich Building Systems; RC Deluxe (RCSD) Resilient Channel.
- G. **Sound Clips**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, products which may be incorporated in the Work include but are not limited to:
  - 1. RSIC-1; PAC International, Inc.
- H. **Grid Suspension System for Ceilings**: ASTM C 645, direct-hung system composed of main beams and cross-furring members that interlock.
  - 1. Available Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.; Drywall Grid Systems.
    - b. Chicago Metallic Corporation.
    - c. USG Corporation; Drywall Suspension System.

## 2.3 STEEL FRAMING FOR FRAMED ASSEMBLIES

- A. Steel Studs and Runners: ASTM C 645.
  - 1. Minimum Base-Metal Thickness: Minimum 20 gauge (0.0296 inch); 33 ksi.
- B. **Equivalent Gauge Steel Studs and Runners**: ASTM C 645
  - 1. Minimum Base-Steel Thickness: 0.019 inch; 65 ksi.
- C. Slip-Type Head Joints:

- 1. Deflection Track: Steel sheet top runner manufactured to prevent cracking of finishes applied to interior partition framing resulting from deflection of structure above; in thickness not less than indicated for studs and in width to accommodate depth of studs.
  - a. Available Products: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - 1) Steel Network Inc. (The); VertiClip SLD/VertiTrack VTD Series.
    - ClarkDietrich Building Systems, BlazeFrame or MaxTrak Slotted Deflection Track.
- C. Flat Strap Backing Plate: Steel sheet for blocking and bracing in length and width indicated.
  - 1. Minimum Base-Metal Thickness: Minimum 16 gauge.
  - 2. Option (at Contractor's discretion): Proprietary fire-retardant wood blocking and bracing; ClarkDietrich Fire-Retardant Treated Wood Blocking Plate, D16F/D24F.
- D. **Cold-Rolled Channel Bridging**: 16 gauge bare-steel thickness, with minimum 1/2-inch wide flanges.
  - 1. Depth: Minimum 1-1/2 inches.
  - 2. Clip Angle: Not less than 1-1/2 by 1-1/2 inches, 14 gauge thick, galvanized steel.
- E. Hat-Shaped, Rigid Furring Channels: ASTM C 645.
  - 1. Minimum Base Metal Thickness: Minimum 20 Gauge.
  - 2. Depth: 7/8 inch (22.2 mm).
- F. **Resilient Furring Channels**: 1/2-inch- deep, steel sheet members designed to reduce sound transmission.
  - 1. ClarkDietrich Building Systems; RC Deluxe (RCSD) Resilient Channel
- G. **Sound Clips**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, products which may be incorporated in the Work include but are not limited to:
  - 1. RSIC-1; PAC International, Inc.
- H. **Cold-Rolled Furring Channels**: 16 gauge steel thickness, with minimum 1/2-inch-(12.7-mm-) wide flanges.
  - 1. Depth: Minimum 3/4 inch.
  - 2. Furring Brackets: Adjustable, corrugated-edge type of steel sheet with minimum bare-steel thickness of 22 gauge.
  - 3. Tie Wire: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper, 16 gauge diameter wire, or double strand of 0.0475-inch- diameter wire.
- I. **Z-Shaped Furring**: With non-slotted web, face flange of 1-1/4 inches, wall attachment flange of 7/8 inch, minimum bare-metal thickness of 25 gauge, and depth required to fit insulation thickness indicated.

## 2.4 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. **General**: Provide auxiliary materials that comply with referenced installation standards.
  - Fasteners for Metal Framing: Of type, material, size, corrosion resistance, holding power, and other properties required to fasten steel members to substrates.

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

## 3.2 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

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

## 3.3 INSTALLING SUSPENSION SYSTEMS

- A. **Install suspension system** components in sizes and spacings indicated on Drawings, but not less than those required by referenced installation standards for assembly types and other assembly components indicated.
- 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.
    - Splay hangers only where required to miss obstructions and offset resulting horizontal forces by bracing, countersplaying, 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.
  - 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. Flat Hangers: Secure to structure, including intermediate framing members, by attaching to inserts, eye screws, or other devices and fasteners that are secure and appropriate for structure and hanger, and in a manner that will not cause hangers to deteriorate or otherwise fail.
- 5. Do not attach hangers to steel roof deck.
- 6. Do not attach hangers to permanent metal forms. Furnish cast-in-place hanger inserts that extend through forms.
- 7. Do not attach hangers to rolled-in hanger tabs of composite steel floor deck.
- 8. Do not connect or suspend steel framing from ducts, pipes, or conduit.
- D. **Fire-Resistance-Rated Assemblies**: Wire tie furring channels to supports.
- E. **Seismic Bracing**: Sway-brace suspension systems with hangers used for support.
- F. **Grid Suspension Systems**: Attach perimeter wall track or angle where grid suspension systems meet vertical surfaces. Mechanically join main beam and cross-furring members to each other and butt-cut to fit into wall track.
- G. **Installation Tolerances**: Install suspension systems that are level to within 1/8 inch in 12 feet measured lengthwise on each member that will receive finishes and transversely between parallel members that will receive finishes.

### 3.4 INSTALLING FRAMED ASSEMBLIES

- A. Where studs are installed directly against exterior masonry walls or dissimilar metals at exterior walls, install isolation strip between studs and exterior wall.
- B. **Install studs** so flanges within framing system point **in same direction**.
- C. 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. Slip-Type Head Joints: Where framing extends to overhead structural supports, install to produce joints at tops of framing systems that prevent axial loading of finished assemblies.

- 2. 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 or provide 16 gauge studs at door openings, unless otherwise indicated.
  - b. Install cripple studs at head adjacent to each jamb stud, with a minimum 1/2-inch clearance from jamb stud to allow for installation of control joint in finished assembly.
  - Extend jamb studs through suspended ceilings and attach to underside of overhead structure.
- 3. 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.
- 4. 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.
- Sound-Rated Partitions: Install framing to comply with sound-rated assembly indicated.
- 6. Curved Partitions:
  - a. Bend track to uniform curve and locate straight lengths so they are tangent to arcs.
  - b. Begin and end each arc with a stud, and space intermediate studs equally along arcs. On straight lengths of not less than 2 studs at ends of arcs, place studs 6 inches o.c.

## D. **Direct Furring**:

 Attach to concrete or masonry with stub nails, screws designed for masonry attachment, or powder-driven fasteners spaced 24 inches on center

## E. **Z-Furring Members**:

- 1. Erect insulation (specified in Division 7 Section "Building Insulation") vertically and hold in place with Z-furring members spaced 24 inches on center
- 2. Except at exterior corners, securely attach narrow flanges of furring members to wall with concrete stub nails, screws designed for masonry attachment, or powder-driven fasteners spaced 24 inches on center
- 3. At exterior corners, attach wide flange of furring members to wall with short flange extending beyond corner; on adjacent wall surface, screw-attach short flange of furring channel to web of attached channel. At interior corners, space second member no more than 12 inches from corner and cut insulation to fit.

## **END OF SECTION**

## **SECTION 09 2900**

#### **GYPSUM BOARD**

## **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. **This Section include**s the following:
  - 1. Interior gypsum board.
  - 2. Glass mat tile backing panels interior.
  - 3. Aluminum trim.
- B. **Related Sections** include the following:
  - 1. Section 07 2100 **"Building Insulation"** for insulation and vapor retarders installed in assemblies that incorporate gypsum board.
  - 2. Section 07 9200 "**Joint Sealants**" for acoustical sealants installed in assemblies that incorporate gypsum board.
  - 3. Section 09 9123 "Painting" for primers applied to gypsum board surfaces.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each type of product indicated.
- B. **Samples**: For the following products:
  - 1. **Trim Accessories**: Full-size Sample in 12-inch- long length for each trim accessory indicated.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Fire-Resistance-Rated Assemblies**: For fire-resistance-rated assemblies, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 119 by an independent testing agency.
- B. **STC-Rated Assemblies**: For STC-rated assemblies, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 90 and classified according to ASTM E 413 by an independent testing agency.

#### 1.5 STORAGE AND HANDLING

A. **Store materials** inside under cover and keep them dry and protected against damage from weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction traffic, and other causes. Stack panels flat to prevent sagging.

## 1.6 PROJECT 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 interior product**s 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 PANELS, GENERAL

A. **Size**: Provide in 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. **General:** Complying with ASTM C 36/C 36M or ASTM C 1396/C 1396M, as applicable to type of gypsum board indicated and whichever is more stringent.
  - 1. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. American Gypsum Co.
    - b. G-P Gypsum.
    - c. National Gypsum Company.
    - d. PABCO Gypsum.
    - e. USG Corporation.
- B. **Type X:** 
  - 1. Thickness: 5/8 inch.
  - 2. Long Edges: Tapered.

## 2.3 TRIM ACCESSORIES

- A. **Interior Trim**: ASTM C 1047.
  - 1. Material: Rolled zinc or aluminum only. Ferrous materials shall not be used.
  - 2. Shapes:
    - a. Cornerbead.
    - b. Bullnose bead.
    - c. LC-Bead: J-shaped; exposed long flange receives joint compound.
    - d. L-Bead: L-shaped; exposed long flange receives joint compound.
    - e. U-Bead: J-shaped; exposed short flange does not receive joint compound.
    - f. Expansion (control) joint.
    - g. Curved-Edge Cornerbead: With notched or flexible flanges.

- 3. Material: Vinyl conforming to ASTM D-1784.
  - Available Manufacturers include but are not limited to:
     AMICO (Alabama Metal Industries Corporation); www.amico-lath.com
- 4. Shapes:
  - a. Zip Strip Bead.
- B. Aluminum Trim: Extruded accessories of profiles and dimensions indicated.
  - 1. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Fry Reglet Corp.
    - b. Gordon, Inc.
    - c. Pittcon Industries.
  - 2. Aluminum: Alloy and temper with not less than the strength and durability properties of ASTM B 221 (ASTM B 221M), Alloy 6063-T5.
  - 3. Finish: Corrosion-resistant primer compatible with joint compound and finish materials specified.

## 2.5 JOINT TREATMENT MATERIALS

- A. **General:** Comply with ASTM C 475/C 475M.
- B. **Joint Tape**:
  - 1. Interior Gypsum Wallboard: Paper.
- C. **Joint Compound for Interior Gypsum Wallboard**: For each coat use formulation that is compatible with other compounds applied on previous or for successive coats.
  - 1. Prefilling: 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 setting-type taping 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.

## 2.6 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. **General:** Provide auxiliary materials that comply with referenced installation standards and manufacturer's written recommendations.
- B. **Laminating Adhesive:** Adhesive or joint compound recommended for directly adhering gypsum panels to continuous substrate.
  - 1. Use adhesives that have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- Drill Screws: Non-ferrous only, as approved by MRI supplier and gypsum manufacturer.
- D. Acoustical Sealant: As specified in Division 7 Section "Joint Sealants."
- E. Thermal Insulation: As specified in Division 7 Section "Building Insulation."

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 **EXAMINATION**

- A. **Examine areas and substrates**, with Installer present, and including welded hollow-metal frames and framing, for compliance with requirements and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. **Examine panels before installation**. Reject panels that are wet, moisture damaged, and mold damaged.
- 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 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.
  - 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. 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- 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- 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.

#### 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:

- On ceilings, apply gypsum panels before wall/partition board application to greatest extent possible and at right angles to framing, unless otherwise indicated.
- On partitions/walls, apply gypsum panels horizontally (perpendicular 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.

## C. Multilayer Application:

- On ceilings, apply gypsum board indicated for base layers before applying base layers on walls/partitions; apply face layers in same sequence. Apply base layers at right angles to framing members and offset face-layer joints 1 framing member, 16 inches minimum, from parallel base-layer joints, unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly.
- On partitions/walls, apply gypsum board indicated for base layers and face layers vertically (parallel to framing) with joints of base layers located over stud or furring member and face-layer joints offset at least one stud or furring member with base-layer joints, unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly. Stagger joints on opposite sides of partitions.
- 3. On Z-furring members, apply base layer vertically (parallel to framing) and face layer either vertically (parallel to framing) or horizontally (perpendicular to framing) with vertical joints offset at least one furring member. Locate edge joints of base layer over furring members.
- 4. Fastening Methods: Fasten base layers with screws; fasten face layers with adhesive and supplementary fasteners.
- D. **Laminating to Substrate**: Where gypsum panels are indicated as directly adhered to a substrate (other than studs, joists, furring members, or base layer of gypsum board), comply with gypsum board manufacturer's written recommendations and temporarily brace or fasten gypsum panels until fastening adhesive has set.

## E. Curved Surfaces:

- Install panels horizontally (perpendicular to supports) and unbroken, to extent possible, across curved surface plus 12-inch- long straight sections at ends of curves and tangent to them.
- 2. For double-layer construction, fasten base layer to studs with screws 16 inches o.c. Center gypsum board face layer over joints in base layer, and fasten to studs with screws spaced 12 inches o.c.

#### 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. **Control Joints:** Install control joints according to ASTM C 840 and in specific locations approved by Architect for visual effect.
- C. **Interior Trim**: Install in the following locations:
  - 1. Cornerbead: Use at outside corners, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Bullnose Bead: Use where indicated.
  - 3. LC-Bead: Use at exposed panel edges.
  - 4. L-Bead: Use where indicated.
  - 5. U-Bead: Use at exposed panel edges.
  - 6. Curved-Edge Cornerbead: Use at curved openings.
- D. **Aluminum Trim:** Install in locations indicated on Drawings.
- E. **Install corner beads** at external corners. Provide metal trim to protect edge of gypsum board wherever gypsum board intersects a dissimilar material. Hold channel and L trim back from metal window and door frames 1/8 inch to allow for caulking.

#### 3.6 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. **Prefill open joints**, rounded or beveled edges, and damaged surface areas.
- C. **Apply joint tape** over gypsum board joints, except those with trim having flanges not intended for tape.
- D. **Gypsum Board Finish Levels:** Finish panels to levels indicated below:
  - 1. Level 1: Ceiling plenum areas, concealed areas, and where indicated.
  - 2. Level 2: Panels that are substrate for tile.
  - 3. Level 5: At all wall surfaces, except where noted otherwise above.
    - a. Primer and its application to surfaces are specified in other Division 9 Sections.

#### 3.7 PROTECTION

- A. **Protect installed products** from damage from weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction, and other causes during remainder of the construction period.
- B. 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.

## 3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. **Above-Ceiling Observation:** Architect will conduct an above-ceiling observation before installing gypsum board ceilings and report deficiencies in the Work observed. Do not proceed with installation of gypsum board to ceiling support framing until deficiencies have been corrected.
  - 1. Notify Architect seven days in advance of date and time when Project, or part of Project, will be ready for above-ceiling observation.
  - 2. Before notifying Architect, complete the following in areas to receive gypsum board ceilings:
    - a. Installation of 80 percent of lighting fixtures, powered for operation.
    - b. Installation, insulation, and leak and pressure testing of water piping systems.
    - c. Installation of air-duct systems.
    - d. Installation of air devices.
    - e. Installation of mechanical system control-air tubing.
    - f. Installation of ceiling support framing.

**END OF SECTION** 

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## **SECTION 09 5100**

#### **ACOUSTICAL CEILINGS**

## **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 work of this section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **Section includes** acoustical ceiling tile, suspension system and accessories.
- B. Related Sections:
  - Section 09 2216 "Non-Structural Metal Framing" for suspension systems for hard ceilings.
  - 2. Section 09 2900 "Gypsum Board" for gypsum board ceilings.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: Manufacturer's product specifications and installation instructions for each acoustical ceiling material required, and for each suspension system, including certified laboratory test reports and other data as required to show compliance with these specifications.
  - Include manufacturer's recommendations for cleaning and refinishing acoustical units, including precautions against materials and methods which may be detrimental to finishes and acoustical performances.
- B. **Samples**: Set of 6 inch x 4 inch square samples for each acoustical unit required, showing full range of exposed color and texture to be expected in completed work.
  - 1. Set of 12 inch long samples of each exposed runner and molding.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations:
  - Acoustical Ceiling Panel: Obtain each type through one source from a single manufacturer.
  - 2. Suspension System: Obtain each type through one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. **Fire Performance Characteristics**: Provide acoustical ceiling components that are identical to those tested for the following fire performance characteristics, according to ASTM test method indicated, by UL or other testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Identify acoustical ceiling components with appropriate marking of applicable testing and inspecting agency.
  - 1. Surface Burning Characteristics: As follows, tested per ASTM E 84.
    - a. Flame Spread: 25 or less.
    - b. Smoke Developed: 50 or less.

- 2. **Fire Resistance Ratings**: As indicated by reference to design designation in UL "Fire Resistance Directory" or "FM Approval Guide", for floor, roof or beam assemblies in which acoustical ceilings function as a fire protective membrane; tested per ASTM E 119. Provide protection materials for lighting fixtures and air ducts to comply with requirements indicated for rated assembly.
- C. **Seismic Standard**: Provide acoustical panel ceilings designed and installed to withstand the effects of earthquake motions according to the following:
  - 1. CISCA's Guidelines for Systems Requiring Seismic Restraint: Comply with CISCA's "Guidelines for Seismic Restraint of Direct-Hung Suspended Ceiling Assemblies--Seismic Zones 3 & 4."
- D. **Coordination of Work**: Coordinate layout and installation of acoustical ceiling units and suspension system components with other work supported by or penetrating through, ceilings, including light fixtures, HVAC equipment, fire-suppression system components (if any), and partition system (if any).

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. **Deliver acoustical ceiling units to project site** in original, unopened packages and store them in a fully enclosed space where they will be protected against damage from moisture, direct sunlight, surface contamination or other causes.
- B. **Before installing acoustical ceiling units**, permit them to reach room temperature and a stabilized moisture content.
- C. **Handle acoustical ceiling units carefully** to avoid chipping edges or damaging units in any way.

## 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. **Space Enclosure**: Do not install interior acoustical ceilings until space is enclosed and weatherproof, wet-work in space is completed and nominally dry, work above ceilings completed, and ambient conditions of temperature and humidity will be continuously maintained at values near those indicated for final occupancy

## 1.7 COORDINATION

A. **Coordinate layout and installation** of acoustical panels and suspension system with other construction that penetrates ceilings or is supported by them, including light fixtures, HVAC equipment, fire suppression system, and partition assemblies

## 1.8 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. **Furnish extra materials described below** that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Acoustical Ceiling Panels: Full-size equal to 2.0 percent of quantity installed.
  - 2. Suspension System Components: Quantity of each exposed component equal to 2.0 percent of quantity installed.
  - 4. Hold-Down Clips: Equal to 2.0 percent of amount installed.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURER

- A. **Available Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following
  - 1. Suspension System:
    - a. Armstrong.
    - b. Chicago Metallic Corp.
    - c. USG/Donn Corp.
    - d. National Rolling Mills, Inc.
  - Acoustical Tile:
    - a. Armstrong.
    - b. CertainTeed.
    - c. USG.
  - 3. Acoustical Sealant:
    - a. Tremco Acoustical Sealant; Tremco.
    - b. USG Acoustical Sealant; United States Gypsum Co.
    - c. Chem-Calk 600; Woodmont Products, Inc.
    - d. Pecora Corp; AC 20 FTR Acoustical and Insulation Sealant

## 2.2 MATERIALS

## A. Acoustical Ceiling Units:

- General: Provide manufacturer's standard units of configuration indicated which are prepared for mounting method designated and which comply with FS SS-S-118 requirements, including those indicated by reference to type, form, pattern, grade (NRC or NIC's as applicable), light reflectance coefficient (LR), edge detail, and joint detail (if any).
- 2. Mounting Method for Measuring NRC: No. 7 (mechanically mounted on special metal support), FS SS-S-118; or Type E-400 mounting as per ASTM E 795.
- 3. Sound Attenuation Performance: Provide acoustical ceiling units with ratings for ceiling sound transmission class (STC) of range indicated as determined according to AMA 1-II "Ceiling Sound Transmission Test by Two-Room Method" with ceilings continuous at partitions and supported by a metal suspension system of type appropriate for ceiling unit of configuration indicated (concealed for tile, exposed for panels).

## B. Ceiling Types:

- 1. **Type A:** Armstrong: Optima® Health Zone™ (3114PB)
  - a. Size: 24 inch x 24 inch x 1 inch.
  - b. Edge: Square lay-in
  - c. CAC: N/A d. LR: 0.86
  - e. NRC: 0.95
  - f. ASTM E1264 Classification: Type CII, Form 2, Pattern E
  - g. Material: Fiberglass with "Durabrite" acoustically transparent membrane with factory-applied vinyl latex paint

Or equivalent (as judged by Architect): Certainteed or USG

- C. **Metal Suspension System**: Provide metal suspension systems of type, structural classification and finish indicated which comply with applicable ASTM C 635 requirements.
  - 1. Finishes and Colors: Provide manufacturer's standard finish for type of system indicated, unless otherwise required. For exposed suspension members and accessories with painted finish, provide color indicated or, if not otherwise indicated, as selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range of standard colors.
  - 2. Attachment Devices: Size for 5 times design load indicated in ASTM C 635, Table 1, Direct Hung.
  - 3. Hanger Wire: Galvanized carbon steel wire, ASTM A 641, soft temper, pre-stretched, Class 1 coating, sized so that stress at 3- times hanger design loan (ASTM C 635, Table 1, Direct Hung), will be less than yield stress of wire, but provide not less than 12 gage.
  - 4. Sheet-Metal Edge Moldings and Trim: Type and profile indicated or, if not indicated, manufacturer's standard moldings for edges and penetrations that fit acoustical panel edge details and suspension systems indicated; formed from sheet metal of same material and finish as that used for exposed flanges of suspension system runners.
    - a. For lay-in panels with reveal edge details, provide stepped edge molding that forms reveal of same depth and width as that formed between edge of panel and flange at exposed suspension member.
    - b. For circular penetrations of ceiling, provide edge moldings fabricated to diameter required to fit penetration exactly.
    - Provide shadow reveal molding with width of reveal equal to depth of reveal.
  - 5. Hold-Down Clips: Minimum 24 gauge spring steel, 1-7/16 inches deep x 7/8 inches wide, designed to fit over cross tees. Provide clips spaced symmetrically 2 ft. o.c.
  - 6. Seismic Struts: Manufacturer's standard compression struts designed to accommodate seismic forces. Provide struts at 12 feet on center both ways for all suspended ceilings according to UBC Standard 25-2.
    - a. In lieu of compression struts, provide a seismic clip with an ES Report number from ICC demonstrating that the compression struts and the 2 inch perimeter wall mold are not required.
    - b. Acceptable Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with the requirements of Contract Documents, provide seismic clips by one of the following manufacturers:
      - 1) Armstrong; BERC seismic clip.
      - 2) Chicago Metallic; 1496 Perimeter Clip.
      - 3) USG; ACM-7 clip
  - 7. Wide-Face, Capped, Double-Web, Aluminum Suspension System: Main and cross runners roll formed from aluminum sheet, pre-painted, with pre-finished 15/16-inch- wide metal caps on flanges.
    - Basis of Design: Contract Documents are based on system specified below to establish a standard of quality. Other manufacturers offering products with equivalent characteristics may be considered, provided deviations are minor and design concept as expressed in the Contract Documents is not changed, as judged by the Architect.
      - 1) Manufacturer: Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
      - 2) System: Armstrong Prelude® Plus XL® Aluminum 15/16 inch Environmental Tee.

- b. Characteristics:
  - 1) Structural Classification: Light-duty system.
  - 2) End Condition of Cross Runners: Over-ride type.
  - 3) Face Design: Flat, flush.
  - 4) Cap Material: Aluminum cold-rolled sheet.
  - 5) Cap Finish: Painted in color as selected from manufacturer's full range.

## D. Miscellaneous Materials:

 Acoustical Sealant: Resilient, non-staining, non-shrinking, non-hardening, non-skinning, non-drying, non-sag sealant intended for interior sealing of concealed construction joints.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. **Coordination**: Furnish layouts for inserts, clips, or other supports required to be installed by other trades for support of acoustical ceilings.
  - Furnish concrete inserts, steel deck hanger clips and similar devices to other trades for installation well in advance of time needed for coordination of other work.
- B. **Layout**: Measure each ceiling area and establish layout of acoustical units to balance border widths at opposite edges of each ceiling. Avoid use of less-than-half width units at borders, and comply with reflected ceiling plans wherever possible.

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. **General**: Install materials in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions, and to comply with governing regulations, fire resistance rating requirements as indicated, and industry standards applicable to work.
- B. **Arrange acoustical units** and orient directionally-patterned units (if any) in manner shown by reflected ceiling plans.
  - 1. Install tile with pattern running in one direction.
- C. **Install suspension systems** to comply with ASTM C 636, with hangers supported only from building structural members. Locate hangers not less than 6 inches from each end and spaced 4'-0" along each carrying channel or direct-hung runner, unless otherwise indicated, leveling to tolerance of 1/8" in 12'-0". Comply with detail on drawings for seismic bracing.
- D. **Secure wire hangers** by looping and wire-tying, either directly to structures or to inserts, eye-screws, or other devices which are secure and appropriate for substrate, and which will not deteriorate or fail with age or elevated temperatures.
  - Install hangers plumb and free from contact with insulation or other objects within ceiling plenum which are not part of supporting structural or ceiling suspension system. Splay hangers only where required to miss obstructions and offset resulting horizontal force by bracing, countersplaying or other equally effective means.

- E. **Install edge moldings** of type indicated at perimeter of acoustical ceiling area and at locations where necessary to conceal edges of acoustical units.
  - 1. Screw-attach moldings to substrate at intervals not over 16 inches o.c. and not more than 3 inches from ends, leveling with ceiling suspension system to tolerance of 1/8" in 12'-0". Miter corners accurately and connect securely.
- F. **Install** acoustical panels in coordination with suspension system, with edges concealed by support of suspension members. Scribe and cut panels to fit accurately at borders and at penetrations.
  - 1. Paint cut and exposed edges of acoustical tile.
  - 2. Install hold-down clips in areas indicated, and in areas where required by governing regulations or for fire-resistance ratings; space as recommended by panel manufacturer, unless otherwise indicated or required.

## 3.3 ADJUST AND CLEAN

A. **Clean exposed surfaces** of acoustical ceilings, including trim, edge moldings, and suspension members; comply with manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and touch-up of minor finish damage. Remove and replace work which cannot be successfully cleaned and repaired to permanently eliminate evidence of damage.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 09 6513**

#### RESILIENT FLOOR COVERINGS

## **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. This **Section includes:** 
  - Vinyl sheet floor coverings, including integral coved base.

#### B. Related Sections:

 Section 09 6520 "Resilient Wall Base and Accessories" for resilient wall base, stair treads, reducer strips, and other accessories installed with vinyl and rubber tile floor coverings.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Show locations of seams, edges, columns, doorways, enclosing partitions, built-in furniture, cabinets, and cutouts.
  - 2. Show details of special patterns.
- C. **Samples**: For each type of linoleum floor covering indicated.
  - 1. Include similar samples of installation accessories involving color selection.
  - 2. Heat-Welding Bead: Include manufacturer's standard-size Samples, but not less than 9 inches long, of each color required.
- D. **Heat-Welded Seam Samples**: For each flooring product and welding bead color and pattern combination required; with seam running lengthwise and in center of 6-by-9-inch Sample applied to rigid backing and prepared by Installer for this Project.
- E. **Maintenance Data**: For floor coverings to include in maintenance manuals.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Installer Qualifications**: A qualified installer who employs workers for this Project that are competent in techniques required by manufacturer for floor covering installation indicated.
- B. **Fire-Test-Response Characteristics**: Provide products identical to those tested for fire-exposure behavior per test method indicated by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. **Store floor coverings and installation materials** in dry spaces protected from the weather, with ambient temperatures maintained within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 50 degrees F or more than 90 degrees F.

## 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Maintain temperatures** within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 70 degrees F or more than 95 degrees F, in spaces to receive floor tile during the following time periods:
  - 1. 72 hours before installation.
  - 2. During installation.
  - 72 hours after installation.
- B. **After post-installation period**, maintain temperatures within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 55 degrees F or more than 95 degrees F.
- C. Close spaces to traffic during floor covering installation.
- D. Close spaces to traffic for 72 hours after floor covering installation.
- E. **Install floor coverings after other finishing operations**, including painting, have been completed.

## 1.7 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. **Furnish extra materials** described below that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Sheet Goods: Furnish not less than 10 linear feet in full roll width for every 500 linear feet or fraction thereof, in roll form and in full roll width, of each different type, color, and pattern of sheet floor covering installed.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 SHEET VINYL FLOOR COVERING

- A. **Acceptable Manufacturer:** Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, provide products by the following manufacturer.
  - 1. Manufacturer: Mannington Commercial
  - 2. Products: Biospec.
- B. Colors and Patterns: As indicated on Legend-Finish Schedule on Drawings.
- C. **Sheet Floor Covering**: Complying with ASTM F 1303, Type 1, Grade 1, Class B, and consisting of a urethane wear layer with aluminum oxide, cured by ultraviolet process. Patterns and colors shall extend through entire wear-layer thickness.
  - 1. Roll Size: In manufacturer's standard length by not less than 78 inches wide.

- D. **Seaming Method**: Heat welded.
- E. Overall Thickness: 0.080 inch.

## F. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics:

 Critical Radiant Flux Classification: Class I, not less than 0.45 W/sq. cm per ASTM E 648.

## 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 floor covering manufacturer for applications indicated.
- B. **Adhesives**: Water-resistant type recommended by floor covering manufacturer for products and substrate conditions indicated.
- C. **Heat-Welding Bead**: Solid-strand product of floor covering manufacturer.
  - Color: Match floor covering.
- D. **Coved Base Accessories**: Cove forms and cap pieces, as selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. **Examine substrates,** with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances, moisture content, and other conditions affecting performance.
  - 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 coverings.
  - 2. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. **Prepare substrates** according to manufacturer's written recommendations to ensure adhesion of floor coverings.
- B. **Concrete Substrates**: Prepare according to ASTM F 710.
  - 1. Verify that substrates are dry and free of curing compounds, sealers, and hardeners.
  - 2. Alkalinity and Adhesion Testing: Perform tests recommended by manufacturer. Proceed with installation only after substrates pass testing.
  - 3. Moisture Testing:
    - a. Perform anhydrous calcium chloride test, ASTM F 1869. Proceed with installation only after substrates have maximum moisture-vapor-emission rate of 3 lb. of water/1000 sq. ft. in 24 hours.
    - b. Perform tests recommended by manufacturer. Proceed with installation only after substrates pass testing.

- C. Remove substrate coatings and other substances that are incompatible with floor covering adhesives and that contain soap, wax, oil, or silicone, using mechanical methods recommended by manufacturer. Do not use solvents.
- Use trowelable leveling and patching compound to fill cracks, holes, and depressions in substrates.
- E. **Move floor coverings and installation materials** into spaces where they will be installed at least 72 hours in advance of installation.
  - 1. Do not install floor coverings until they are same temperature as space where they are to be installed.
- F. **Sweep and vacuum clean substrates** to be covered by floor coverings immediately before installation. After cleaning, examine substrates for moisture, alkaline salts, carbonation, and dust. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. **Scribe and cut floor coverings** to butt neatly and tightly to vertical surfaces, permanent fixtures, and built-in furniture including cabinets, pipes, outlets, edgings, thresholds, and nosings.
- B. **Extend floor coverings** into toe spaces, door reveals, closets, and similar openings.
- C. **Maintain reference markers**, holes, or openings that are in place or marked for future cutting by repeating on floor coverings as marked on subfloor. Use chalk or other nonpermanent marking device.
- D. **Install floor coverings** on covers for telephone and electrical ducts and similar items in finished floor areas. Maintain overall continuity of color and pattern with pieces of floor coverings installed on covers. Tightly adhere floor covering edges to substrates that abut covers and to cover perimeters.
- E. **Adhere floor coverings to 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.
- F. **Heat-Welded Seams**: Comply with ASTM F 1516. Rout joints and use welding bead to permanently fuse sections into a seamless floor covering. Prepare, weld, and finish seams to produce surfaces flush with adjoining floor covering surfaces.

## 3.4 SHEET FLOOR COVERING INSTALLATION

A. **Unroll sheet floor coverings** and allow them to stabilize before cutting and fitting.

- B. Lay out sheet floor coverings as follows:
  - Maintain uniformity of floor covering direction.
  - 2. Minimize number of seams; place seams in inconspicuous and low-traffic areas, at least 6 inches away from parallel joints in floor covering substrates.
  - 3. Match edges of floor coverings for color shading at seams.
  - 4. Avoid cross seams.
  - 5. Eliminate deformations that result from hanging method used during drying process (stove bar marks).
- C. Integral-Flash-Cove Base: Cove flooring to dimension indicated up vertical surfaces. Support flooring at horizontal and vertical junction with cove strip. Butt at top against cap strip.

## 3.5 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. Perform the following operations immediately after installing floor coverings:
  - 1. Remove adhesive and other surface blemishes from floor covering surfaces.
  - 2. Sweep and vacuum floor coverings thoroughly.
  - 3. Damp-mop floor coverings to remove marks and soil.
    - Do not wash floor coverings until after time period recommended by manufacturer.
- B. **Protect floor coverings** against mars, marks, indentations, and other damage from construction operations and placement of equipment and fixtures during remainder of construction period. Use protection methods indicated or recommended in writing by manufacturer.
  - 1. Apply protective floor polish when recommended by flooring manufacturer or as directed by Architect to surfaces that are free of soil, visible adhesive, and surface blemishes.
    - a. Seal as recommended by manufacturer but with not less than three coats of floor polish.
    - b. Use commercially available product acceptable to manufacturer.
    - c. Coordinate selection of floor polish with Owner's maintenance service.
  - 2. Cover vinyl and rubber floor coverings with undyed, untreated building paper until inspection for Substantial Completion.
  - 3. Do not move heavy and sharp objects directly over floor covering surfaces. Place plywood or hardboard panels over floor coverings and under objects while they are being moved. Slide or roll objects over panels without moving panels.

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#### **SECTION 09 9123**

#### **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 work of this section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. **Section includes** painting work, **interior** and **exterior**. Work includes, but is not limited to painting the following:
  - 1. Metal doors, metal door frames, grilles, frames and fire extinguisher cabinet doors.
  - 2. Interior walls and ceilings.
  - 3. Interior wood including but not limited to trim, moldings and miscellaneous items.
  - 4. Work includes field painting of exposed bare and covered pipes and ducts (including color coding), and of hangers, exposed steel and iron work, plug mold, electric panels, and primed metal surfaces of equipment installed under mechanical and electrical work, except as otherwise indicated.

## B. Related Sections:

- Section 07 1913 "Water Repellents" for coatings applied to exterior masonry.
- 2. **Finish Legend** on sheet A501 for product selections and colors.
- 3. **Shop Primers**: Unless otherwise specified, shop priming of ferrous metal items is included under various sections for structural steel, metal fabrications, hollow metal work and similar items.
  - a. Unless otherwise specified, shop priming of fabricated components such as architectural woodwork, wood casework and shop-fabricated or factory-built mechanical and electrical equipment or accessories is included under other sections of these specifications.
  - b. Comply with PDCA Standard P15 "Painting of Shop Primed Substrates"
- C. "Paint" as used herein means all coating systems materials, including primers, emulsions, enamels, stains, sealers and fillers, and other applied materials whether used as prime, intermediate or finish coats.
- D. Gloss and Sheen Definitions shall determine the equivalency of the desired finish luster when described in the construction documents by a traditional name instead of gloss units due to the wide variance of sheen descriptions available from manufacturer to manufacturer. Gloss shall be determined by ASTM D523 - 08 Standard Test Method for Specular Gloss.
  - 1. Flat: Refers to a lusterless or matte finish with a gloss range below 5 units when measured with a 60 degree meter and no more than 10 units measured at an 85 degree meter.
  - 2. Low-Sheen: Refers to a velvet-like finish with a gloss range below 10 units when measured with a 60 degree meter and between 10-35 units measured at an 85 degree meter.
  - 4. Satin: Refers to low-to-medium range finish with a gloss range between 20-35 units when measured with a 60 degree meter and at least 35 units measured at an 85 degree meter.

- 5. Semi-Gloss: Refers to a medium sheen finish with a gloss range between 35-70 units when measured with a 60 degree meter.
- 6. Gloss: Refers to a high sheen finish with a gloss range between 70-85 units when measured with a 60 degree meter.
- 7. High-Gloss: Refers to a very high sheen finish with a gloss range more than 85 units when measured with a 60 degree meter.
- E. **Drywall Finishing Levels**: Except where otherwise specified, a Drywall Finishing Level 5 is required on gypsum board substrates scheduled to receive an eggshell or higher sheen. Drywall Finishing Level 4 is acceptable with the use of flat and low-sheen paints, except where critical lighting conditions are determined to be an issue by the Architect.
- F. **Surfaces to be Painted**: Except where natural finish of material is specifically noted as a surface not to be painted, paint all exposed surfaces whether or not colors are designated in "schedules". Where items or surfaces are not specifically mentioned, paint the same as similar adjacent materials or areas. If color or finish is not designated, Architect will select these from manufacturer's full range of colors and finishes. Multiple colors will be selected by the Architect for any type of paint system. If colors are not indicated on the drawings, provide for a minimum of 20 percent of the walls to be an accent color.
  - 1. Surface preparation, priming and coats of paint specified are in addition to shop-priming and surface treatment specified under other sections of work.
  - 2. Walls behind scheduled coverings shall receive prime coat.
  - 3. If it can be seen, *paint it*.
- G. Following categories of work are not included as part of field-applied finish work:
  - 1. Pre-Finished Items: Unless otherwise indicated, do not include painting when factory-finishing or installer-finishing is specified for such items as (but not limited to) metal toilet enclosures, pre-finished partition systems, architectural woodwork and casework, elevator entrance doors and frames, elevator equipment, and finished mechanical and electrical equipment, including light fixtures, switchgear and distribution cabinets.
  - 2. Concealed Surfaces: Unless otherwise indicated, painting is not required on surfaces such as walls or ceilings in concealed areas and generally inaccessible areas, foundation spaces, furred areas, utility tunnels, pipe spaces and duct shafts.
  - 3. Finished Metal Surfaces: Unless otherwise indicated, metal surfaces of anodized aluminum, stainless steel, chromium plate, copper, bronze and similar finished materials will not require finish painting.
  - 4. Operating Parts: Unless otherwise indicated, moving parts of operating units, mechanical and electrical parts, such as valve and damper operators, linkages, sensing devices, motor and fan shafts will not require finish painting.
  - 5. Labels: Do not paint over any code-required labels, such as Underwriters' Laboratories and Factory Mutual, or any equipment identification, performance rating, name, or nomenclature plates.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. **Product Data**: Submit manufacturer's technical information including Paint label analysis and application instructions for each material proposed for use.
- B. **Sustainability**: For paints and coatings, printed statement of VOC content demonstrating conformance to Utah Air Quality Regulations (R307-361).

- C. **Samples**: Prior to beginning work, review Legend-Finish for colors to be painted. Use representative colors when preparing samples for review. Submit samples for Architect's review of color and texture only. Provide a listing of material and application for each coat of each finish sample.
  - 1. On 12 inch x 12 inch hardboard, provide two samples of each color and material, with texture to simulate actual conditions. Resubmit samples as requested by Architect until acceptable sheen, color, and texture is achieved.
  - 2. On actual wood surfaces, provide two 4 inch x 8 inch samples of natural and stained wood finish. Label and identify each as to location and application.
  - 3. On actual wall surfaces and other exterior and interior building components, duplicate painted finishes of prepared samples. Refer to "Mockups" below.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Single Source Responsibility**: Provide primers and other undercoat paint produced by same manufacturer as finish coats. Use only thinners approved by paint manufacturer, and use only within recommended limits.
- B. **Coordination of Work**: Review other sections of these specifications in which prime paints are to be provided to ensure compatibility of total coatings system for various substrates. Upon request from other trades, furnish information or characteristics of finish materials provided for use, to ensure compatible prime coats are used.
- C. Mockups: Apply full-coat mockups of each paint system indicated and each color and finish selected to verify preliminary selections made under Sample submittals and to demonstrate aesthetic effects and set quality standards for materials and execution. Simulate finished lighting conditions for review of in-place work.
  - 1. Architect will select one surface, except as noted below, to represent surfaces and conditions for application of each paint system.
    - a. Vertical and Horizontal Surfaces: Provide samples of at least 100 sq. ft.
    - b. Other Items: Architect will designate items or areas required.
    - c. Masonry to Receive Clear Coat: Provide free-standing samples of honed masonry, 48 inches x 48 inches for initial review of clear coat.
  - 2. Final approval of color selections will be based on mockups.
    - a. If preliminary color/sheen selections are not approved, apply additional mockups of additional colors/sheens selected by Architect at no added cost to Owner.
  - 3. Approval of mockups does not constitute approval of deviations from the Contract Documents contained in mockups unless Architect specifically approves such deviations in writing.
  - 4. Subject to compliance with requirements, approved mockups may become part of the completed Work if undisturbed at time of Substantial Completion.

## 1.5 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. **Deliver materials** to job site in original, new and unopened packages and containers bearing manufacturer's name and label, and following information:
  - 1. Name or title of material.
  - 2. Federal Specification number, if applicable.
  - 3. Manufacturer's batch number and date of manufacture.
  - 4. Manufacturer's name.
  - 5. Contents by volume, for major pigment and vehicle constituents.
  - 6. Thinning instructions.
  - 7. Application instructions.
  - 8. Color name and number.

- B. **Store materials** not in actual use in tightly covered containers. Maintain containers used in storage of paint in a clean condition, free of foreign materials and residue.
  - 1. Protect from freezing where necessary. Keep storage area neat and orderly. Remove oily rags and waste daily. Take all precautions to ensure that workmen and work areas are adequately protected from fire hazards and health hazards resulting from handling, mixing and application of paints.

## 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. **Apply water-based paints** only when temperature of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air temperatures are between 50 degrees F and 90 degrees F, unless otherwise permitted by paint manufacturer's printed instructions.
- B. **Apply solvent-thinned paints** only when temperature of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air temperatures are between 45 degrees F and 95 degrees F, unless otherwise permitted by paint manufacturer's printed instructions.
- C. Do not paint in snow, rain, fog or mist, or when relative humidity exceeds 85 percent, or to damp or wet surfaces, unless otherwise permitted by paint manufacturer's printed instructions.
  - 1. Painting may be continued during inclement weather if areas and surfaces to be painted are enclosed and heated within temperature limits specified by paint manufacturer during application and drying periods.
- D. **Determine moisture content of surfaces** to be painted by performing appropriate tests using a commercially available moisture meter. Apply paint only when surfaces are within limits specified by the paint manufacturer's printed instructions.

## 1.7 MAINTENANCE MATERIALS

- **A. Furnish extra materials** that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Paint: 5 percent, but not less than 1 gallon of each material and color applied.
  - 2. Coating Maintenance Manual: Upon conclusion of the project, the Contractor or paint manufacturer/supplier shall furnish a coating maintenance manual, such as Sherwin-Williams "Custodian Project Color and Product Information" report or equal. Manual shall include an Area Summary with finish schedule, Area Detail designating where each product/color/finish was used, product data pages, Material Safety Data Sheets, care and cleaning instructions, touch-up procedures, and color samples of each color and finish used

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 MANUFACTURER

- A. **Basis of Design Manufacturer**: Contract Documents are based on products specified in Part 3 Schedules to establish a standard of quality. Other acceptable manufacturers offering products with equivalent characteristics may be considered, provided deviations are minor and design concept as expressed in the Contract Documents is not changed, as judged by the Architect.
  - 1. Manufacturer: **Sherwin-Williams** Company.

- B. **Acceptable Manufacturers**: Subject to compliance with requirements of Contract Documents, provide products by one of the following manufacturers.
  - 1. PPG Industries, Pittsburgh Paints.
  - 2. The Sherwin-Williams Company (S-W).
  - 3. Benjamin Moore & Co.

## 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. **Low-Emitting Materials -** VOC Content (Utah Administrative Code R307-361): Products shall comply with VOC limits of authorities having jurisdiction and, for interior and exterior 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: 100 g/L.
  - 3. Dry-Fog Coatings: 150 g/L.
  - 4. Primers, Sealers, and Undercoaters: 100 g/L.
  - 5. Industrial maintenance Coatings 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 Foot Traffic: 100 g/L.
  - 9. Floor Coatings High Performance: 250 g/L.
  - 10. Shellacs, Clear: 730 g/L.
  - 11. Shellacs, Pigmented: 550 g/L.
  - 12. Wood Coatings: 275 g/L
- B. **Material Quality**: Provide best quality grade of various types of coatings as regularly manufactured by acceptable paint materials manufacturers. Materials not displaying manufacturer's identification as a standard, best-grade product will not be acceptable.
- C. **Proprietary names** used to designate color or materials are not intended to imply that products of named manufacturers are required to exclusion of equivalent products of other manufacturers.
- D. **Federal Specifications** establish minimum acceptable quality for paint materials. Provide written certification from paint manufacturer that materials provided meet or exceed these minimums.
- E. **Manufacturer's products** which comply with coating qualitative requirements of applicable Federal Specifications, yet differ in quantitative requirements, may be considered for use when acceptable to Architect. Furnish material data and manufacturer's certificate of performance to Architect for any proposed substitutions.
- F. **Color Pigments**: Pure, non-fading, applicable types to suit substrates and service indicated.
- G. **Lead content in pigment**, if any, is limited to contain not more than 0.009 percent lead, as lead metal based on the total non-volatile (dry-film) of paint by weight.
  - This limitation is extended to interior surfaces and those exterior surfaces, such as stairs, decks, porches, railings, windows, and doors which are readily accessible to children under seven years of age.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. **Applicator must examine areas** and conditions under which painting work is to be applied and notify Contractor in writing of conditions detrimental to proper and timely completion of work. Do not proceed with work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected in a manner acceptable to Applicator.
  - 1. Comply with PDCA Standard P4 "Responsibility for Inspection and Acceptance of Surfaces prior to Painting and Decorating
- B. **Starting of painting work** will be construed as Applicator's acceptance of surfaces and conditions within any particular area.
- C. **Do not paint over dirt**, rust, scale, grease, moisture, scuffed surfaces, or conditions otherwise detrimental to formation of a durable paint film.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. **General**: Perform preparation and cleaning procedures in accordance with paint manufacturer's instructions and as herein specified, for each particular substrate condition.
- B. **Barrier Coats**: Provide barrier coats over incompatible primers or remove and re-prime as required. Notify Architect in writing of any anticipated problems in using the specified coating systems with substrates primed by others.
- C. **Accessories Removal**: Remove hardware, hardware accessories, machined surfaces, plates, lighting fixtures, and similar items in place and not to be finish-painted, or provide surface-applied protection prior to surface preparation and painting operations. Remove, if necessary, for complete painting of items and adjacent surfaces. Following completion of painting of each space or area, reinstall removed items.
- D. **Surface Preparation**: Clean surfaces to be painted before applying paint or surface treatments. Remove oil and grease prior to mechanical cleaning. Program cleaning and painting so that contaminants from cleaning process will not fall onto wet, newly-painted surfaces.
- E. **Ferrous Metals**: Clean ferrous surfaces, which are not galvanized or shop-coated, of oil, grease, dirt, loose mill scale and other foreign substances by solvent or mechanical cleaning.
  - 1. **Caulk fabrication joints** in hollow metal door frames which paint application cannot bridge.
  - 2. **Follow manufacturer's surface preparation** recommendations for ferrous metal substrates, ranging from one of the following procedures:
    - a. SSPC-SP 1 Solvent Cleaning (Nov-04)
    - b. SSPC-SP 2 Hand Tool Cleaning (Nov-04)
    - c. SSPC-SP 3 Power Tool Cleaning (Nov-04)
    - d. SSPC-SP 5/NACE No. 1 White Metal Blast Cleaning (Jan-07)
    - e. SSPC-SP 6/NACE No. 3 Commercial Blast Cleaning (Jan-07)
    - f. SSPC-SP 7/NACE No. 4 Brush-Off Blast Cleaning (Jan-07)

- g. SSPC-SP 8 Pickling (Nov-04)
- h. SSPC-SP 10/NACE No. 2 Near-White Metal Blast Cleaning (Jan-07)
- i. SSPC-SP 11 Power Tool Cleaning to Bare Metal (July-12)
- j. SSPC-SP 14/NACE No. 8 Industrial Blast Cleaning (Jan-07)
- k. SSPC-SP 15 Commercial Grade Power-Tool Cleaning (July-12)
- SSPC-SP 16 Brush-Off Blast Cleaning of Coated and Uncoated Galvanized Steel, Stainless Steels, and Non-Ferrous Metals (Apr-10
- G. **Touch-up**: Touch-up shop-applied prime coats wherever damaged or bare, where required by other sections of these specifications. Clean and touch-up with same type shop primer.
- H. **Galvanized Surfaces**: Clean free of oil and surface contaminants with non-petroleum based solvent. Comply with best practices specified in ASTM D6386 10 "Standard Practice for Preparation of Zinc (Hot-Dip Galvanized) Coated Iron and Steel Product and Hardware Surfaces for Painting."
- I. Wood: Clean wood surfaces to be painted of dirt, oil, or other foreign substances with scrapers, mineral spirits, and sandpaper, as required. Sandpaper smooth those finished surfaces exposed to view, and dust off. Scrape and clean small, fry, seasoned knots and apply a thin coat of white shellac or other recommended knot sealer, before application of priming coat. After priming, fill holes and imperfections in finish surfaces with putty or plastic wood-filler. Sandpaper smooth when dried.
  - 1. Prime, stain, or seal wood required to be job-painted immediately upon delivery to job. Prime edges, ends, faces, undersides, and backsides of such wood, including cabinets, counters, cases, paneling.
  - 2. When transparent finish is required, use spar varnish for backpriming.
  - 3. Exterior Wood Substrates:
    - a. Scrape and clean knots, and apply coat of knot sealer before applying primer.
    - b. Prime edges, ends, faces, undersides, and backsides of wood.
      - 1) For solid hide stained wood, stain edges and ends after priming.
      - For varnish-coated stained wood, stain edges and ends and prime with varnish. Prime undersides and backsides with varnish.
    - c. Countersink steel nails, if used, and fill with putty or plastic wood filler tinted to final color. Sand smooth when dried.
  - 4. Interior Wood Substrates:
    - a. Scrape and clean knots, and apply coat of knot sealer before applying primer.
    - Apply wood filler paste to open-grain woods, as defined in "MPI Architectural Painting Specification Manual," to produce smooth, glasslike finish.
    - c. Sand surfaces exposed to view and dust off.
    - d. After priming, fill holes and imperfections in the finish surfaces with putty or plastic wood filler. Sand smooth when dry.

## J. Materials Preparation:

- 1. Mix and prepare painting materials in accordance with manufacturer's directions.
- 2. Maintain containers used in mixing and application of paint in a clean condition, free of foreign materials and residue.
- 3. Stir materials before application to produce a mixture of uniform density, and stir as required during application. Do not stir surface film into material. Remove film and, if necessary, strain material before using.

## 3.3 APPLICATION

- A. **General**: Apply paint in accordance with manufacturer's directions. Use applicators and techniques best suited for substrate and type of material being applied.
  - 1. Paint colors, surface treatments, and finishes, are indicated in "schedules" of the contract documents.
  - 2. Provide finish coats which are compatible with prime paints used.
  - 3. 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 insure that surfaces, including edges, corners, crevices, welds, and exposed fasteners receive a dry film thickness equivalent to that of flat surfaces.
  - 4. 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.
  - 5. Paint interior surfaces of ducts, where visible through registers or grilles, with a flat, non-specular black paint.
  - 6. Paint back sides of access panels, and removable or hinged covers to match exposed surfaces.
  - 7. Finish doors on tops, bottoms and side edges same as faces, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 8. Sand lightly between each succeeding enamel or varnish coat.
  - 9. Omit first coat (exterior faces) of surfaces which have been shop-primed and touch-up painted, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. **Scheduling Painting**: Apply first-coat material to surfaces that have been cleaned, pretreated or otherwise prepared for painting as soon as practicable after preparation and before subsequent surface deterioration.
  - Re-coat Time: Allow sufficient time between successive coatings to permit proper drying. Do not recoat until paint has dried to where it feels firms, does not deform or feel sticky under moderate thumb pressure, and application of another coat of paint does not cause lifting or loss of adhesion of the undercoat.
  - 2. Minimum Coating Thickness: Apply materials at not less than manufacturer's recommended spreading rate, to establish a total dry film thickness as indicated or, if not indicated, as recommended by coating manufacturer.
- C. **Mechanical and Electrical Work**: Painting of mechanical and electrical work is limited to those items exposed to mechanical equipment rooms and in occupied spaces.
  - Mechanical items to be painted include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Piping, pipe hangers, and supports.
    - b. Roof mounted mechanical units.
    - c. Ductwork, where exposed in occupied spaces.
    - d. Motor, mechanical equipment, and supports.
    - e. Accessory items.
  - 2. Electrical items to be painted include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Conduit and fittings.
- D. **Prime Coats**: Apply prime coat of material which is required to be painted or finished, and which has not been prime coated by others.
  - Recoat primed and sealed surfaces where there is evidence of suction spots or unsealed areas in first coat, to assure a finish coat with no burn-through or other defects due to insufficient sealing.

- E. **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.
- F. **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. Owner will engage services of an independent testing laboratory to sample paint being used. Samples of materials delivered to project site will be taken, identified and sealed, and certified in presence of Contractor.
  - 1. Testing laboratory will perform appropriate tests for any or all of following characteristics: Abrasion resistance, apparent reflectivity, flexibility, washability, absorption, accelerated weathering, dry opacity, accelerated yellowness, recoating, skinning, color retention, alkali resistance and quantitative materials analysis.
- B. **If test results show** that material being used does not comply with specified requirements, Contractor may be directed to stop painting work, and remove non-complying paint; pay for testing; repaint surfaces coated with rejected paint; remove rejected paint from previously painted surfaces if, upon repainting with specified paint, the two coatings are non-compatible.

#### 3.5 CLEAN-UP AND PROTECTION

- A. **Clean-Up**: During progress of work, remove from site discarded paint materials, rubbish, cans and rags at end of each work day.
  - Upon completion of painting work, clean window glass and other paint spattered surfaces. Remove spattered paint by proper methods of washing and scraping, using car not to scratch or otherwise damage finished surfaces.
- B. **Protection**: Protect work of other trades, whether to be painted or not, against damage by painting and finishing work. Correct any damage by cleaning, repairing or replacing, and repainting, as acceptable to Architect.
  - 1. Provide "Wet Paint" signs as required to protect newly-painted finishes. Remove temporary protective wrappings provided by others for protection of their work, after completion of painting operations.
  - 2. At completion of work of other trades, touch-up and restore all damaged or defaced painted surfaces.

## 3.6 INTERIOR PAINT SCHEDULE

A. **General**: Provide the following paint systems for the various substrates as indicated below or equivalent system from approved manufacturers listed above.

B. **Metal** - (Interior Structural Steel - Columns, Joists, Trusses, Beams - Misc. & Ornamental Iron, Doors, Door Frames, Non-Galvanized Metal)

Sherwin-Williams - Latex (100% Acrylic) Systems

1st Coat: S-W Pro Industrial Pro-Cry Universal Primer B66-310

Series

Finish: Low sheen.

Thickness: (Mils per coat) 5 - 10 wet; 2 - 4 dry.

VOC: Less than 100 g/L

2nd Coat: S-W Pro Industrial Zero VOC Acrylic Gloss, B66-600

Series

3rd Coat: S-W Pro Industrial Zero VOC Acrylic Gloss, B66-600

Series

Finish: Gloss

Thickness: (Mils per coat) 6 - 12 wet; 2.5 - 4 dry.

C. **Gypsum Board** (Walls, Ceilings, Gypsum Board, Etc.)

Sherwin-Williams - Vinyl Acrylic Systems

1st Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex Primer,

B28W02600 Series.

Finish: Flat

Sheen (at 85 degrees): 0 - 5 units.

Thickness: (Mils per coat) 4 wet; 1.5 dry.

VOC: 0 g/L

2nd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Latex Semi-Gloss,

B31-2600 Series

3rd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Latex Semi-Gloss,

B31-2600 Series

Finish: Semi-Gloss

Sheen (at 60 degrees): 25 - 35 units Thickness: (Mils per coat) 4 wet; 1.6 dry.

VOC: 0 g/L

D. Gypsum Board (Interior Graphics, Deep Tone Accents, Special Features, Etc.)

Sherwin-Williams - Vinyl Acrylic

1st Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex Primer,

B28W2600 Series

Finish: Flat

Sheen (at 85 degrees): 0 - 5 units

Thickness: (Mils per coat) 4 wet; 1.5 dry.

VOC: 0 g/L

2nd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Semi-Gloss B31-2600

series

3rd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Semi-Gloss B31-2600

series

Sheen (at 60 degrees): 25 - 35 units. Thickness (Mils per coat): 4 wet; 1.6 dry.

VOC: 0 g/L

## E. **Gypsum Board** (Interior behind Wall Panels, Casework etc.)

Sherwin-Williams - Vinyl Acrylic

1st Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex Wall

Primer, B28W2600 Series.

Finish: Flat

Sheen (at 85 degrees): 0 - 5 units Thickness: (Mils per coat) 4 wet - 1.5 dry.

VOC: 0 g/L

## F. Woodwork (Stained & Varnished - Clear Finish)

Open Grained Wood

1st Coat: S-W WoodClassics 250 g/L Stain, A49W800 Series

2nd Coat: S-W SHERWOOD Natural Filler, D70T1

3rd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC 4th Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC

Closed Grain Wood

1st Coat: S-W WoodClassics 250g/L Stain, A49W800 Series
2nd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC
3rd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC

## G. Woodwork (Natural - Clear Finish)

Open Grained Wood

1st Coat: S-W SHERWOOD Natural Filler, D70T1

2nd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC 3rd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC

Closed Grain Wood

1st Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC 2nd Coat: S-W Minwax WB Polyurethane Satin, <275 g/L VOC

## H. Woodwork (Painted)

Latex Systems - Semi-Gloss

1st Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex

Primer, B28W2600 Series.

2nd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Semi-Gloss

B31-2600 series

3rd Coat: S-W ProMar 200 Zero VOC Semi-Gloss

B31-2600 series

Thickness (Mils per coat): 4 wet; 1.6 dry

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## **SECTION 21 1000**

## WET PIPE FIRE-SUPPRESSION SPRINKLERS & PIPING

## 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. This Section includes fire-suppression piping and equipment for the following building systems:
  - 1. Remodel project Hospital: Wet-pipe, fire-suppression sprinklers, including piping and automatic sprinklers. Add/relocate heads in remodeled areas for new ceiling and modified floor plans. Refer to drawings for areas of protection. Additional heads are to match the existing. The Contractor is to field-verify the existing system.
  - 2. All heads in the remodel areas are to be Quick Response. Remove and replace any and all Standard Response heads.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 26 Section "Fire Alarm Systems" for alarm devices not in this Section.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Working Plans: Documents, including drawings, calculations, and material specifications prepared according to NFPA 13 and FM Global requirements for obtaining approval from authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Authority having Jurisdiction: The building official, Engineer and the insurance underwriter, if applicable.

#### 1.4 SYSTEM PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Design sprinkler piping according to the following and obtain approval from authorities having jurisdiction. Obtain approval from the Engineer prior to submitting to other authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 1. Include losses through water-service piping, valves, and backflow preventers.
  - 2. Sprinkler Occupancy Hazard Classifications: As follows:
    - a. Office and Public Areas: Light Hazard.
    - b. Patient Areas: Light Hazard.
    - c. Computer rooms: Light Hazard
    - d. Library Reading Rooms: Light Hazard.
    - e. Restaurant, Kitchen, and Bakery Service Areas: Ordinary Hazard, Group 1.
    - f. Mechanical Equipment Rooms: Ordinary Hazard, Group 1.
    - g. Building Service Areas: Ordinary Hazard, Group 1.
    - h. Electrical Equipment Rooms: Ordinary Hazard, Group 1.

- i. General Storage Areas: Ordinary Hazard, Group 2.
- j. Document/Archive Storage: Ordinary Hazard Group 2.
- 3. Minimum Density for Automatic-Sprinkler Piping Design: As follows:
  - a. Light-Hazard Occupancy: 0.10 gpm over 1500-sq. ft. area.
  - b. Ordinary-Hazard, Group 1 Occupancy: 0.30 gpm over 2000- sq. ft. area.
  - c. Ordinary-Hazard, Group 2 Occupancy: 0.30 gpm over 2000- sq. ft. area.
  - d. Mechanical & Electrical rooms, 0.15 gpm over 2500- sq. ft. area.
  - e. Special Occupancy Hazard: As determined by authorities having jurisdiction.
- 4. Maximum Protection Area per Sprinkler: As follows:
  - a. Light-Hazard Occupancies: 225 sq.ft.
  - b. Storage Areas: 130 sq. ft.
  - c. Mechanical Equipment Rooms: 130 sq. ft.
  - d. Electrical Equipment Rooms: 130 sq. ft..
  - e. Shellspace/Future tenant finish: 100 sq.ft.
  - f. Materials Handling/Storage Areas (eg. Plastics): 100 sg. ft.
  - g. Other Areas: According to NFPA 13
- B. Components and Installation: Capable of producing piping systems with 175-psig minimum working-pressure rating, unless otherwise indicated.

## 1.5 SYSTEM DESCRIPTIONS

A. Wet-pipe fire protection riser and fire suppression sprinklers.

## 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
  - 1. Pipe and fitting materials and methods of joining for sprinkler piping.
  - 3. Pipe hangers and supports.
  - 4. Sprinklers, escutcheons, and guards. Include sprinkler flow characteristics, mounting, finish, and other pertinent data.
- B. Approved Sprinkler Piping Drawings: Working plans, prepared according to NFPA 13 requirements that have been approved by engineer and other authorities having jurisdiction. Include hydraulic calculations, unless noted otherwise. Drawings are to be approved by the Engineer prior to submitting to other authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Field Test Reports and Certificates: Indicate and interpret test results for compliance with performance requirements and as described in NFPA 13 and NFPA 14. Include "Contractor's Material and Test Certificate for Aboveground Piping" and "Contractor's Material and Test Certificate for Underground Piping."
- D. Maintenance Data: For each type of standpipe and sprinkler specialty to include in maintenance manuals specified in Division 1.

## 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Installer Qualifications: An experienced installer who has designed and installed firesuppression piping similar to that indicated for this Project and obtained design approval and inspection approval from authorities having jurisdiction. The Engineer requires evidence to support the ability of the contractor to perform work in the scope and volume as specified. A contractor, who cannot show such experience, may be found not suitable to perform the work. Fire protection contractors pre-approved to submit bids for this project are:

- 1. Alta Fire
- Certified Fire
- 3. Chaparral Fire
- 4. Delta Fire
- 5. Extreme Fire
- 6. Firetrol
- 7. Fire Engineering
- 8. Fire Services Inc.
- 9. Rapid Fire
- 10. The Safety Team
- 11. Simplex-Grinnell
- 12. Vanguard
- 13. Western Automatic
- 14. Western States Fire Protection

Other contractors shall submit documentation to the engineer prior to bidding. Allowance of additional contractors shall be by addendum.

- B. Engineering Responsibility: Preparation of working plans using AutoCad compatible drawing program, calculations, and field test reports by a qualified professional engineer or Engineering Technician NICET Level III.
- C. Manufacturer Qualifications: Firms whose equipment, specialties, and accessories are listed by product name and manufacturer in UL's "Fire Protection Equipment Directory" and FM's "Fire Protection Approval Guide" and that comply with other requirements indicated.
- D. Standpipe and Sprinkler Components: Listing/approval stamp, label, or other marking by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- E. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- F. NFPA Standards: Equipment, specialties, accessories, installation, and testing complying with the following:
  - NFPA 13-10, "Installation of Sprinkler Systems."
  - 2. NFPA 70-05, "National Electric Code."
  - NFPA 72-10, "National Fire Alarm Code."
- G. International Conference of Building Code Officials codes and standards complying with the following:
  - 1. IBC-2012, "International Building Code."
  - 2. IFC-2012, "International Fire Code."

## 1.8 EXTRA MATERIALS

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

1. Sprinkler Cabinets: A supply of spare sprinklers shall be supplied and located in a cabinet where the temperature does not exceed 100EF. These sprinklers shall correspond to the types and temperature ratings fo the sprinklers installed on the project. Special sprinkler head wrenches shall be included to correspond to the types of heads provided.

The stock of spare sprinklers shall include all types and ratings installed and shall be as follows:

- a. For systems with over 1000 sprinklers, not less than 24 sprinklers.
- b. Locate spare head box, wrench and sprinklers near system riser serving each building.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Sprinklers:
    - a. Tyco Corp.
    - b. Reliable Automatic Sprinkler Co., Inc.
    - c. Viking Corp.
    - d. Victaulic Co of America.
  - 2. Keyed Couplings for Steel Ductile, Iron, and Copper Tubing Piping:
    - a. Tyco Corp.
    - b. Victaulic Co. of America.
    - c. Gruvlok.
    - d. Star
    - e. Ward Couplox
  - 3. Press-Seal Fittings for Steel Piping: (not allowed)
  - 4. Mechanically Formed Tee Outlets: Victaulic 920 or 920N or approved equal only.

## 2.2 PIPING MATERIALS

A. Refer to Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article for applications of pipe, tube, fitting, and joining materials.

## 2.3 PIPES AND TUBES

- A. Standard-Weight Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53, ASTM A 135, or ASTM A 795; Schedule 40 in NPS 6 and smaller.
- B. Thinwall, Threadable Steel Pipe: ASTM A 135 or ASTM A 795, with wall thickness less than Schedule 40 and greater than Schedule 10. NPS 2" and smaller. (Eddythread 40 allowed)

#### 2.4 PIPE AND TUBE FITTINGS

A. Cast-Iron Threaded Flanges: ASME B16.1.

- B. Cast-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.4.
- C. Steel, Threaded Couplings: ASTM A 865.
- D. Steel Welding Fittings: ASTM A 234/A 234M, ASME B16.9, or ASME B16.11.
- E. Steel Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.5.
- F. Steel, Grooved-End Fittings: UL-listed and FM-approved, ASTM A 47, malleable iron or ASTM A 536, ductile iron; with dimensions matching steel pipe and ends factory grooved according to AWWA C606.
- G. Copper Fittings: ASME B16.22 & B 16.18

## 2.5 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Refer to Division 23 Section for pipe-flange gasket materials and welding filler metals.
- B. Steel, Keyed Couplings: UL 213 and AWWA C606, for steel-pipe dimensions. Include ASTM A 536, ductile-iron housing, rubber gaskets, and steel bolts and nuts. Include listing for dry-pipe service for couplings for dry piping.
- C. Transition Couplings: AWWA C219, sleeve type, or other manufactured fitting the same size as, with pressure rating at least equal to, and with ends compatible with piping to be joined.

#### 2.10 SPRINKLERS

- A. Sprinkler types, features, and options include the following:
  - 1. Pendent sprinklers.
  - 2. Pendent, dry-type sprinklers.
  - 3. Quick-response sprinklers.
  - 4. Recessed sprinklers, including escutcheon.
  - 5. Sidewall sprinklers.
  - 6. Sidewall, dry-type sprinklers.
  - 7. Upright sprinklers.
  - 8. Concealed sprinklers, where indicated.
- B. Sprinkler Finishes: Chrome-plated, bronze, and painted.
- C. Sprinkler Escutcheons: Materials, types, and finishes for the following sprinkler mounting applications. Escutcheons for concealed, and recessed-type sprinklers are specified with sprinklers.
  - 1. Ceiling Mounting: white painted, one piece, flat.
  - 2. Ceiling Mounting: white painted, two piece, with 1-inch vertical adjustment.
  - 3. Sidewall Mounting: white painted, two piece, recessed.
- D. Sprinkler Guards: Wire-cage type, including fastening device for attaching to sprinkler.

#### 2.11 SPECIALTY SPRINKLER FITTINGS

A. Specialty Fittings: UL listed and FM approved; made of steel, ductile iron, or other materials compatible with piping.

- B. Locking-Lug Fittings: (not allowed).
- C. Mechanical-T Fittings: Victaulic 920 series or Engineer-approved equal.
- D. Mechanical-Cross Fittings: (not allowed).
- E. Drop-Nipple Fittings: UL 1474, with threaded inlet, threaded outlet, and seals; adjustable.

#### 2.13 PRESSURE GAGES

A Pressure Gages: UL 393, 3-1/2- to 4-1/2-inch- diameter dial with dial range of 0 to 250 psig.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 COORDINATION

- A. All work of this contractor will be coordinated with other trades to insure minimal changes to the sprinkler system from the designs. Careful coordination of mechanical and electrical ducts, pipe and conduit shall be required.
- B. The ceiling cavity must be carefully reviewed and coordinated with all trades. In the event of conflict, the installation of the mechanical equipment and piping shall be in the following order: plumbing waste, rainwater, and soil lines; supply, return, and exhaust ductwork, water piping, fire protection piping; and pneumatic control piping.
- C. All piping shall be run concealed where possible. All lines will be run as high as possible so as to not interfere with future changes to ceiling heights or other mechanical equipment. This contractor will be responsible for all sleeves, core drills, and sealing of penetrations in walls, floors, and structural members to facilitate the installation of the system, however, no holes in structural members will be allowed unless approved by the structural engineer.

## 3.2 PIPING APPLICATIONS

- A. Flanges, unions, and transition and special fittings with pressure ratings the same as or higher than system's pressure rating may be used in aboveground applications, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Wet-Pipe Sprinklers: Use the following:
  - 1. NPS 2 and Smaller: Schedule 40 and Eddythread 40, threadable steel pipe with threaded ends; cast- or malleable-iron threaded fittings; and threaded joints.

## 3.3 PIPING INSTALLATION

- A. Use approved fittings to make changes in direction, branch takeoffs from mains, and reductions in pipe sizes.
- B. Hangers and Supports: Comply with NFPA 13 for hanger materials. Install according to NFPA 13 for sprinkler piping and to NFPA 14 for standpipes.
  - 1. No powder driven studs allowed.

- 2. Wrap-around braces are to be provided at end of branch lines.
- 3. MRI area- install with Non-metallic hangers.

## 3.4 SPRINKLER APPLICATIONS

- A. General: Sprinkler heads shall be of the latest design closed spray type for 155EF unless specified otherwise or required by code. All sprinklers shall be UL listed as quick response. All sprinklers shall be FM approved. Heads shall be a minimum orifice size of 1/2". Temperature rating of heads in elevator shafts & boiler plant shall be 286EF. Extra Large Orifice (ELO) heads shall not be used. Extended coverage heads shall not be used per FM Global request. Use sprinklers according to the following applications:
  - 1. Rooms without Ceilings: Upright and/or pendent sprinklers. Provide mechanical guards on all heads at or below 7'-0" height above the floor or where damage from room occupant use may occur.
  - 2. Rooms with Suspended Ceilings: Recessed sprinklers, Typical.
  - 3. Wall Mounting: Sidewall sprinklers with eschutcheon.
  - Spaces Subject to Freezing: Upright; pendent, dry-type; and sidewall, dry-type sprinklers.
  - 5. Special Applications: Concealed sprinklers in Operating Rooms, MRI (nonferrous). SARS (Neg. Pressure Room Area)Pendent with 401 or single escutcheon and sealed at ceiling penetration.
  - 6. Provide freezeproof type automatic sprinkler heads serving walk in freezers, unconditioned spaces, areas subject to freezing and in other areas requiring their use.
  - 7. Heads located within the air streams of unit heaters or other heat-emitting equipment shall be selected for proper temperature rating.
  - 8. Sprinkler heads protecting storage areas shall have a K 11.2 or greater and shall be FM Approved.
  - 8. Sprinkler Finishes: Use sprinklers with the following finishes:
    - a. Upright, Pendent, and Sidewall Sprinklers: Chrome-plated in finished spaces exposed to view; rough bronze in mechanical spaces (typical) not exposed to view.
    - b. Concealed Sprinklers: Rough brass, with white cover plate.
    - c. Recessed Sprinklers: Bright white, with bright white escutcheon.
    - d. Special Note: MRI shall be nonferrous, concealed type sprinkler/escutcheon.

#### 3.5 SPRINKLER INSTALLATION

- A. Every effort shall be required to insure that the heads form a symmetrical pattern in the ceiling with the ceiling grid, lights, diffusers and grilles. Offsets shall be made in piping to accommodate ductwork in the ceiling. Heads should be symmetrical and all piping run parallel or perpendicular to building lines.
  - In no case shall sprinkler heads be installed closer than approved distances from ceiling obstructions. Provide a 6" center line clearance as a minimum dimension allowed.
  - 2. Sprinkler heads in patient rooms shall be located inside area of patient bed curtain tracks
  - 3. Locate sprinkler on narrow center line of suspended ceiling tile in Corridors and Lobby/Waiting areas.
- B. Where layout of sprinkler heads is shown on reflected ceiling plans the locations shall be followed unless approval is obtained from the Architect or such locations shown do not meet the requirements of NFPA-13. In either case, approval of the Architect shall be obtained in writing before sprinkler head locations are changed. If the installation of

additional heads is needed to conform to NFPA 13 requirements in areas where heads are shown on reflected ceiling plans, they shall be included in the contract price.

#### 3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- Flush, test, and inspect sprinkler piping according to NFPA 13, "System Acceptance" Chapter.
- B. Replace piping system components that do not pass test procedures and retest to demonstrate compliance. Repeat procedure until satisfactory results are obtained.
- C. Report test results promptly and in writing to Architect and authorities having jurisdiction.

## 3.7 CLEANING

- A. Clean dirt and debris from sprinklers.
- B. Remove and replace sprinklers having paint other than factory finish.

## 3.8 PROTECTION

A. Protect sprinklers from damage until Substantial Completion.

#### 3.9 COMMISSIONING

- A. Verify that specialty valves, trim, fittings, controls, and accessories are installed and operate correctly.
- B. Verify that specified tests of piping are complete and that "Material Test Certificates" are complete.
- C. Verify that damaged sprinklers and sprinklers with paint or coating not specified are replaced with new, correct type.
- D. Verify that sprinklers are correct types, have correct finishes and temperature ratings, and have guards as required for each application.
- E. Drain dry-pipe sprinkler piping.
- F. Fill wet-pipe sprinkler piping with water.

#### 3.10 DEMONSTRATION & TESTS

- A. Demonstrate equipment, specialties, and accessories. Review operating and maintenance information.
- B. All tests will be conducted as required by the local authority having jurisdiction, and in no case less than those required by NFPA standards. As a minimum, piping in the sprinkler system shall be tested at a water pressure at 200 psi for a period of not less two hours, or at 50 psi in excess of the normal pressure when the normal pressure is above 150 psi. Bracing shall be in place, and air shall be removed from the system through the hydrants

- and drain valves before the test pressure is applied. No apparent leaks will be permitted on interior or underground piping.
- C. The local jurisdiction having authority and the State Fire Marshal's office (where required) shall be notified at least three working days in advance of all tests and flushing. This includes any flushing of underground, hydrostatic testing, or flow testing that may be required.
- D. This contractor shall make all the required tests to the sprinkler system as required by code. He shall be responsible to assure that the Contractor Test Certificates for the overhead and underground work are completed and delivered to the owner's insurance underwriter to assure proper insurance credit.
- E. All tests requiring the witnessing by local authorities will be the responsibility of this contractor. If tests are not run or do not have the proper witness, then they will be run later and all damage caused by the system, or caused in uncovering the system for such test, will be borne by this contractor.

## 3.11 WARRANTY, AS-BUILT DRAWINGS & MANUALS

- A. This contractor shall warranty the sprinkler system and all its components for one year from the date of acceptance by the owner. Any costs incurred to extend any warranties of materials to assure this time frame shall be borne by this contractor.
- B. Provide Operation and Maintenance Manuals with copies of warranty, all contractors Test Certificates, and corrected Hard copy-as-builts included. A minimum 3 sets to be provided in red 3-ring binders.
- C. Electronic copy of AutoCad as-builts drawings shall also be provided on CD, with each O&M Manual.

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#### **SECTION 22 0700**

#### PLUMBING INSULATION

## **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. Insulation Materials:
    - a. Flexible elastomeric.
    - b. Mineral fiber.
  - 2. Adhesives.
  - 3. Lagging adhesives.
  - 4. Sealants.
  - 5. Factory-applied jackets.
  - 6. Field-applied fabric-reinforcing mesh.
  - 7. Field-applied jackets.
  - 8. Tapes.
  - 9. Securements.
  - 10. Corner angles.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 23 Section "HVAC Insulation."

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include thermal conductivity, thickness, and jackets (both factory and field applied, if any).
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Detail application of protective shields, saddles, and inserts at hangers for each type of insulation and hanger.
  - 2. Detail attachment and covering of heat tracing inside insulation.
  - 3. Detail insulation application at pipe expansion joints for each type of insulation.
  - 4. Detail insulation application at elbows, fittings, flanges, valves, and specialties for each type of insulation.
  - 5. Detail removable insulation at piping specialties, equipment connections, and access panels.
  - 6. Detail application of field-applied jackets.

- C. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.
- D. Material Test Reports: From a qualified testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction indicating, interpreting, and certifying test results for compliance of insulation materials, sealers, attachments, cements, and jackets, with requirements indicated. Include dates of tests and test methods employed.
- E. Field quality-control reports.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Skilled mechanics who have successfully completed an apprenticeship program or another craft training program certified by the Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.
- B. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: Insulation and related materials shall have fire-test-response characteristics indicated, as determined by testing identical products per ASTM E 84, by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing and inspecting agency.
  - Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.
  - 2. Insulation Installed Outdoors: Flame-spread index of 75 or less, and smoke-developed index of 150 or less.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Packaging: Insulation material containers shall be marked by manufacturer with appropriate ASTM standard designation, type and grade, and maximum use temperature.

## 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate size and location of supports, hangers, and insulation shields specified in Division 22 Section "Hangers and Supports for Plumbing Piping and Equipment."
- B. Coordinate clearance requirements with piping Installer for piping insulation application and equipment Installer for equipment insulation application. Before preparing piping Shop Drawings, establish and maintain clearance requirements for installation of insulation and field-applied jackets and finishes and for space required for maintenance.
- C. Coordinate installation and testing of heat tracing.

## 1.7 SCHEDULING

- A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems and, where required, after installing and testing heat tracing. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.
- B. Complete installation and concealment of plastic materials as rapidly as possible in each area of construction.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Comply with requirements in Part 3 schedule articles for where insulating materials shall be applied.
- B. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.
- C. Products that come in contact with stainless steel shall have a leachable chloride content of less than 50 ppm when tested according to ASTM C 871.
- D. Insulation materials for use on austenitic stainless steel shall be qualified as acceptable according to ASTM C 795.
- E. Foam insulation materials shall not use CFC or HCFC blowing agents in the manufacturing process.
- F. Flexible Elastomeric: Closed-cell, sponge- or expanded-rubber materials. Comply with ASTM C 534, Type I for tubular materials and Type II for sheet materials.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Aeroflex USA Inc.; Aerocel.
    - b. Armacell LLC: AP Armaflex.
    - c. RBX Corporation; Insul-Sheet 1800 and Insul-Tube 180.
- G. Mineral-Fiber Blanket Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 553, Type II and ASTM C 1290, Type I. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corp.; Duct Wrap.
    - b. Johns Manville: Microlite.
    - c. Knauf Insulation; Duct Wrap.
    - d. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley Wrap.
    - e. Owens Corning; All-Service Duct Wrap.
- H. Mineral-Fiber Board Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 612, Type IA or Type IB. For equipment applications, provide insulation with factory-applied ASJ. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corp.; Commercial Board.
    - b. Fibrex Insulations Inc.; FBX.
    - c. Johns Manville; 800 Series Spin-Glas.
    - d. Knauf Insulation; Insulation Board.
    - e. Manson Insulation Inc.; AK Board.
    - f. Owens Corning; Fiberglas 700 Series.
- I. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Fibrex Insulations Inc.; Coreplus 1200.
  - b. Johns Manville; Micro-Lok.
  - c. Knauf Insulation; 1000(Pipe Insulation.
  - d. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley-K.
  - e. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe Insulation.
- 2. Type I, 850 deg F Materials: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 547, Type I, Grade A, with factory-applied ASJ. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
- J. Mineral-Fiber, Pipe and Tank Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Semirigid board material with factory-applied ASJ complying with ASTM C 1393, Type II or Type IIIA Category 2, or with properties similar to ASTM C 612, Type IB. Nominal density is 2.5 lb/cu. ft. or more. Thermal conductivity (k-value) at 100 deg F is 0.29 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F or less. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corp.; CrimpWrap.
    - b. Johns Manville; MicroFlex.
    - c. Knauf Insulation; Pipe and Tank Insulation.
    - d. Manson Insulation Inc.; AK Flex.
    - e. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe and Tank Insulation.

## 2.2 ADHESIVES

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates and for bonding insulation to itself and to surfaces to be insulated, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Flexible Elastomeric and Polyolefin Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-24179A, Type II, Class I.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Aeroflex USA Inc.; Aeroseal.
    - b. Armacell LCC; 520 Adhesive.
    - c. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 85-75.
    - d. RBX Corporation; Rubatex Contact Adhesive.
- C. Mineral-Fiber Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-82.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 85-20.
    - c. ITW TACC, Division of Illinois Tool Works; S-90/80.
    - d. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 225.
    - e. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.
- D. ASJ Adhesive, and FSK and PVDC Jacket Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A for bonding insulation jacket lap seams and joints.

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-82.
  - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 85-20.
  - c. ITW TACC, Division of Illinois Tool Works; S-90/80.
  - d. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 225.
  - e. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.
- E. PVC Jacket Adhesive: Compatible with PVC jacket.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Dow Chemical Company (The); 739, Dow Silicone.
    - b. Johns-Manville; Zeston Perma-Weld, CEEL-TITE Solvent Welding Adhesive.
    - c. P.I.C. Plastics, Inc.; Welding Adhesive.
    - d. Red Devil, Inc.; Celulon Ultra Clear.
    - e. Speedline Corporation; Speedline Vinyl Adhesive.

#### 2.3 MASTICS

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates; comply with MIL-C-19565C, Type II.
- B. Vapor-Barrier Mastic: Water based; suitable for indoor and outdoor use on below ambient services.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-35.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company: 30-90.
    - c. ITW TACC, Division of Illinois Tool Works; CB-50.
    - d. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 590.
    - e. Mon-Eco Industries. Inc.: 55-40.
    - f. Vimasco Corporation; 749.
  - 2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM E 96, Procedure B, 0.013 perm at 43-mil dry film thickness.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 20 to plus 180 deg F.
  - 4. Solids Content: ASTM D 1644, 59 percent by volume and 71 percent by weight.
  - Color: White.
- C. Vapor-Barrier Mastic: Solvent based; suitable for outdoor use on below ambient services.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; Encacel.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 60-95/60-96.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 570.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 55-70.
  - 2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM F 1249, 0.05 perm at 30-mil dry film thickness.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 220 deg F.
  - 4. Solids Content: ASTM D 1644, 33 percent by volume and 46 percent by weight.
  - 5. Color: White.

## 2.4 LAGGING ADHESIVES

- A. Description: Comply with MIL-A-3316C Class I, Grade A and shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-52.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 81-42.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 130.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 11-30.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 136.
  - 2. Fire-resistant, water-based lagging adhesive and coating for use indoors to adhere fire-resistant lagging cloths over equipment and pipe insulation.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 180 deg F.
  - 4. Color: White.

#### 2.5 SEALANTS

- A. FSK and Metal Jacket Flashing Sealants:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-76-8.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 95-44.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 405.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 44-05.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 750.
  - 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
  - 3. Fire- and water-resistant, flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 250 deg F.
  - 5. Color: Aluminum.
- B. ASJ Flashing Sealants, and Vinyl, PVDC, and PVC Jacket Flashing Sealants:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-76.
  - 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
  - 3. Fire- and water-resistant, flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 250 deg F.
  - 5. Color: White.

## 2.6 FACTORY-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Insulation system schedules indicate factory-applied jackets on various applications. When factory-applied jackets are indicated, comply with the following:
  - 1. ASJ: White, kraft-paper, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with aluminum-foil backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.

- 2. ASJ-SSL: ASJ with self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.
- 3. FSK Jacket: Aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with kraft-paper backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.
- 4. PVDC Jacket for Indoor Applications: 4-mil- thick, white PVDC biaxially oriented barrier film with a permeance at 0.02 perms when tested according to ASTM E 96 and with a flame-spread index of 5 and a smoke-developed index of 20 when tested according to ASTM E 84.
  - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - 1) Dow Chemical Company (The); Saran 540 Vapor Retarder Film and Saran 560 Vapor Retarder Film.
- 5. PVDC Jacket for Outdoor Applications: 6-mil- thick, white PVDC biaxially oriented barrier film with a permeance at 0.01 perms when tested according to ASTM E 96 and with a flame-spread index of 5 and a smoke-developed index of 25 when tested according to ASTM E 84.
  - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - 1) Dow Chemical Company (The); Saran 540 Vapor Retarder Film and Saran 560 Vapor Retarder Film.
- 6. PVDC-SSL Jacket: PVDC jacket with a self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip.
  - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - 1) Dow Chemical Company (The); Saran 540 Vapor Retarder Film and Saran 560 Vapor Retarder Film.

#### 2.7 FIELD-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Field-applied jackets shall comply with ASTM C 921, Type I, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. PVC Jacket: High-impact-resistant, UV-resistant PVC complying with ASTM D 1784, Class 16354-C; thickness as scheduled; roll stock ready for shop or field cutting and forming. Thickness is indicated in field-applied jacket schedules.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Johns Manville: Zeston.
    - b. P.I.C. Plastics, Inc.; FG Series.
    - c. Proto PVC Corporation; LoSmoke.
    - d. Speedline Corporation; SmokeSafe.
  - 2. Adhesive: As recommended by jacket material manufacturer.
  - 3. Color: White.
  - 4. Factory-fabricated fitting covers to match jacket if available; otherwise, field fabricate.
    - a. Shapes: 45- and 90-degree, short- and long-radius elbows, tees, valves, flanges, unions, reducers, end caps, soil-pipe hubs, traps, mechanical joints, and P-trap and supply covers for lavatories.

5. Factory-fabricated tank heads and tank side panels.

#### C. Metal Jacket:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; Metal Jacketing Systems.
  - b. PABCO Metals Corporation; Surefit.
  - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Insul-Mate.
- Aluminum Jacket: Comply with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105 or 5005, Temper H-14.
  - a. Sheet and roll stock ready for shop or field sizing or Factory cut and rolled to size.
  - b. Finish and thickness are indicated in field-applied jacket schedules.
  - c. Moisture Barrier for Indoor Applications: 1-mil- thick, heat-bonded polyethylene and kraft paper.
  - d. Moisture Barrier for Outdoor Applications: 3-mil- thick, heat-bonded polyethylene and kraft paper.
  - e. Factory-Fabricated Fitting Covers:
    - 1) Same material, finish, and thickness as jacket.
    - Preformed 2-piece or gore, 45- and 90-degree, short- and long-radius elbows.
    - Tee covers.
    - 4) Flange and union covers.
    - 5) End caps.
    - 6) Beveled collars.
    - 7) Valve covers.
    - 8) Field fabricate fitting covers only if factory-fabricated fitting covers are not available.

## 2.8 TAPES

- A. ASJ Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive, complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0835.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 104 and 105.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 428 AWF ASJ.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1540 CW Plus, 1542 CW Plus, and 1542 CW Plus/SQ.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 11.5 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  - 7. ASJ Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of ASJ tape.
- B. FSK Tape: Foil-face, vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive; complying with ASTM C 1136.

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0827.
  - b. Compac Corp.; 110 and 111.
  - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 491 AWF FSK.
  - d. Venture Tape; 1525 CW, 1528 CW, and 1528 CW/SQ.
- 2. Width: 3 inches.
- 3. Thickness: 6.5 mils.
- 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
- 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
- 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
- 7. FSK Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of FSK tape.
- C. PVC Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching field-applied PVC jacket with acrylic adhesive. Suitable for indoor and outdoor applications.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0555.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 130.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 370 White PVC tape.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1506 CW NS.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 64 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 500 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 18 lbf/inch in width.
- D. Aluminum-Foil Tape: Vapor-retarder tape with acrylic adhesive.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0800.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 120.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 488 AWF.
    - d. Venture Tape; 3520 CW.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 3.7 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 100 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 5 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 34 lbf/inch in width.
- E. PVDC Tape: White vapor-retarder PVDC tape with acrylic adhesive.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - a. Dow Chemical Company (The); Saran 540 Vapor Retarder Tape.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Film Thickness: 4 mils.
  - 4. Adhesive Thickness: 1.5 mils.
  - 5. Elongation at Break: 145 percent.

6. Tensile Strength: 55 lbf/inch in width.

#### 2.9 SECUREMENTS

#### A. Bands:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Products; Bands.
  - b. PABCO Metals Corporation; Bands.
  - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Bands.
- 2. Stainless Steel: ASTM A 167 or ASTM A 240/A 240M, Type 304 or Type 316; 0.015 inch thick, 1/2 inch wide with wing or closed seal.
- 3. Aluminum: ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105, or 5005; Temper H-14, 0.020 inch thick, 1/2 inch wide with wing or closed seal.
- 4. Springs: Twin spring set constructed of stainless steel with ends flat and slotted to accept metal bands. Spring size determined by manufacturer for application.
- B. Insulation Pins and Hangers:
  - Capacitor-Discharge-Weld Pins: Copper- or zinc-coated steel pin, fully annealed for capacitor-discharge welding, 0.106-inch- diameter shank, length to suit depth of insulation indicated.
    - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - 1) AGM Industries, Inc.; CWP-1.
      - 2) GEMCO; CD.
      - 3) Midwest Fasteners, Inc.: CD.
      - Nelson Stud Welding; TPA, TPC, and TPS.
  - 2. Cupped-Head, Capacitor-Discharge-Weld Pins: Copper- or zinc-coated steel pin, fully annealed for capacitor-discharge welding, 0.106-inch- diameter shank, length to suit depth of insulation indicated with integral 1-1/2-inch galvanized carbon-steel washer.
    - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - 1) AGM Industries, Inc.; CWP-1.
      - 2) GEMCO; Cupped Head Weld Pin.
      - 3) Midwest Fasteners, Inc.; Cupped Head.
      - 4) Nelson Stud Welding; CHP.
  - 3. Metal, Adhesively Attached, Perforated-Base Insulation Hangers: Baseplate welded to projecting spindle that is capable of holding insulation, of thickness indicated, securely in position indicated when self-locking washer is in place. Comply with the following requirements:
    - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - 1) AGM Industries, Inc.; Tactoo Insul-Hangers, Series T.
      - GEMCO; Perforated Base.
      - 3) Midwest Fasteners, Inc.; Spindle.

- b. Baseplate: Perforated, galvanized carbon-steel sheet, 0.030 inch thick by 2 inches square.
- c. Spindle: Aluminum or Stainless steel, fully annealed, 0.106-inch- diameter shank, length to suit depth of insulation indicated.
- d. Adhesive: Recommended by hanger manufacturer. Product with demonstrated capability to bond insulation hanger securely to substrates indicated without damaging insulation, hangers, and substrates.
- 4. Self-Sticking-Base Insulation Hangers: Baseplate welded to projecting spindle that is capable of holding insulation, of thickness indicated, securely in position indicated when self-locking washer is in place. Comply with the following requirements:
  - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - 1) AGM Industries, Inc.; Tactoo Insul-Hangers, Series TSA.
    - 2) GEMCO; Press and Peel.
    - 3) Midwest Fasteners, Inc.; Self Stick.
  - b. Baseplate: Galvanized carbon-steel sheet, 0.030 inch thick by 2 inches square.
  - c. Spindle: Aluminum or Stainless steel], fully annealed, 0.106-inch- diameter shank, length to suit depth of insulation indicated.
  - d. Adhesive-backed base with a peel-off protective cover.
- 5. Insulation-Retaining Washers: Self-locking washers formed from 0.016-inch- thick, aluminum or stainless-steel] sheet, with beveled edge sized as required to hold insulation securely in place but not less than 1-1/2 inches in diameter.
  - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - 1) AGM Industries, Inc.; RC-150.
    - 2) GEMCO; R-150.
    - 3) Midwest Fasteners, Inc.; WA-150.
    - Nelson Stud Welding; Speed Clips.
  - b. Protect ends with capped self-locking washers incorporating a spring steel insert to ensure permanent retention of cap in exposed locations.
- C. Staples: Outward-clinching insulation staples, nominal 3/4-inch- wide, stainless steel or Monel.
- D. Wire: 0.080-inch nickel-copper alloy or 0.062-inch soft-annealed, stainless steel.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. C & F Wire.
    - b. Childers Products.
    - c. PABCO Metals Corporation.
    - d. RPR Products, Inc.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

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

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Preparation: Clean and dry surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.
- B. Surface Preparation: Clean and prepare surfaces to be insulated. Before insulating, apply a corrosion coating to insulated surfaces as follows:
  - 1. Carbon Steel: Coat carbon steel operating at a service temperature between 32 and 300 deg F with an epoxy coating. Consult coating manufacturer for appropriate coating materials and application methods for operating temperature range.
- C. Coordinate insulation installation with the trade installing heat tracing. Comply with requirements for heat tracing that apply to insulation.
- D. Mix insulating cements with clean potable water; if insulating cements are to be in contact with stainless-steel surfaces, use demineralized water.

## 3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of equipment and piping including fittings, valves, and specialties.
- B. Install insulation materials, forms, vapor barriers or retarders, jackets, and thicknesses required for each item of equipment and pipe system as specified in insulation system schedules.
- C. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- D. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at top and bottom of horizontal runs.
- E. Install multiple layers of insulation with longitudinal and end seams staggered.
- F. Do not weld brackets, clips, or other attachment devices to piping, fittings, and specialties.
- G. Keep insulation materials dry during application and finishing.

- H. Install insulation with tight longitudinal seams and end joints. Bond seams and joints with adhesive recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- I. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- J. Where vapor barrier is indicated, seal joints, seams, and penetrations in insulation at hangers, supports, anchors, and other projections with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 1. Install insulation continuously through hangers and around anchor attachments.
  - 2. For insulation application where vapor barriers are indicated, extend insulation on anchor legs from point of attachment to supported item to point of attachment to structure. Taper and seal ends at attachment to structure with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 3. Install insert materials and install insulation to tightly join the insert. Seal insulation to insulation inserts with adhesive or sealing compound recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
  - 4. Cover inserts with jacket material matching adjacent pipe insulation. Install shields over jacket, arranged to protect jacket from tear or puncture by hanger, support, and shield.
- K. Apply adhesives, mastics, and sealants at manufacturer's recommended coverage rate and wet and dry film thicknesses.
- L. Install insulation with factory-applied jackets as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket tight and smooth.
  - 2. Cover circumferential joints with 3-inch- wide strips, of same material as insulation jacket. Secure strips with adhesive and outward clinching staples along both edges of strip, spaced 4 inches o.c.
  - 3. Overlap jacket longitudinal seams at least 1-1/2 inches. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at bottom of pipe. Clean and dry surface to receive self-sealing lap. Staple laps with outward clinching staples along edge at 4 inches o.c.
    - a. For below ambient services, apply vapor-barrier mastic over staples.
  - 4. Cover joints and seams with tape as recommended by insulation material manufacturer to maintain vapor seal.
  - 5. Where vapor barriers are indicated, apply vapor-barrier mastic on seams and joints and at ends adjacent to pipe flanges and fittings.
- M. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 75 percent of its nominal thickness.
- N. Finish installation with systems at operating conditions. Repair joint separations and cracking due to thermal movement.
- O. Repair damaged insulation facings by applying same facing material over damaged areas. Extend patches at least 4 inches beyond damaged areas. Adhere, staple, and seal patches similar to butt joints.
- P. For above ambient services, do not install insulation to the following:
  - 1. Vibration-control devices.
  - Testing agency labels and stamps.
  - 3. Nameplates and data plates.
  - 4. Manholes.
  - 5. Handholes.

6. Cleanouts.

#### 3.4 PENETRATIONS

- A. Insulation Installation at Roof Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through roof penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation above roof surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside roof flashing at least 2 inches below top of roof flashing.
  - 4. Seal jacket to roof flashing with flashing sealant.
- B. Insulation Installation at Underground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Terminate insulation flush with sleeve seal. Seal terminations with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation at Aboveground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through wall penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation inside wall surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside wall flashing and overlap wall flashing at least 2 inches.
  - 4. Seal jacket to wall flashing with flashing sealant.
- D. Insulation Installation at Interior Wall and Partition Penetrations (That Are Not Fire Rated): Install insulation continuously through walls and partitions.
- E. Insulation Installation at Fire-Rated Wall and Partition Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through penetrations of fire-rated walls and partitions.
  - 1. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Penetration Firestopping"irestopping and fire-resistive joint sealers.
- F. Insulation Installation at Floor Penetrations:
  - 1. Pipe: Install insulation continuously through floor penetrations.
  - 2. Seal penetrations through fire-rated assemblies. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Penetration Firestopping."

## 3.5 EQUIPMENT, TANK, AND VESSEL INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Mineral Fiber, Pipe and Tank Insulation Installation for Tanks and Vessels: Secure insulation with adhesive and anchor pins and speed washers.
  - 1. Apply adhesives according to manufacturer's recommended coverage rates per unit area, for 100 percent coverage of tank and vessel surfaces.

- Groove and score insulation materials to fit as closely as possible to equipment, including contours. Bevel insulation edges for cylindrical surfaces for tight joints. Stagger end joints.
- 3. Protect exposed corners with secured corner angles.
- 4. Install adhesively attached or self-sticking insulation hangers and speed washers on sides of tanks and vessels as follows:
  - a. Do not weld anchor pins to ASME-labeled pressure vessels.
  - b. Select insulation hangers and adhesive that are compatible with service temperature and with substrate.
  - c. On tanks and vessels, maximum anchor-pin spacing is 3 inches from insulation end joints, and 16 inches o.c. in both directions.
  - d. Do not overcompress insulation during installation.
  - e. Cut and miter insulation segments to fit curved sides and domed heads of tanks and vessels.
  - f. Impale insulation over anchor pins and attach speed washers.
  - g. Cut excess portion of pins extending beyond speed washers or bend parallel with insulation surface. Cover exposed pins and washers with tape matching insulation facing.
- 5. Secure each layer of insulation with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation materials.
- 6. Where insulation hangers on equipment and vessels are not permitted or practical and where insulation support rings are not provided, install a girdle network for securing insulation. Stretch prestressed aircraft cable around the diameter of vessel and make taut with clamps, turnbuckles, or breather springs. Place one circumferential girdle around equipment approximately 6 inches from each end. Install wire or cable between two circumferential girdles 12 inches o.c. Install a wire ring around each end and around outer periphery of center openings, and stretch prestressed aircraft cable radially from the wire ring to nearest circumferential girdle. Install additional circumferential girdles along the body of equipment or tank at a minimum spacing of 48 inches o.c. Use this network for securing insulation with tie wire or bands.
- 7. Stagger joints between insulation layers at least 3 inches.
- 8. Install insulation in removable segments on equipment access doors, manholes, handholes, and other elements that require frequent removal for service and inspection.
- 9. Bevel and seal insulation ends around manholes, handholes, ASME stamps, and nameplates.
- 10. For equipment with surface temperatures below ambient, apply mastic to open ends, joints, seams, breaks, and punctures in insulation.

## B. Insulation Installation on Pumps:

- Fabricate metal boxes lined with insulation. Fit boxes around pumps and coincide box joints with splits in pump casings. Fabricate joints with outward bolted flanges. Bolt flanges on 6-inch centers, starting at corners. Install 3/8-inch- diameter fasteners with wing nuts. Alternatively, secure the box sections together using a latching mechanism.
- 2. Fabricate boxes from aluminum or stainless steel, at least 0.040 inch thick.
- 3. For below ambient services, install a vapor barrier at seams, joints, and penetrations. Seal between flanges with replaceable gasket material to form a vapor barrier.

## 3.6 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.

- B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, Flanges, and Unions:
  - 1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, flanges, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Insulate pipe elbows using preformed fitting insulation or mitered fittings made from same material and density as adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.
  - 3. Insulate tee fittings with preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
  - 4. Insulate valves using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
  - 5. Insulate strainers using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
  - 6. Insulate flanges and unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker.
  - 7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below ambient services and a breather mastic for above ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with fabric-reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
  - 8. For services not specified to receive a field-applied jacket except for flexible elastomeric and polyolefin, install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing using PVC tape.
  - 9. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "UNION." Match size and color of pipe labels.
- C. Insulate instrument connections for thermometers, pressure gages, pressure temperature taps, test connections, flow meters, sensors, switches, and transmitters on insulated pipes, vessels, and equipment. Shape insulation at these connections by tapering it to and around the connection with insulating cement and finish with finishing cement, mastic, and flashing sealant.
- D. Install removable insulation covers at locations indicated. Installation shall conform to the following:
  - 1. Make removable flange and union insulation from sectional pipe insulation of same thickness as that on adjoining pipe. Install same insulation jacket as adjoining pipe insulation.
  - 2. When flange and union covers are made from sectional pipe insulation, extend insulation from flanges or union long at least two times the insulation thickness over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of flange or union. Secure flange cover in place with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation and jacket.

- 3. Construct removable valve insulation covers in same manner as for flanges except divide the two-part section on the vertical center line of valve body.
- 4. When covers are made from block insulation, make two halves, each consisting of mitered blocks wired to stainless-steel fabric. Secure this wire frame, with its attached insulation, to flanges with tie wire. Extend insulation at least 2 inches over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of valve. Fill space between flange or union cover and pipe insulation with insulating cement. Finish cover assembly with insulating cement applied in two coats. After first coat is dry, apply and trowel second coat to a smooth finish.
- 5. Unless a PVC jacket is indicated in field-applied jacket schedules, finish exposed surfaces with a metal jacket.

## 3.7 FLEXIBLE ELASTOMERIC INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Seal longitudinal seams and end joints with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
  - 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with cut sections of sheet insulation of same thickness as pipe insulation.
  - 4. Secure insulation to flanges and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install mitered sections of pipe insulation.
  - 2. Secure insulation materials and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - Install preformed valve covers manufactured of same material as pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed valve covers are not available, install cut sections of pipe and sheet insulation to valve body. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 3. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.
  - 4. Secure insulation to valves and specialties and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.

### 3.8 MINERAL-FIBER INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:
  - 1. Secure each layer of preformed pipe insulation to pipe with wire or bands and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.
  - 2. Where vapor barriers are indicated, seal longitudinal seams, end joints, and protrusions with vapor-barrier mastic and joint sealant.

- 3. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on above ambient surfaces, secure laps with outward clinched staples at 6 inches o.c.
- 4. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on below ambient surfaces, do not staple longitudinal tabs but secure tabs with additional adhesive as recommended by insulation material manufacturer and seal with vapor-barrier mastic and flashing sealant.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install preformed pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
  - 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with mineral-fiber blanket insulation.
  - 4. Install jacket material with manufacturer's recommended adhesive, overlap seams at least 1 inch, and seal joints with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed insulation elbows and fittings are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation, to a thickness equal to adjoining pipe insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.
- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed sections are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation to valve body.
  - 3. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 4. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.

## 3.9 FIELD-APPLIED JACKET INSTALLATION

- A. Where FSK jackets are indicated, install as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket material smooth and tight.
  - 2. Install lap or joint strips with same material as jacket.
  - 3. Secure jacket to insulation with manufacturer's recommended adhesive.
  - 4. Install jacket with 1-1/2-inch laps at longitudinal seams and 3-inch- wide joint strips at end joints.
  - 5. Seal openings, punctures, and breaks in vapor-retarder jackets and exposed insulation with vapor-barrier mastic.
- B. Where PVC jackets are indicated, install with 1-inch overlap at longitudinal seams and end joints; for horizontal applications, install with longitudinal seams along top and bottom of tanks and vessels. Seal with manufacturer's recommended adhesive.
  - 1. Apply two continuous beads of adhesive to seams and joints, one bead under lap and the finish bead along seam and joint edge.

- C. Where metal jackets are indicated, install with 2-inch overlap at longitudinal seams and end joints. Overlap longitudinal seams arranged to shed water. Seal end joints with weatherproof sealant recommended by insulation manufacturer. Secure jacket with stainless-steel bands 12 inches o.c. and at end joints.
- D. Where PVDC jackets are indicated, install as follows:
  - 1. Apply three separate wraps of filament tape per insulation section to secure pipe insulation to pipe prior to installation of PVDC jacket.
  - 2. Wrap factory-presized jackets around individual pipe insulation sections with one end overlapping the previously installed sheet. Install presized jacket with an approximate overlap at butt joint of 2 inches over the previous section. Adhere lap seal using adhesive or SSL, and then apply 1-1/4 circumferences of appropriate PVDC tape around overlapped butt joint.
  - 3. Continuous jacket can be spiral wrapped around a length of pipe insulation. Apply adhesive or PVDC tape at overlapped spiral edge. When electing to use adhesives, refer to manufacturer's written instructions for application of adhesives along this spiral edge to maintain a permanent bond.
  - 4. Jacket can be wrapped in cigarette fashion along length of roll for insulation systems with an outer circumference of 33-1/2 inches or less. The 33-1/2-inch- circumference limit allows for 2-inch- overlap seal. Using the length of roll allows for longer sections of jacket to be installed at one time. Use adhesive on the lap seal. Visually inspect lap seal for "fishmouthing," and use PVDC tape along lap seal to secure joint.
  - 5. Repair holes or tears in PVDC jacket by placing PVDC tape over the hole or tear and wrapping a minimum of 1-1/4 circumferences to avoid damage to tape edges.

## 3.10 FINISHES

- A. Equipment and Pipe Insulation with ASJ, Glass-Cloth, or Other Paintable Jacket Material: Paint jacket with paint system identified below and as specified in Division 09 painting Sections.
  - 1. Flat Acrylic Finish: Two finish coats over a primer that is compatible with jacket material and finish coat paint. Add fungicidal agent to render fabric mildew proof.
    - a. Finish Coat Material: Interior, flat, latex-emulsion size.
- B. Flexible Elastomeric Thermal Insulation: After adhesive has fully cured, apply two coats of insulation manufacturer's recommended protective coating.
- C. Color: Final color as selected by Architect. Vary first and second coats to allow visual inspection of the completed Work.
- D. Do not field paint aluminum or stainless-steel jackets.

### 3.11 PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Acceptable preformed pipe and tubular insulation materials and thicknesses are identified for each piping system and pipe size range. If more than one material is listed for a piping system, selection from materials listed is Contractor's option.
- B. Items Not Insulated: Unless otherwise indicated, do not install insulation on the following:
  - 1. Drainage piping located in crawl spaces.

- 2. Underground piping.
- 3. Chrome-plated pipes and fittings unless there is a potential for personnel injury.

### 3.12 INDOOR PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE

- A. Domestic Cold Water:
  - 1. NPS 1-1/2 and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1 inch
  - 2. NPS 2 and Larger: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1-1/2 inch thick.
- B. Domestic Hot and Recirculated Hot Water:
  - 1. NPS 1-1/2 and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1 inch.
  - 2. NPS 2 and Larger: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1-1/2 inch thick.
- C. Domestic Chilled Water (Potable):
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1 inch.
- D. Condensate and Equipment Drain Water below 60 Deg F:
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1 inch.

# 3.13 INDOOR, FIELD-APPLIED JACKET SCHEDULE

- A. Install jacket over insulation material. For insulation with factory-applied jacket, install the field-applied jacket over the factory-applied jacket.
- B. If more than one material is listed, selection from materials listed is Contractor's option.
- C. Equipment, Concealed:
  - 1. None.
- D. Piping, Concealed:
  - 1. None.
- E. Piping, Exposed:

1. PVC: 20 mils thick.

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### **SECTION 22 1116**

### **DOMESTIC WATER PIPING**

## **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. Under-building slab and aboveground domestic water pipes, tubes, fittings, and specialties inside the building.
  - 2. Encasement for piping.
  - 3. Specialty valves.
  - 4. Flexible connectors.
  - 5. Escutcheons.
  - 6. Sleeves and sleeve seals.

# 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Seismic Performance: Domestic water piping and support and installation shall withstand effects of earthquake motions determined according to 2006 International Building Code.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following products:
  - 1. Specialty valves.
  - 2. Transition fittings.
  - 3. Dielectric fittings.
  - 4. Escutcheons.
  - 5. Sleeves and sleeve seals.
  - 6. Water penetration systems.
- B. Water Samples: Specified in "Cleaning" Article.
- C. Coordination Drawings: For piping in equipment rooms and other congested areas, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from Installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Fire-suppression-water piping.
  - 2. Domestic water piping.
  - 3. HVAC hydronic piping.
  - 4. Medical Gas Piping.

D. Field quality-control reports.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Piping materials shall bear label, stamp, or other markings of specified testing agency.
- B. Comply with NSF 14 for plastic, potable domestic water piping and components. Include marking "NSF-pw" on piping.
- C. Comply with NSF 61 for potable domestic water piping and components.

## 1.6 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 PIPING MATERIALS

A. Comply with requirements in "Piping Schedule" Article for applications of pipe, tube, fitting materials, and joining methods for specific services, service locations, and pipe sizes.

## 2.2 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Hard Copper Tube: ASTM B 88, Type L water tube, drawn temper.
  - 1. Cast-Copper Solder-Joint Fittings: ASME B16.18, pressure fittings.
  - 2. Wrought-Copper Solder-Joint Fittings: ASME B16.22, wrought-copper pressure fittings.
  - 3. Bronze Flanges: ASME B16.24, Class 150, with solder-joint ends.
  - 4. Copper Unions: MSS SP-123, cast-copper-alloy, hexagonal-stock body, with ball-and-socket, metal-to-metal seating surfaces, and solder-joint or threaded ends.
  - 5. Grooved-Joint Copper-Tube Appurtenances:
    - a. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
      - 1) Gruvlok International.
      - 2) Shurjoint Piping Products.
      - 3) Victaulic Company.
    - b. Copper Grooved-End Fittings: ASTM B 75 copper tube or ASTM B 584 bronze castings.
    - c. Grooved-End-Tube Couplings: Copper-tube dimensions and design similar to AWWA C606. Include ferrous housing sections, EPDM-rubber gaskets suitable for hot and cold water, and bolts and nuts.

## 2.3 DUCTILE-IRON PIPE AND FITTINGS

- A. Mechanical-Joint, Ductile-Iron Pipe: AWWA C151, with mechanical-joint bell and plain spigot end unless grooved or flanged ends are indicated.
  - 1. Standard-Pattern, Mechanical-Joint Fittings: AWWA C110, ductile or gray iron.
  - 2. Compact-Pattern, Mechanical-Joint Fittings: AWWA C153, ductile iron.
    - a. Glands, Gaskets, and Bolts: AWWA C111, ductile- or gray-iron glands, rubber gaskets, and steel bolts.
- B. Push-on-Joint, Ductile-Iron Pipe: AWWA C151, with push-on-joint bell and plain spigot end unless grooved or flanged ends are indicated.
  - 1. Standard-Pattern, Push-on-Joint Fittings: AWWA C110, ductile or gray iron.
    - a. Gaskets: AWWA C111, rubber.
  - 2. Compact-Pattern, Push-on-Joint Fittings: AWWA C153, ductile iron.
    - a. Gaskets: AWWA C111, rubber.

## 2.4 PIPING JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: AWWA C110, rubber, flat face, 1/8 inch thick or ASME B16.21, nonmetallic and asbestos free, unless otherwise indicated; full-face or ring type unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Metal, Pipe-Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- D. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8/A5.8M, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for general-duty brazing unless otherwise indicated.

## 2.5 ENCASEMENT FOR PIPING

- A. Standard: ASTM A 674 or AWWA C105.
- B. Form: Sheet or Tube.
- C. Material: LLDPE film of 0.008-inch minimum thickness or high-density, cross-laminated PE film of 0.004-inchminimum thickness.
- D. Color: Black or Natural.

### 2.6 SPECIALTY VALVES

A. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "General-Duty Valves for Plumbing Piping" for general-duty metal valves.

B. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for balancing valves, drain valves, backflow preventers, and vacuum breakers.

### 2.7 TRANSITION FITTINGS

- A. General Requirements:
  - 1. Same size as pipes to be joined.
  - 2. Pressure rating at least equal to pipes to be joined.
  - 3. End connections compatible with pipes to be joined.
- B. Fitting-Type Transition Couplings: Manufactured piping coupling or specified piping system fitting.
- C. Sleeve-Type Transition Coupling: AWWA C219.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Cascade Waterworks Manufacturing.
    - b. Dresser, Inc.; Dresser Piping Specialties.
    - c. Ford Meter Box Company, Inc. (The).
    - d. JCM Industries.
    - e. Romac Industries, Inc.
    - f. Smith-Blair, Inc; a Sensus company.
    - g. Viking Johnson; c/o Mueller Co.

## 2.8 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. General Requirements: Assembly of copper alloy and ferrous materials or ferrous material body with separating nonconductive insulating material suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- B. Dielectric-Flange Kits:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Advance Products & Systems, Inc.
    - b. Calpico, Inc.
    - c. Central Plastics Company.
    - d. Pipeline Seal and Insulator, Inc.
  - 2. Description:
    - a. Nonconducting materials for field assembly of companion flanges.
    - b. Pressure Rating: 150 psig.
    - c. Gasket: Neoprene or phenolic.
    - d. Bolt Sleeves: Phenolic or polyethylene.
    - e. Washers: Phenolic with steel backing washers.
- C. Dielectric Nipples:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Perfection Corporation; a subsidiary of American Meter Company.
  - b. Precision Plumbing Products, Inc.
  - c. Victaulic Company.
- 2. Description:
  - a. Electroplated steel nipple complying with ASTM F 1545.
  - b. Pressure Rating: 300 psig at 225 deg F.
  - c. End Connections: Male threaded or grooved.
  - d. Lining: Inert and noncorrosive, propylene.

## 2.9 FLEXIBLE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Flex-Hose Co., Inc.
  - Flexicraft Industries.
  - 3. Flex Pression, Ltd.
  - 4. Flex-Weld, Inc.
  - 5. Hyspan Precision Products, Inc.
  - 6. Mercer Rubber Co.
  - 7. Metraflex, Inc.
  - 8. Proco Products, Inc.
  - 9. Tozen Corporation.
  - 10. Unaflex, Inc.
  - 11. Universal Metal Hose; a Hyspan company
- B. Bronze-Hose Flexible Connectors: Corrugated-bronze tubing with bronze wire-braid covering and ends brazed to inner tubing.
  - 1. Working-Pressure Rating: Minimum [200 psig] [250 psig].
  - 2. End Connections NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded copper pipe or plain-end copper tube.
  - 3. End Connections NPS 2-1/2 and Larger: Flanged copper alloy.
- C. Stainless-Steel-Hose Flexible Connectors: Corrugated-stainless-steel tubing with stainless-steel wire-braid covering and ends welded to inner tubing.
  - 1. Working-Pressure Rating: Minimum [200 psig] [250 psig].
  - 2. End Connections NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded steel-pipe nipple.
  - 3. End Connections NPS 2-1/2 and Larger: Flanged steel nipple.

# 2.10 ESCUTCHEONS

- A. General: Manufactured ceiling, floor, and wall escutcheons and floor plates.
- B. One Piece, Cast Brass: Polished, chrome-plated finish with setscrews.
- C. One Piece, Deep Pattern: Deep-drawn, box-shaped brass with chrome-plated finish.

- D. One Piece, Stamped Steel: Chrome-plated finish with setscrew or spring clips.
- E. Split Casting, Cast Brass: Polished, chrome-plated finish with concealed hinge and setscrew.
- F. Split Plate, Stamped Steel: Chrome-plated finish with concealed hinge, setscrew or spring clips.
- G. One-Piece Floor Plates: Cast-iron flange with holes for fasteners.
- H. Split-Casting Floor Plates: Cast brass with concealed hinge.

## 2.11 SLEEVES

- A. Cast-Iron Wall Pipes: Fabricated of cast iron, and equivalent to ductile-iron pressure pipe, with plain ends and integral waterstop unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Galvanized-Steel-Sheet Sleeves: 0.0239-inch minimum thickness; round tube closed with welded longitudinal joint.
- C. Molded-PE Sleeves: Reusable, PE, tapered-cup shaped, and smooth outer surface with nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.
- D. Molded-PVC Sleeves: Permanent, with nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.
- E. PVC-Pipe Sleeves: ASTM D 1785, Schedule 40.
- F. Galvanized-Steel-Pipe Sleeves: ASTM A 53/A 53M, Type E, Grade B, Schedule 40, zinc-coated, with plain ends.
- G. Stack Sleeve Fittings: Manufactured, cast-iron sleeve with integral clamping flange. Include clamping ring and bolts and nuts for membrane flashing.
  - 1. Underdeck Clamp: Clamping ring with setscrews.

### 2.12 SLEEVE SEALS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Advance Products & Systems, Inc.
  - 2. Calpico. Inc.
  - 3. Metraflex, Inc.
  - 4. Pipeline Seal and Insulator, Inc.
- B. Description: Modular sealing element unit, designed for field assembly, used to fill annular space between pipe and sleeve.
  - 1. Sealing Elements: EPDM-rubber OR NBR interlocking links shaped to fit surface of pipe. Include type and number required for pipe material and size of pipe.
  - 2. Pressure Plates: Stainless steel.
  - 3. Connecting Bolts and Nuts: Stainless steel of length required to secure pressure plates to sealing elements.

## 2.13 **GROUT**

- A. Standard: ASTM C 1107, Grade B, post-hardening and volume-adjusting, dry, hydraulic-cement grout.
- B. Characteristics: Nonshrink; recommended for interior and exterior applications.
- C. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.
- D. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EARTHWORK

A. Comply with requirements in Division 31 Section "Earth Moving" for excavating, trenching, and backfilling.

## 3.2 PIPING INSTALLATION

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of domestic water piping. Indicated locations and arrangements are used to size pipe and calculate friction loss, expansion, and other design considerations. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install copper tubing under building slab according to CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook."
- C. Install ductile-iron piping under building slab with restrained joints according to AWWA C600 and AWWA M41.
- D. Install shutoff valve, hose-end drain valve, strainer, pressure gage, and test tee with valve, inside the building at each domestic water service entrance. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Meters and Gages for Plumbing Piping" for pressure gages and Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for drain valves and strainers.
- E. Install shutoff valve immediately upstream of each dielectric fitting.
- F. Install water-pressure-reducing valves downstream from shutoff valves. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for pressure-reducing valves.
- G. Install domestic water piping level with 0.25 percent slope downward toward drain and plumb.
- H. Install seismic restraints on piping. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for seismic-restraint devices.
- I. Install piping concealed from view and protected from physical contact by building occupants unless otherwise indicated and except in equipment rooms and service areas.
- J. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.

- K. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal, and coordinate with other services occupying that space.
- L. Install piping adjacent to equipment and specialties to allow service and maintenance.
- M. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- N. Install nipples, unions, special fittings, and valves with pressure ratings the same as or higher than system pressure rating used in applications below unless otherwise indicated.
- O. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- P. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- Q. Install unions in copper tubing at final connection to each piece of equipment, machine, and specialty.

### 3.3 JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipes, tubes, and fittings before assembly.
- C. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:
  - 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads.
  - 2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged.
- D. Brazed Joints: Join copper tube and fittings according to CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," "Brazed Joints" Chapter.
- E. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux to end of tube. Join copper tube and fittings according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook."
- F. Extruded-Tee Connections: Form tee in copper tube according to ASTM F 2014. Use tool designed for copper tube; drill pilot hole, form collar for outlet, dimple tube to form seating stop, and braze branch tube into collar.
- G. Copper-Tubing Grooved Joints: Roll groove end of tube. Assemble coupling with housing, gasket, lubricant, and bolts. Join copper tube and grooved-end fittings according to AWWA C606 for roll-grooved joints.
- H. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate asbestos-free, nonmetallic gasket material in size, type, and thickness suitable for domestic water service. Join flanges with gasket and bolts according to ASME B31.9.
- I. Dissimilar-Material Piping Joints: Make joints using adapters compatible with materials of both piping systems.

## 3.4 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. General-Duty Valves: Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "General-Duty Valves for Plumbing Piping" for valve installations.
- B. Install shutoff valve close to water main on each branch and riser serving plumbing fixtures or equipment, on each water supply to equipment, and on each water supply to plumbing fixtures that do not have supply stops. Use ball or gate valves for piping NPS 2 and smaller. Use butterfly or gate valves for piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
- C. Install drain valves for equipment at base of each water riser, at low points in horizontal piping, and where required to drain water piping. Drain valves are specified in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."
  - 1. Hose-End Drain Valves: At low points in water mains, risers, and branches.
  - 2. Stop-and-Waste Drain Valves: Instead of hose-end drain valves where indicated.
- D. Install calibrated balancing valves in each hot-water circulation return branch and discharge side of each pump and circulator. Set calibrated balancing valves partly open to restrict but not stop flow. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for calibrated balancing valves.

## 3.5 TRANSITION FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install transition couplings at joints of dissimilar piping.
- B. Transition Fittings in Underground Domestic Water Piping:
  - 1. NPS 1-1/2 and Smaller: Fitting-type coupling.
  - 2. NPS 2 and Larger: Sleeve-type coupling.
- C. Transition Fittings in Aboveground Domestic Water Piping NPS 2 and Smaller: Plastic-to-metal transition fittings or unions.

### 3.6 DIELECTRIC FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install dielectric fittings in piping at connections of dissimilar metal piping and tubing.
- B. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 2 and Smaller: Use dielectric nipples.
- C. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Use dielectric flange kits.
- D. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 5 and Larger: Use dielectric flange kits.

# 3.7 FLEXIBLE CONNECTOR INSTALLATION

- A. Install flexible connectors in suction and discharge piping connections to each domestic water pump and in suction and discharge manifold connections to each domestic water booster pump.
- B. Install bronze-hose flexible connectors in copper domestic water tubing.
- C. Install stainless-steel-hose flexible connectors in steel domestic water piping.

## 3.8 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for seismic-restraint devices.
- B. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Hangers and Supports for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for pipe hanger and support products and installation.
  - 1. Vertical Piping: MSS Type 8 or 42, clamps.
  - 2. Individual, Straight, Horizontal Piping Runs:
    - a. 100 Feet and Less: MSS Type 1, adjustable, steel clevis hangers.
    - b. Longer Than 100 Feet: MSS Type 43, adjustable roller hangers.
    - c. Longer Than 100 Feet If Indicated: MSS Type 49, spring cushion rolls.
  - 3. Multiple, Straight, Horizontal Piping Runs 100 Feet or Longer: MSS Type 44, pipe rolls. Support pipe rolls on trapeze.
  - 4. Base of Vertical Piping: MSS Type 52, spring hangers.
- C. Support vertical piping and tubing at base and at each floor.
- D. Rod diameter may be reduced one size for double-rod hangers, to a minimum of 3/8 inch.
- E. Install hangers for copper tubing with the following maximum horizontal spacing and minimum rod diameters:
  - 1. NPS 3/4 and Smaller: 60 inches with 3/8-inch rod.
  - 2. NPS 1 and NPS 1-1/4: 72 inches with 3/8-inch rod.
  - 3. NPS 1-1/2 and NPS 2: 96 inches with 3/8-inch rod.
  - 4. NPS 2-1/2: 108 inches with 1/2-inch rod.
  - 5. NPS 3 to NPS 5: 10 feet with 1/2-inch rod.
  - 6. NPS 6: 10 feet with 5/8-inch rod.
  - 7. NPS 8: 10 feet with 3/4-inch rod.
- F. Install supports for vertical copper tubing every 10 feet.
- G. Support piping and tubing not listed in this article according to MSS SP-69 and manufacturer's written instructions.

# 3.9 CONNECTIONS

- A. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Install piping adjacent to equipment and machines to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Connect domestic water piping to exterior water-service piping. Use transition fitting to join dissimilar piping materials.
- D. Connect domestic water piping to water-service piping with shutoff valve; extend and connect to the following:
  - 1. Domestic Water Booster Pumps: Cold-water suction and discharge piping.
  - 2. Water Heaters: Cold-water inlet and hot-water outlet piping in sizes indicated, but not smaller than sizes of water heater connections.

- 3. Plumbing Fixtures: Cold- and hot-water supply piping in sizes indicated, but not smaller than required by plumbing code. Comply with requirements in Division 22 plumbing fixture Sections for connection sizes.
- 4. Equipment: Cold- and hot-water supply piping as indicated, but not smaller than equipment connections. Provide shutoff valve and union for each connection. Use flanges instead of unions for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.

## 3.10 ESCUTCHEON INSTALLATION

- A. Install escutcheons for penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors.
- B. Escutcheons for New Piping:
  - 1. Piping with Fitting or Sleeve Protruding from Wall: One piece, deep pattern.
  - 2. Bare Piping at Wall and Floor Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One piece, cast brass with polished chrome-plated finish.
  - 3. Bare Piping at Ceiling Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One piece or split casting, cast brass with polished chrome-plated finish.
  - 4. Bare Piping in Unfinished Service Spaces: One piece, stamped steel with set screw or spring clips.
  - 5. Bare Piping in Equipment Rooms: One piece, stamped steel with set screw or spring clips.
  - 6. Bare Piping at Floor Penetrations in Equipment Rooms: One-piece floor plate.

# C. Escutcheons for Existing Piping:

- 1. Chrome-Plated Piping: Split casting, cast brass with chrome-plated finish.
- 2. Insulated Piping: Split plate, stamped steel with concealed hinge and spring clips.
- 3. Bare Piping at Wall and Floor Penetrations in Finished Spaces: Split plate, stamped steel with concealed hinge and spring clips.
- 4. Bare Piping at Ceiling Penetrations in Finished Spaces: Split plate, stamped steel with concealed hinge and set screw.
- 5. Bare Piping in Unfinished Service Spaces: Split plate, stamped steel with exposed-rivet hinge and set screw or spring clips.
- 6. Bare Piping in Equipment Rooms: Split plate, stamped steel with set screw or spring clips.
- 7. Bare Piping at Floor Penetrations in Equipment Rooms: Split-casting floor plate.

### 3.11 SLEEVE INSTALLATION

- A. General Requirements: Install sleeves for pipes and tubes passing through penetrations in floors, partitions, roofs, and walls.
- B. Sleeves are not required for core-drilled holes.
- C. Permanent sleeves are not required for holes formed by removable PE sleeves.
- D. Cut sleeves to length for mounting flush with both surfaces unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Install sleeves in new partitions, slabs, and walls as they are built.

- F. For interior wall penetrations, seal annular space between sleeve and pipe or pipe insulation using joint sealants appropriate for size, depth, and location of joint. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Joint Sealants" for joint sealants.
- G. For exterior wall penetrations above grade, seal annular space between sleeve and pipe using joint sealants appropriate for size, depth, and location of joint. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Joint Sealants" for joint sealants.
- H. For exterior wall penetrations below grade, seal annular space between sleeve and pipe using sleeve seals specified in this Section.
- I. Seal space outside of sleeves in concrete slabs and walls with grout.
- J. Install sleeves that are large enough to provide 1/4-inch annular clear space between sleeve and pipe or pipe insulation unless otherwise indicated.
- K. Install sleeve materials according to the following applications:
  - 1. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Concrete Floor Slabs: Molded PE, Molded PVC or Steel pipe.
  - 2. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Concrete Floor Slabs of Mechanical Equipment Areas or Other Wet Areas: Steel pipe.
    - a. Extend sleeves 2 inches above finished floor level.
    - b. For pipes penetrating floors with membrane waterproofing, extend cast-iron sleeve fittings below floor slab as required to secure clamping ring if ring is specified. Secure flashing between clamping flanges. Install section of cast-iron soil pipe to extend sleeve to 2 inches above finished floor level. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim" for flashing.
  - 3. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Gypsum-Board Partitions:
    - a. Steel pipe sleeves for pipes smaller than NPS 6.
    - b. Galvanized-steel sheet sleeves for pipes NPS 6 and larger.
    - c. Exception: Sleeves are not required for water supply tubes and waste pipes for individual plumbing fixtures if escutcheons will cover openings.
  - 4. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Concrete Roof Slabs: Molded PE, Molded PVC or Steel pipe.
  - 5. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Exterior Concrete Walls:
    - a. Steel pipe sleeves for pipes smaller than NPS 6.
    - b. Cast-iron wall pipe sleeves for pipes NPS 6 and larger.
    - c. Install sleeves that are large enough to provide 1-inch annular clear space between sleeve and pipe or pipe insulation when sleeve seals are used.
    - d. Do not use sleeves when wall penetration systems are used.
  - 6. Sleeves for Piping Passing through Interior Concrete Walls:
    - a. Steel pipe sleeves for pipes smaller than NPS 6.
    - b. Galvanized-steel sheet sleeves for pipes NPS 6 and larger.
- L. Fire-Barrier Penetrations: Maintain indicated fire rating of walls, partitions, ceilings, and floors at pipe penetrations. Seal pipe penetrations with firestop materials. Comply with requirements in Division 07 Section "Penetration Firestopping" for firestop materials and installations.

## 3.12 SLEEVE SEAL INSTALLATION

- A. Install sleeve seals in sleeves in exterior concrete walls at water-service piping entries into building.
- B. Select type and number of sealing elements required for pipe material and size. Position pipe in center of sleeve. Assemble sleeve seal components and install in annular space between pipe and sleeve. Tighten bolts against pressure plates that cause sealing elements to expand and make watertight seal.

#### 3.13 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify system components. Comply with requirements in Division 22 Section "Identification for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for identification materials and installation.
- B. Label pressure piping with system operating pressure.

### 3.14 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Piping Inspections:
  - 1. Do not enclose, cover, or put piping into operation until it has been inspected and approved by authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 2. During installation, notify authorities having jurisdiction at least one day before inspection must be made. Perform tests specified below in presence of authorities having jurisdiction:
    - a. Roughing-in Inspection: Arrange for inspection of piping before concealing or closing-in after roughing-in and before setting fixtures.
    - b. Final Inspection: Arrange final inspection for authorities having jurisdiction to observe tests specified below and to ensure compliance with requirements.
  - 3. Reinspection: If authorities having jurisdiction find that piping will not pass tests or inspections, make required corrections and arrange for reinspection.
  - 4. Reports: Prepare inspection reports and have them signed by authorities having jurisdiction.

# C. Piping Tests:

- 1. Fill domestic water piping. Check components to determine that they are not air bound and that piping is full of water.
- 2. Test for leaks and defects in new piping and parts of existing piping that have been altered, extended, or repaired. If testing is performed in segments, submit a separate report for each test, complete with diagram of portion of piping tested.
- 3. Leave new, altered, extended, or replaced domestic water piping uncovered and unconcealed until it has been tested and approved. Expose work that was covered or concealed before it was tested.
- 4. Cap and subject piping to static water pressure of 50 psig above operating pressure, without exceeding pressure rating of piping system materials. Isolate test source and allow to stand for four hours. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects that must be repaired.

- 5. Repair leaks and defects with new materials and retest piping or portion thereof until satisfactory results are obtained.
- 6. Prepare reports for tests and for corrective action required.
- D. Domestic water piping will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

## 3.15 ADJUSTING

- A. Perform the following adjustments before operation:
  - 1. Close drain valves, hydrants, and hose bibbs.
  - 2. Open shutoff valves to fully open position.
  - 3. Open throttling valves to proper setting.
  - 4. Adjust balancing valves in hot-water-circulation return piping to provide adequate flow.
    - a. Manually adjust ball-type balancing valves in hot-water-circulation return piping to provide flow of hot water in each branch.
    - b. Adjust calibrated balancing valves to flows indicated.
  - 5. Remove plugs used during testing of piping and for temporary sealing of piping during installation.
  - 6. Remove and clean strainer screens. Close drain valves and replace drain plugs.
  - 7. Remove filter cartridges from housings and verify that cartridges are as specified for application where used and are clean and ready for use.
  - 8. Check plumbing specialties and verify proper settings, adjustments, and operation.

### 3.16 CLEANING

- A. Clean and disinfect potable and non-potable domestic water piping as follows:
  - 1. Purge new piping and parts of existing piping that have been altered, extended, or repaired before using.
  - 2. Use purging and disinfecting procedures prescribed by authorities having jurisdiction; if methods are not prescribed, use procedures described in either AWWA C651 or AWWA C652 or follow procedures described below:
    - a. Flush piping system with clean, potable water until dirty water does not appear at outlets.
    - b. Fill and isolate system according to either of the following:
      - 1) Fill system or part thereof with water/chlorine solution with at least 50 ppm of chlorine. Isolate with valves and allow to stand for 24 hours.
      - 2) Fill system or part thereof with water/chlorine solution with at least 200 ppm of chlorine. Isolate and allow to stand for three hours.
    - c. Flush system with clean, potable water until no chlorine is in water coming from system after the standing time.
    - d. Submit water samples in sterile bottles to authorities having jurisdiction. Repeat procedures if biological examination shows contamination.
- B. Clean non-potable domestic water piping as follows:

- 1. Purge new piping and parts of existing piping that have been altered, extended, or repaired before using.
- 2. Use purging procedures prescribed by authorities having jurisdiction or; if methods are not prescribed, follow procedures described below:
  - a. Flush piping system with clean, potable water until dirty water does not appear at outlets.
  - b. Submit water samples in sterile bottles to authorities having jurisdiction. Repeat procedures if biological examination shows contamination.
- C. Prepare and submit reports of purging and disinfecting activities.
- D. Clean interior of domestic water piping system. Remove dirt and debris as work progresses.

## 3.17 PIPING SCHEDULE

- A. Transition and special fittings with pressure ratings at least equal to piping rating may be used in applications below unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Flanges and unions may be used for aboveground piping joints unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Fitting Option: Extruded-tee connections and brazed joints may be used on aboveground copper tubing.
- D. Under-building-slab, domestic water, building service piping, NPS 3 and smaller, shall be the following:
  - 1. Soft copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type K; [wrought-copper solder-joint fittings; and brazed joints.
- E. Under-building-slab, domestic water, building-service piping, NPS 4 to NPS 8 and larger, shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Soft copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type K; wrought-copper solder-joint fittings; and brazed joints.
  - 2. Mechanical-joint, ductile-iron pipe; standard- or compact- pattern mechanical-joint fittings; and mechanical joints.
  - 3. Push-on-joint, ductile-iron pipe; standard- or compact- pattern push-on-joint fittings; and gasketed joints.
- F. Under-building-slab, domestic water piping, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be the following:
  - 1. Soft copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type K; wrought-copper solder-joint fittings; and brazed joints.
- G. Aboveground domestic water piping, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; cast- or wrought- copper solder-joint fittings; and soldered joints.
- H. Aboveground domestic water piping, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4, shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; cast- or wrought- copper solder-joint fittings; and soldered joints.

- 2. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; grooved-joint copper-tube appurtenances; and grooved joints.
- I. Aboveground domestic water piping, NPS 5 and Larger shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; cast- or wrought- copper solder-joint fittings; and soldered joints.
  - 2. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; grooved-joint copper-tube appurtenances; and grooved joints.

## 3.18 VALVE SCHEDULE

- A. Drawings indicate valve types to be used. Where specific valve types are not indicated, the following requirements apply:
  - 1. Shutoff Duty: Use ball valves for piping NPS 2 and smaller. Use butterfly, ball, or gate valves with flanged ends for piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
  - 2. Throttling Duty: Use ball or globe valves for piping NPS 2 and smaller. Use butterfly or ball valves with flanged ends for piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
  - 3. Hot-Water Circulation Piping, Balancing Duty: Calibrated balancing valves.
  - 4. Drain Duty: Hose-end drain valves.
- B. Use check valves to maintain correct direction of domestic water flow to and from equipment.
- C. Iron grooved-end valves may be used with grooved-end piping.

**END OF SECTION** 

### **SECTION 22 1119**

### **DOMESTIC WATER PIPING 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

- A. This Section includes the following domestic water piping specialties:
  - 1. Drain valves.
  - 2. Water hammer arresters.
  - 3. Trap-seal primer valves.
  - 4. Trap-seal primer systems.

## 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Minimum Working Pressure for Domestic Water Piping Specialties: 125 psig, unless otherwise indicated.

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Shop Drawings: Diagram power, signal, and control wiring.
- C. Field quality-control test reports.
- D. Operation and Maintenance Data: For domestic water piping specialties to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. 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 intended use.
- B. NSF Compliance:
  - 1. Comply with NSF 14, "Plastics Piping Components and Related Materials," for plastic domestic water piping components.

Comply with NSF 61, "Drinking Water System Components - Health Effects; Sections 1 through 9."

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 BALANCING VALVES

- A. Copper-Alloy Calibrated Balancing Valves:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Armstrong International, Inc.
    - b. Flo Fab Inc.
    - c. ITT Industries; Bell & Gossett Div.
    - d. NIBCO INC.
    - e. TAC Americas.
    - f. Taco, Inc.
    - g. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
  - 2. Type: Ball or Y-pattern globe valve with two readout ports and memory setting indicator.
  - 3. Body: bronze,
  - 4. Size: Same as connected piping, but not larger than NPS 2.
  - 5. Accessories: Meter hoses, fittings, valves, differential pressure meter, and carrying case.
- B. Cast-Iron Calibrated Balancing Valves:
  - Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Armstrong International, Inc.
    - b. Flo Fab Inc.
    - c. ITT Industries; Bell & Gossett Div.
    - d. NIBCO INC.
    - e. TAC Americas.
    - f. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
  - 2. Type: Adjustable with Y-pattern globe valve, two readout ports, and memory-setting indicator.
  - 3. Size: Same as connected piping, but not smaller than NPS 2-1/2.
- C. Accessories: Meter hoses, fittings, valves, differential pressure meter, and carrying case.

### 2.2 STRAINERS FOR DOMESTIC WATER PIPING

- A. Y-Pattern Strainers:
  - 1. Pressure Rating: 125 psig minimum, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Body: Bronze for NPS 2 and smaller; cast iron with interior lining complying with AWWA C550 or FDA-approved, epoxy coating and for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
  - 3. End Connections: Threaded for NPS 2 and smaller; flanged for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
  - 4. Screen: Stainless steel with round perforations, unless otherwise indicated.

- 5. Perforation Size:
  - a. Strainers NPS 2 and Smaller: 0.020 inch.
  - b. Strainers NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: 0.045 inch.
  - c. Strainers NPS 5 and Larger: 0.10 inch.
- 6. Drain: Factory-installed, hose-end drain valve.

## 2.3 DRAIN VALVES

- A. Ball-Valve-Type, Hose-End Drain Valves:
  - 1. Standard: MSS SP-110 for standard-port, two-piece ball valves.
  - 2. Pressure Rating: 400-psig minimum CWP.
  - 3. Size: NPS 3/4.
  - 4. Body: Copper alloy.
  - 5. Ball: Chrome-plated brass.
  - 6. Seats and Seals: Replaceable.
  - 7. Handle: Vinyl-covered steel.
  - 8. Inlet: Threaded or solder joint.
  - 9. Outlet: Threaded, short nipple with garden-hose thread complying with ASME B1.20.7 and cap with brass chain.

# 2.4 TRAP-SEAL PRIMER VALVES

- A. Supply-Type, Trap-Seal Primer Valves:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. MIFAB, Inc.
    - b. PPP Inc.
    - c. Sioux Chief Manufacturing Company, Inc.
    - d. Smith, Jay R. Mfg. Co.; Division of Smith Industries, Inc.
    - e. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
  - 2. Standard: ASSE 1018.
  - 3. Pressure Rating: 125 psig minimum.
  - 4. Body: Bronze.
  - 5. Inlet and Outlet Connections: NPS 1/2 threaded, union, or solder joint.
  - 6. Gravity Drain Outlet Connection: NPS 1/2 threaded or solder joint.
  - 7. Finish: Chrome plated, or rough bronze for units used with pipe or tube that is not chrome finished.
- B. Drainage-Type, Trap-Seal Primer Valves:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Smith, Jay R. Mfg. Co.; Division of Smith Industries, Inc.
  - 2. Standard: ASSE 1044, lavatory P-trap with NPS 3/8 minimum, trap makeup connection.
  - 3. Size: NPS 1-1/4 minimum.

4. Material: Chrome-plated, cast brass.

## 2.5 TRAP-SEAL PRIMER SYSTEMS

- A. Trap-Seal Primer:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. PPP Inc.
  - 2. Standard: ASSE 1044,
  - 3. Piping: NPS 3/4, ASTM B 88, Type L; copper, water tubing.
  - 4. Cabinet: Surface-mounting steel box with stainless-steel cover.
  - 5. Electric Controls: 24-hour timer, solenoid valve, and manual switch for 120-V ac power.
  - 6. Vacuum Breaker: ASSE 1001.
  - 7. Number Outlets: Four, Six or Eight as indicated.
  - 8. Size Outlets: NPS 1/2.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Refer to Division 22 Section "Common Work Results for Plumbing" for piping joining materials, joint construction, and basic installation requirements.
- B. Install water hammer arresters in water piping according to PDI-WH 201.
- C. Install supply-type, trap-seal primer valves with outlet piping pitched down toward drain trap a minimum of 1 percent, and connect to floor-drain body, trap, or inlet fitting. Adjust valve for proper flow.
- D. Install drainage-type, trap-seal primer valves as lavatory trap with outlet piping pitched down toward drain trap a minimum of 1 percent, and connect to floor-drain body, trap, or inlet fitting.
- E. Install trap-seal primer systems with outlet piping pitched down toward drain trap a minimum of 1 percent, and connect to floor-drain body, trap, or inlet fitting. Adjust system for proper flow.

### 3.2 CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Division 22 Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping and specialties.
- B. Ground equipment according to Division 26 Section "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- C. Connect wiring according to Division 26 Section "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."

# 3.3 LABELING AND IDENTIFYING

A. Distinguish among multiple units, inform operator of operational requirements, indicate safety and emergency precautions, and warn of hazards and improper operations, in addition to identifying unit. Nameplates and signs are specified in Division 22 Section "Identification for Plumbing Piping and Equipment."

# 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and prepare test reports:
  - Test each backflow preventer according to authorities having jurisdiction and the device's reference standard.
- B. Remove and replace malfunctioning domestic water piping specialties and retest as specified above.

# 3.5 ADJUSTING

A. Set field-adjustable flow set points of balancing valves.

See 224000 for exact plumbing fixture types.

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## **SECTION 22 6314**

### **MEDICAL GAS PIPING**

#### 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. This Section includes piping and related specialties for the following medical gas systems:
  - 1. Oxygen piping, designated "oxygen," OX.
  - 2. Medical compressed-air piping, designated "medical air, MA.
  - 3. Nitrous-oxide piping, designated "nitrous oxide," NO or N2O.
  - 4. Nitrogen piping, designated "nitrogen," N or N2.
  - 5. Carbon-dioxide piping, designated "carbon dioxide" or CO2.
  - 6. Medical-surgical vacuum piping, designated "medical vacuum," V or MV.
  - 7. Waste anesthetic gas disposal piping, designated "evacuation," EV or EVAC.
- B. Contractor furnished products and services.
  - 1. All materials piping, fittings, hangers, labeling, etc. that are not owner-furnished required by contract documents NFPA 99, for a complete system.
- C. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 23 Section "Meters and Gages" for thermometers, pressure gages, and fittings.

## 1.3 SEISMIC REQUIREMENTS

- A. Seismic Performance: Plumbing equipment, hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to SEI/ASCE 7 and with the requirements specified in Section 220548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping and Equipment.
  - For components with a seismic importance factor of 1.0 the term "withstand" means "the system will remain in place without separation of any parts when subjected to the seismic forces specified."
  - 2. For components with a seismic importance factor of 1.5 the term "withstand" means "the system will remain in place without separation of any parts when subjected to the seismic forces specified and the system will be fully operational after the seismic event."
  - 3. For purposes of seismic design for this project, the importance factor shall be 1.5.

## 1.4 DEFINITIONS

A. PTFE: Polytetrafluoroethylene.

B. TFE: Tetrafluoroethylene.

### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Medical gas tubes & fittings
  - 2. Medical gas valves & valve boxes.
  - 3. Medical gas specialties.
  - 4. Medical gas manifolds.
  - 5. Medical gas service connection & pressure control panels
  - 6. Medical gas service units. Include integral service connections.
  - 7. Medical gas alarm system components.
  - 8. Cylinder wall racks and storage racks.
- B. Wiring diagrams for medical gas alarm systems and tanks. Differentiate between manufacturer-installed and field-installed wiring.
- C. Coordination Drawings: For medical gas systems, including relationship to other services that serve same work areas.
- D. Brazing Certificates: As required by ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section 1X, or AWS B2.2
- E. Product Certificates: Signed by manufacturer certifying that copper tubing complies with NFPA 99, Paragraph 4-3.1.2.7, "Piping Materials."
- F. Certificates of Shop Inspection and Data Report: As required by ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- G. Inspection and test reports specified in "Field Quality Control" Article in Part 3 of this Section.
- H. Certificates of inspections and tests from an independent testing agency specified in "Field Quality Control" Article in Part 3 of this Section.
- I. Operation & Maintenance Data: For specialties to include in the maintenance manuals specified in Division 1.
- J. Delegated-Design Submittal:
  - 1. Design calculations and detailed fabrication and assembly of pipe anchors and alignment guides, hangers and supports for multiple pipes, expansion joints and loops, and attachments of the same to the building structure.
  - 2. Locations of pipe anchors and alignment guides and expansion joints and loops.
  - 3. Locations of and details for penetrations, including sleeves and sleeve seals for exterior walls, floors, basement, and foundation walls.
  - 4. Seismic calculations and detailed analysis: Indicate fabrication and arrangement. Detail attachments of restraints to the restrained items and to the structure. Show attachment locations, methods, and spacings. Identify components, list their strengths, and indicate directions and values of forces transmitted to the structure during seismic events. Indicate association with vibration isolation devices. Project specific design documentation and calculations shall be prepared and stamped by a registered professional engineer who is responsible for the seismic restraint design and who is licensed in the state where the project is being constructed (ASCE 7, 13.2.1.1).

# 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Services: This Division will provide an independent testing agency to inspect, test, and certify medical gas piping and components, except for inspections and tests specified in "Field Quality Control" Article in Part 3 of this Section.
- B. Testing Agency Qualifications: Demonstrate to Architect's satisfaction, based on Architect's evaluation of criteria conforming to ASTM E 699 that the independent testing agency has the experience and capability to satisfactorily conduct the testing indicated without delaying the Work.
- C. Listing and Labeling: Provide electrically operated specialties specified in this Section that are listed and labeled.
  - 1. Terms "Listed" and "Labeled": As defined in National Electrical Code, Article 100.
  - 2. Listing and Labeling Agency Qualifications: A "Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory" as defined in OSHA Regulation 1910.7.
- D. Comply with NFPA 50, "Standard for Bulk Oxygen Systems at Consumer Sites."
- E. Comply with NFPA 70, "National Electrical Code."
- F. Comply with NFPA 99, "Health Care Facilities."
- G. Comply with UL 498, "Attachment Plugs and Receptacles."
- H. Comply with UL 544, "Medical and Dental Equipment."

# 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver and store large medical gas specialties on factory-installed shipping skids, small specialties in factory-fabricated fiberboard containers, and piping with sealing plugs in ends or with other end protection.
  - 1. Store pre-cleaned and sealed medical gas pipe, fittings, valves, and specialties with sealing plugs and sealing packaging intact.
  - 2. Label medical gas pipe, fittings, valves, and specialties that have not been pre-cleaned, or that have been pre-cleaned but have seal or packaging that is not intact, with temporary labels indicating that cleaning is required before installation.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Medical Gas Piping Specialties:
    - a. Allied Healthcare
    - b. Beacon Medaes

- 2. Medical Gas Alarm Systems:
  - a. Allied Healthcare
  - b. Beacon Medaes

#### 2.2 PIPE AND TUBES

- A. Pre-cleaned, Hard Copper Tube: ASTM B 819, Type K or Type L, seamless, drawn temper, factory cleaned, purged, and sealed for medical gas service. Include marking or labeling "CLEANED FOR MEDICAL GAS SERVICE," "CLEAN FOR OXYGEN SERVICE," "NITROGENIZED."
- B. Soft Copper Tube: ASTM B 88, Type K water tube, seamless, annealed temper. Tube may be factory cleaned, purged, and sealed for medical gas service according to ASTM B 819 or field cleaned, purged, and sealed as specified in "Preparation" Article in Part 3. Include marking or labeling "CLEANED FOR MEDICAL GAS SERVICE," "CLEAN FOR OXYGEN SERVICE," "NITROGENIZED."

# 2.3 PIPE AND TUBE FITTINGS

- A. Wrought-Copper Fittings: ASME B16.22, solder-joint, pressure type. Fittings may be factory cleaned, purged, and sealed for medical gas service according to ASTM B 819 or field cleaned, purged, and sealed as specified in "Preparation" Article in Part 3. Include marking or labeling "CLEANED FOR MEDICAL GAS SERVICE," "CLEAN FOR OXYGEN SERVICE," "NITROGENIZED."
- B. Bronze-Tube Flanges: ASME B16.24, Class 300.
- C. Flexible Connectors: Bronze or stainless-steel flexible pipe connectors as specified in Division 22 Section "Vibration Control."

## 2.4 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Refer to Division 23 Section "Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods" for joining materials not in this Section.
- B. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8, BCuP (copper-phosphorus) series alloys. Flux is prohibited, except when used with bronze fittings.
- C. Threaded-Joint Tape: PTFE plastic.
- D. Gasket Material: ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos free, and suitable for oxygen use.

#### 2.5 VALVES AND VALVE BOXES

- A. Ball Valves, 3-Inch NPS and Smaller: MSS SP-110, bronze-body, full-port valve rated for 300-psig working pressure, with chrome-plated brass ball, PTFE or TFE seals, blowout-proof stem, threaded or braze-joint ends. Provide locking type for valves not located in valve box and handle designed for quarter turn between open and closed positions.
  - 1. Include union-type body with bolted swing-away center section.

- 2. Include factory-cleaned, factory-sealed for oxygen use, and factory-installed, ASTM B 88, Type K or L, copper-tube extensions with pressure gage installed downstream from valve in pressure systems and upstream from valve in vacuum systems.
- B. Ball Valves, 4-Inch NPS and Larger: MSS SP-72, bronze- or iron-alloy body, full-port valve rated for 300-psig working pressure, with chrome-plated brass ball valve, PTFE or TFE seals, blowout-proof stem, flanged ends, and provide locking type for valves not located in a valve box, and handle designed for quarter turn between open and closed positions.
- C. Check Valves, 3-Inch NPS and Smaller: Bronze-body, straight-through pattern, spring-loaded ball check valve, designed for 300-psig minimum working pressure.
- D. Check Valves, 4-Inch NPS and Larger: MSS SP-71, Class 250, iron-body, bronze-trim, swing check valve, with flanged ends.
- E. Safety Valves: Bronze body with settings to match system requirements.
  - 1. Pressure Safety Valves: ASME construction.
  - 2. Vacuum Relief Valves: Equipment manufacturer's option.
- F. Pressure Regulators: Brass or bronze body and trim; spring-loaded, diaphragm-operated, relieving type; manual pressure-setting adjustment; rated for 250-psig minimum inlet pressure; and capable of controlling delivered air pressure within 0.5 psig for each 10-psig inlet pressure.
- G. Automatic Drain Valves: Corrosion-resistant metal body and internal parts, 200-psig minimum working-pressure rating, capable of automatic discharge of collected condensate.
- H. Zone Valve Boxes: Minimum 0.048-inch- thick steel, valve boxes for recessed mounting, with holes for medical gas piping and anchors. Include for single- or multiple-valve (with pressure gage) installation and in sizes to permit manual operation of valves.
  - 1. Interior Finish: Factory-applied white enamel.
  - 2. Cover Plate: Minimum 0.08-inch- thick aluminum or extruded-anodized aluminum with frangible or removable windows.
  - 3. Valve-Box Windows: Clear or tinted transparent plastic with labeling, including space for rooms served, according to NFPA 99.

## 2.6 MEDICAL GAS PIPING SPECIALTIES

- A. General: Provide the following medical gas piping specialties by same manufacturer:
- B. Emergency Oxygen Connection: Low-pressure gaseous-oxygen inlet assembly, consisting of weatherproof enclosure with hinged locking cover, suitable for recessed mounting, with factory-installed 1- or 1-1/4-inch NPS plugged inlet, pressure gage, and minimum 1-inch NPS ball valve, for connection to oxygen system. Include brass-body safety valve, set at 75 or 80 psig, which may be installed in enclosure or be separate for installation in oxygen piping system. Label enclosure cover "Emergency Low-Pressure Gaseous Oxygen Inlet." Comply with NFPA 99.
- C. Medical Gas Manifolds: Comply with NFPA 99, Chapter 4, "Cylinder Systems without Reserve Supply," with the following features:
  - 1. Central Control Panel Unit: Weatherproof cabinet, supply and delivery pressure gages, electrical alarm system connections and transformer, indicator lights or devices, manifold

- connection, pressure changeover switch, line-pressure regulator, shutoff valves, and safety valve.
- 2. Manifold and Headers: Duplex, nonferrous metal header for number of cylinders indicated on plans, divided into 2 equal banks or as noted two equal banks \_\_ x \_\_. Units include design for 2000-psig minimum inlet pressure, except nitrous-oxide manifolds may be designed for 800 psig and carbon-dioxide manifolds may be designed for 1500 psig. Include cylinder bank headers with flexible braided stainless steel inlet (pigtail) connections complying with CGA V-1, individual inlet check valves, shutoff valve, pressure regulator, check valve, and pressure gage.
- 3. Operation: Automatic, pressure-switch-activated changeover from one cylinder bank to other cylinder bank when first bank becomes exhausted, without line-pressure fluctuation or resetting of regulators, and without supply interruption by shutoff of either cylinder bank header.
- 4. Mounting: Wall mounting, complete with mounting brackets for manifold control cabinet and headers.
- 5. Mounting: Floor mounting, complete with support legs for manifold control cabinet.
- 6. Label manifold control unit with permanent label identifying medical gas type and system operating pressure.
- 7. Nitrous-Oxide Manifolds: 2000 cu. ft./h at 55-psig line pressure with electric heater or orifice design that will prevent freezing during high demand.
- 8. Nitrogen Manifolds: 3000 cu. ft./h at 180-psig line pressure.
- 9. Carbon-Dioxide Manifolds: 500 cu. ft./h at 55-psig line pressure.
- 10. High-Pressure Air Manifolds: 3000 cu. ft./h at 180-psig line pressure.
- D. Service Outlets (wall type): Gas specific for services listed with roughing-in and finishing assemblies. Include the following:
  - 1. Roughing-in Assembly: Include the following:
    - a. Steel outlet box or mounting plate.
    - b. Brass-body outlet block with secondary check valve that will prevent gas flow when primary valve is removed.
    - c. Double seals that will prevent gas leakage.
    - d. ASTM B 88, Type K, 3/8-inch NPS copper inlet or outlet tube brazed to valve with gas-service marking and tube-end dust cap.
  - 2. Finishing Assembly: Include the following:
    - a. Brass housing with primary check valve.
    - b. Double seals that will prevent gas leakage.
    - c. Cover plate with gas-service label.
  - 3. Quick-Connect Coupling: Indexing to prevent interchange between services, constructed to permit one-handed connection and removal of equipment, and with positive-locking that retains equipment stem in valve during use. Outlets to be Chemetron quick connect faceplate style. All new outlets to MATCH EXISTING HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT WITHOUT THE USE OF ADAPTERS.
  - 4. DISS-Type Coupling: CGA V-5, DISS-threaded indexing to prevent interchange between services; constructed to permit one-handed connection and removal of equipment.
    - a. Oxygen Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1240.
    - b. Medical Air Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1160.
    - c. Medical Vacuum Inlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1220.
    - d. Nitrous-Oxide Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1040.
    - e. Nitrogen Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1120.

- f. Evacuation Inlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 2220.
- g. Carbon-Dioxide Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1080.
- h. High-Pressure Air Outlets: CGA V-5, DISS No. 1160.
- 5. Wall Outlet Cover Plates: One-piece metal, with chrome-plated finish and permanent, color-coded, medical gas identifying label matching corresponding outlets.
- 6. Vacuum Bottle-Slide Brackets: Bottle-slide and mounting assembly matching pattern of vacuum outlet. Include one slide bracket for each wall-mounted vacuum inlet, except where no slide bracket requirement is indicated or for ceiling outlets.
- E. Outlet Cover Plates: One-piece stainless steel, with NAAMM AMP 503, No. 4 finish and permanent identifying label.
- F. Outlet Cover Plates: One-piece metal, with chrome-plated finish and permanent identifying label.
- G. Outlet Cover Plates: One-piece anodized aluminum, with permanent identifying label.
- H. Service Hose Assemblies (ceiling type): Color coded, conductive, neoprene, 1/4- or 5/16-inch ID, lengths as required for finished ceiling height, and with indexed or DISS-type end-connection fittings suitable for medical gas service indicated.
  - 1. All gases except Nitrogen, Hose Assemblies: length as required for height of ceiling with 18" of pull down loop, with quick-connect fittings, valve on one end and DISS connection at the ceiling.
  - 2. Nitrogen Hose Assemblies: length as required for height of ceiling, with nitrogen CGA V-5, DISS No. 1120 fittings, nut on ceiling end and female Schrader outlet on other end.
  - 3. All gases: provide single or double key chain retractor as required for retraction of pull down loop.
- I. Pressure Control Panels: Steel box and steel support brackets for recessed roughing-in. Include stainless-steel or anodized-aluminum cover plate with printed operating instructions. Include control panels with manifold assembly consisting of inlet supply valve, inlet supply pressure gage, line-pressure control regulator, outlet supply pressure gage, DISS service outlet, and piping outlet for remote service outlet.
  - 1. Minimum Working Pressure: 180 psig.
  - 2. Line-Pressure Control Regulator: Self-relieving, diaphragm type, and with precision manual adjustment.
  - 3. Pressure Gages: 0- to 300-psig range.
  - 4. Provide temporary dust shield and U-tube for testing for use before final assembly.
  - Nitrogen Control Panels: Label cover plate "Nitrogen Pressure Control." Include CGA V-5, DISS No. 1120 nitrogen service outlet or Schrader female outlet as required by owners.
  - 6. Air Control Panels: Label cover plate "Air Pressure Control." Include CGA V-5, DISS No. 1160 air service outlet or Schrader female outlet as required by owners.

## 2.7 MEDICAL GAS ALARM SYSTEMS

A. Description: Compatible alarm panels, remote sensing devices, and other related components where indicated and where required by NFPA 99. Power wiring is specified in Division 16 Sections. Panel wiring is by Division 15, Automatic Temperature Controls.

- B. Components: Designed for continuous service and to operate on power supplied from 120-V, ac power source to alarm panels and with connections for 24- or 12-V, ac low-voltage wiring to remote sensing devices. Include step-down transformers if required.
- C. Dew-Point Monitors: Continuous line monitoring, having panel with gage or digital display, pipeline sensing element, electrical connections for alarm system, factory- or field-installed valved bypass, and visual and cancelable audio signal for dryer site and master alarm panels. Operate alarm when pressure dew point rises above 39 deg F at 55 psig.
  - 1. Operation: Chilled-mirror method.
  - 2. Operation: Hygrometer moisture analyzer with sensor probe.
- D. Pressure and Vacuum Switches or Pressure Transducer Sensors: Continuous line monitoring with electrical connections for alarm system.
  - 1. Low-Pressure Switches: 0- to 100-psig operating range.
  - 2. High-Pressure Switches: Up to 250-psig operating range.
  - 3. Vacuum Switches: 0- to 30-in. Hg range.
- E. Carbon-Monoxide Monitors: Panel with gage or digital display, pipeline sensing element, electrical connections for alarm system, and factory- or field-installed valved bypass. Operate alarm when carbon-monoxide level rises above 10 ppm.
- F. Alarm Panels: Factory wired with audible and color-coded visible signals to indicate specified functions.
  - 1. Mounting: Recessed installation.
  - 2. Enclosures: Fabricated from minimum 0.047-inch- thick steel or minimum 0.05-inch- thick aluminum, and with knockouts for electrical and piping connections.
- G. Special Features: In addition to manufacturer's standard features, include the following:
  - 1. Master Alarm Panels: Provide (2) master alarm panels at two separate locations as indicated, each with dedicated wiring from source sensors as per NFPA 99. Each with separate trouble alarm signals, pressure (vacuum) gages, and indicators for oxygen, medical air, medical vacuum, nitrous oxide, nitrogen, evacuation, carbon dioxide, high-pressure air, laboratory air, and laboratory vacuum. Include signal alarms at master alarm panels to meet applicable codes and when the following conditions exist:
    - a. Oxygen: Main liquid level is low, pressure downstream from main shutoff valve drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig, reserve is in use, reserve level is low, and reserve pressure is low.
    - b. Medical Air: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig, dew point rises above 39 deg F at 55 psig, carbon-monoxide level rises above 10 ppm, and fault from air compressor local alarm.
    - c. Medical Vacuum: Vacuum drops below 12 in. Hg and back-up vacuum pump is in operation (fault from local alarm).
    - d. Nitrous Oxide: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig, and changeover is made to alternate bank.
    - e. Nitrogen: Pressure drops below 160 psig or rises above 200 psig, and changeover is made to alternate bank.
    - f. Evacuation: Vacuum drops below 12 in. Hg.
    - g. Carbon Dioxide: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig, and changeover is made to alternate bank.

- 2. Area Alarm Panels: Separate trouble alarm signals; pressure and vacuum gages; and indicators for gases served oxygen, medical air, and medical vacuum.
- 3. Anesthetizing-Area Alarm Panels: Separate trouble alarm signals; pressure and vacuum gages; and indicators for oxygen, medical air, medical vacuum, nitrous oxide, nitrogen, evacuation, carbon dioxide, and high-pressure air.
- 4. Signal alarms at area alarm panels and at anesthetizing-area alarm panels when the following conditions exist:
  - a. Oxygen: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig.
  - b. Medical Air: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig.
  - c. Medical Vacuum: Vacuum drops below 12 in. Hg.
  - d. Nitrous Oxide: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig.
  - e. Nitrogen: Pressure drops below 160 psig or rises above 200 psig.
  - f. Evacuation: Vacuum drops below 12 in. Hg.
  - g. Carbon Dioxide: Pressure drops below 40 psig or rises above 60 psig.
  - h. High-Pressure Air: Pressure drops below 160 psig or rises above 200 psig.

## 2.8 CYLINDER WALL AND STORAGE RACKS

A. Medical Gas Cylinder Wall Racks: provide manufactured wall racks.

# 2.9 IDENTIFICATION

A. Refer to Division 23 Section "Mechanical Identification" for piping, valves, gages, alarms, accessories, and labels for bulk storage tanks.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. General: Where factory-precleaned and -capped piping is not available, or when precleaned piping must be recleaned because of exposure, perform the following procedures:
  - 1. Clean medical gas pipe and pipe fittings, valves, gages, and other components of oil, grease, and other readily oxidizable materials as required for oxygen service, according to CGA G-4.1, "Cleaning Equipment for Oxygen Service."
  - Wash medical gas piping and components in hot, alkaline cleaner-water solution of sodium carbonate or trisodium phosphate in proportion of 1 lb of chemical to 3 gal. of water.
    - a. Scrub to ensure complete cleaning.
    - b. Rinse with clean, hot water after washing to remove cleaning solution.

#### 3.2 CONCRETE BASES

- A. Construct concrete bases of dimensions indicated, but not less than 6 inches larger in both directions than supported unit and not less than 4 inches high.
- B. Refer to Division 3 Section "Cast-in-Place Concrete" for reinforcement, framing, and concrete materials for 4000-psig, 28-day compressive strength.

## 3.3 PIPING APPLICATIONS

- A. General: Refer to Part 2 of this Section for the following materials:
  - 1. Interior and Medical Gas Piping: Use precleaned, hard copper tube with wrought-copper fittings and brazed joints.
  - 2. Exterior, Buried Medical Gas Piping: Use soft copper tube with wrought-copper fittings and brazed joints.
  - 3. Underground, Protective Conduit: Use Schedule 80 PVC plastic pipe, Schedule 80 PVC plastic threaded pipe fittings, and threaded joints; or Schedule 80 PVC plastic socket-type pipe fittings, and solvent cement joints.

#### 3.4 SERVICE ENTRANCES

- A. Extend piping and connect to bulk storage tanks and exterior manifolds, of sizes and in locations indicated for service entrances to building.
- B. Install sleeve and mechanical sleeve seal at penetrations through foundation wall for watertight installation.

# 3.5 PIPING INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Refer to Division 23 Section "Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods" for basic piping installation.
- B. Install supports and anchors according to Division 23 Section "Hangers and Supports."
  - 1. Spacing between Hangers: As described in NFPA 99 and NFPA 99C.
- C. Comply with SEI/ASCE 7 and with requirements for seismic-restraint devices in Section 220548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping and Equipment."
- D. Install emergency oxygen connection assembly with pressure relief valve and full-size discharge piping to outside, with check valve downstream from pressure relief valve, and with ball valve and check valve in supply main from bulk oxygen storage tank.
- E. Valve Applications: Use ball valves specified in this Section for main shutoff and zone valve duties.
- F. Install zone valves in valve box anchored to structure. Install valves at angle that prevents closure of cover when valve is in closed position. Single boxes may be used for multiple valves that serve same area or function.
- G. Install thermometers and pressure gages according to Division 15 Section "Meters and Gages."
- H. Install exterior, buried medical gas piping in protective conduit fabricated with PVC pipe and fittings. Do not extend conduit through foundation wall. Provide sand bedding 6" all around and metallic warming tape 18" above pipe. Bury pipe at 36" depth.
- I. Purging: Purge medical gas piping using oil-free, dry nitrogen during brazing and after installing piping but before connecting to service-outlet valves, alarms, and gages.

## 3.6 JOINT CONSTRUCTION

A. Refer to Division 23 Section "Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods" for basic piping joint construction.

#### 3.7 SPECIALTIES INSTALLATION

- A. Install specialties according to NFPA 99 and manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Install manifolds firmly anchored to substrate and with seismic controls as indicated.
- C. Connect to ceiling-mounting service units firmly anchored to substrate according to manufacturer's written instructions.

#### 3.8 MEDICAL GAS ALARM SYSTEM INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install alarm system components according to NFPA 99 and manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Install alarm panels in locations indicated.

#### 3.9 CONNECTIONS

- A. Install piping next to equipment to allow service and maintenance.
- B. Connect medical gas piping to bulk storage tanks with unions. Install with ball valves and strainers where required.
- C. Connect medical gas piping to equipment, gas manifolds, and accessories with unions. Install with ball valves and strainers.
  - 1. Install flexible pipe connectors on air piping connections to air compressors, vacuum piping connections to vacuum units, and where indicated.
  - 2. Install thermometers on air-compressor discharge piping, air receiver tanks, vacuum receiver tanks, and where indicated.
  - 3. Install pressure gages on air-compressor discharge piping, air receiver tanks, vacuum receiver tanks, and where indicated.
  - 4. Install pressure regulators downstream from air compressors, dryers, purification units, and filter assemblies.
- D. Install medical gas piping and electrical connections to medical gas alarm system components.
- E. Arrange for electric-power connections to specialties and devices that require power. Electric power, wiring, and disconnect switches are specified in Division 26 Sections.

## 3.10 LABELING AND IDENTIFICATION

 Install labeling on valves, valve-box covers, and alarm panels according to requirements of NFPA 99.

- B. Refer to Division 23 Section "Mechanical Identification" for labeling and identification materials.
- C. Captions and Color Coding: Use the following or similar medical gas captions and color coding for specialties, when specified and where required by NFPA 99:
  - 1. Oxygen: White letters on green background.
  - 2. Medical Air: Black or white letters on yellow background.
  - 3. Medical Vacuum: Black letters on white background.
  - 4. Nitrous Oxide: White letters on blue background.
  - 5. Nitrogen: White letters on black background.
  - 6. Evacuation: Black letters on white background or white letters on purple background.
  - 7. Carbon Dioxide: White letters on gray background.
- D. Label medical gas systems operating at other than standard pressure with system operating pressure.
- E. Install continuous metallic underground warning tape during backfilling of trench for underground medical gas piping.
- F. Refer to Division 2 Section "Earthwork" for warning tapes.

# 3.11 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Pressure Test: Subject each piping section of each system, except high-pressure air and nitrogen, to test pressure of from 150 to 200 psig and high-pressure air and nitrogen systems to test pressure of 250 psig with oil-free, dry nitrogen before attaching system components, after installing station outlets with test caps (when supplied) in place, and before concealing piping system. Maintain test until joints are examined for leaks by means of soapy water.
- B. Standing-Pressure Test: Install assembled system components after testing individual systems as specified above. Subject systems to 24-hour standing-pressure test at 20 percent above normal line pressure, but not less than 66 psig. Subject vacuum and evacuation systems to 12- to 18-in. Hg minimum vacuum instead of pressure test.
- C. Repair leaks, replace damaged components with new materials, and retest system until satisfactory results are obtained.
- D. Inspect, test, and certify complete medical gas systems according to requirements of NFPA 99, "Health Care Facilities." Inspect, test, and certify each medical gas system, including each piping system, outlets and inlets, accessories, alarm panels and devices, safety devices, medical gas sources, and equipment.
- E. Provide oil-free, dry nitrogen; materials; equipment; and labor required for testing.
- F. Provide medical gases required for testing systems.
- G. Prepare written reports of tests results, including corrective action.
- H. Certify that medical gas systems comply with requirements specified, that tests were properly performed, and that test results were satisfactory.
- I. Inspect outlets and inlets, gages, alarms, and zone valves for proper labeling for gas service and function.

- J. Inspect manifold supply systems for installation and operation as required by NFPA 99, Chapter 4, "Gas and Vacuum Systems."
- K. Inspect bulk oxygen supply systems for installation and operation as required by NFPA 50.
- L. Inspect bulk nitrous-oxide supply systems for installation and operation as required by CGA G-8.1.
- M. Phase I Tests: Perform the following tests using oil-free, dry nitrogen after installing gas systems but before connecting new systems to existing gas sources:
  - 1. Outlet and Inlet Cross-Connection Test: Pressurize one medical gas system to 50 psig, with other systems at atmospheric pressure, and access each outlet with appropriate adapter and test gage. Repeat procedure for each system.
  - 2. Outlet and Inlet Cross-Connection Test: Pressurize each system in 10-psig increments and access each outlet with appropriate adapter and test gage.
  - 3. Alarm System Test: Test for operation of functions specified in "Medical Gas Alarm Systems" Article within limits required.
  - 4. Pressure Test: Test systems at operational pressure with system components installed. No leaks are allowed. Conduct tests by zone.
  - 5. Particulate Sampling: Test positive-pressure terminal outlets, using 0.45-micron filter, for evidence of solid particulate contamination. Allowable limit is 2 mg/cu. m.
  - 6. Moisture: Test positive-pressure terminal outlets for dew point to verify absence of moisture in piping. Dew point of gas dispensed from terminal outlets shall not exceed dew point of source test gas by more than 4 deg F.
  - 7. System Purity: Test terminal outlets and gas source for contaminant levels as defined below. Excessive contaminant levels will require additional purging to outlets within specific zone until levels are within the following limits:
    - a. Total Hydrocarbons as Methane: One ppm.
    - b. Halogenated Hydrocarbons: 2 ppm.
    - c. Carbon Monoxide: 2 ppm.
  - 8. Air-Compressor Purity: Collect medical air-compressor air samples taken from downstream side of filters and air dryers. Test samples for contaminants and moisture within the following limits:
    - a. Total Hydrocarbons as Methane: 25 ppm.
    - b. Halogenated Hydrocarbons: 5 ppm.
    - c. Carbon Monoxide: 10 ppm.
    - d. Moisture, Dew Point: Plus 40 deg F at dryer discharge.
- N. Phase II Tests: After Phase I testing has been completed, test completed medical gas systems using applicable medical gas for each system. Completed systems have outlets and inlets, alarms, and gages installed; and gas supply systems are installed and ready for operation.
  - Final Purging: Introduce applicable medical gas for each system into respective piping systems. Purge installed outlet valves to remove nitrogen test gas present from Phase I testing. Test vacuum inlets for ability to flow.
  - Outflow Analysis: Analyze medical gas at positive-pressure outlets to confirm delivery of proper medical gas at proper concentration level. Minimum allowable concentration levels are defined by U.S. Pharmacopeia's USP-NF and the following CGA Commodity Specifications:
    - a. CGA G-4.3, "Commodity Specification for Oxygen."

- b. CGA G-6.2, "Commodity Specification for Carbon Dioxide."
- c. CGA G-7.1, "Commodity Specification for Air."
- d. CGA G-8.2, "Commodity Specification for Nitrous Oxide."
- e. CGA G-10.1, "Commodity Specification for Nitrogen."
- 3. System Delivery Pressures: Test pressure piping systems to confirm supply sources are set to deliver gas at the following nominal pressure levels:
  - a. All Systems, except Nitrogen and High-Pressure Air: 50 to 55 psig at maximum flow.
  - b. Nitrogen and High-Pressure Air: 180 psig minimum at maximum flow.
- 4. System Suction Levels: Test vacuum and evacuation piping systems to confirm that vacuum producers are set to maintain suction of not less than 12 in. Hg at most distant inlets.
- O. Testing Agency Certification: Certify that specified inspection, tests, and procedures have been performed and report results. Include the following:
  - 1. Inspections performed.
  - 2. Procedures, materials, and gases used.
  - 3. Test methods used.
  - 4. Results of tests.

## 3.12 COMMISSIONING

- A. Startup Services: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect alarm system installation and to provide startup service.
  - 1. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment discovered by service representative.
- B. Perform the following final checks before startup:
  - 1. Verify that specified tests of piping are complete.
  - 2. Check safety valves for correct settings. Ensure settings are greater than air-compressor discharge pressure, but not greater than rating of system components.

## 3.13 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Startup Services: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to demonstrate procedures for alarm system startup and shutdown, preventive maintenance and servicing, and troubleshooting. Review operating and maintenance information.
- B. Provide written notice 7 days in advance of demonstration.

# **END OF SECTION**

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#### **SECTION 23 0100**

#### **MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 GENERAL CONDITIONS

- A. The General Conditions of the Contract, with the amendments, supplements, forms and requirements in Division 1, and herewith made a part of this Division.
- B. All sections of Division 21, 22, & 23 shall comply with the Mechanical General Requirements. The standards established in this section as to quality of materials and equipment, the type and quality of workmanship, mode of operations, safety rules, code requirements, etc., shall apply to all sections of this Division as though they were repeated in each Division.

## 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

A. The project described herein is the Ogden Regional Medical Center MRI Replacement and Remodel. This work shall include all labor, materials, equipment, fixtures, and devices for the entire mechanical work and a complete operating and tested installation as required for this project.

# 1.3 CODES & ORDINANCES

- A. All work shall be executed in accordance with all underwriters, public utilities, local and state rules and regulations applicable to the trade affected. Should any change in the plans and Specifications be required to comply with these regulations, the Contractor shall notify the Architect before the time of submitting his bid. After entering into contract, the Contractor will be held to complete all work necessary to meet these requirements without extra expense to the Owner. Where work required by drawings or specifications is above the standard required, it shall be done as shown or specified.
- B. Applicable current codes:

Latest Edition International Building code International Mechanical Code International Plumbing Code International Fire Code

#### 1.4 INDUSTRY STANDARDS

- A. All work shall comply with the following standards.
  - 1. Associated Air Balance council (AABC)
  - 2. Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute (ARI)
  - 3. Air Diffusion council (ADC)
  - 4. Air Movement and Control Association (AMCA)
  - 5. American Gas Association (AGA)

- 6. American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
- 7. American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE)
- 8. American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)
- 9. American Society of Testing Materials (ASTM)
- 10. American Water Works Association (AWWA)
- 11. ETL Testing Laboratories (ETL)
- 12. Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)
- 13. Hydronics Institute (HI)
- 14. Manufacturers Standardization Society of the Valve and Fitting Industry (MSS)
- 15. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
- 16. National Electrical Code (NEC)
- 17. National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)
- 18. National Electrical Safety code (NESC)
- 19. Utah safety Standard (OSHA), Utah State Industrial Council.
- 20. Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractor=s National Association (SMACNA)
- 21. Underwriters Laboratories (UL)
- 22. Tubular Exchanger Manufacturers Association, Inc. (TEMA)
- 23. Heat Exchanger Institute (HEI)
- 24. Hydraulic Institute (HI)
- 25. Thermal Insulation Manufacturer=s Association (TIMA)
- 26. Scientific Apparatus Makers Association (SAMA)

#### B. Compliance Verification:

- 1. All items required by code or specified to conform to the ASME code shall be stamped with the ASME seal.
- 2. Form U-1, the manufacturer=s data report for pressure vessels, is to be included in the Operation and Maintenance Manuals. National Board Register (NBR) numbers shall be provided where required by code.
- 3. Manufactured equipment which is represented by a UL classification and/or listing, shall bear the UL or equivalent ETL label.

## 1.5 UTILITIES & FEES

A. All fees for permits required by this work will be paid by this division. The contractor shall obtain the necessary permits to perform this work. Unless noted otherwise, all systems furnished and or installed by this Contractor, shall be complete with all utilities, components, commodities and accessories required for a fully functioning system.

# 1.6 SUBMITTALS AND SHOP DRAWINGS

A. Submittals: As soon as possible after the contract is awarded, but in no case more than 45 calendar days thereafter, the Contractor shall submit to the Architect six (6) copies of the descriptive literature covering products and materials to be used in the installation of mechanical systems for this project. The review of the submitted data will require a minimum of 14 days. The first day starts after the day they are received in the engineers office to which the project is being constructed from. If the Contractors schedule requires return of submitted literature in less than the allotted time, the Contractor shall accelerate his submittal delivery date. The Contractor shall resubmit all items requiring re-review within 14 days of returned submittals. Refer to each specification section for items requiring submittal review. Written approval of the Owner's Representative shall be obtained before installing any such equipment or materials for the project. The submittals shall be prepared in an orderly manner, contained in a 3-ring loose-leaf binder with index and identification tabs each item or group of items and for each specification section. All items shall be submitted at one time except automatic temperature control drawings and seismic restraint drawings which may be submitted separately within 120 days of the contract

award date. Partial submittals will not be reviewed until the complete submittal is received.

Submitted literature shall bear the Contractor's stamp, indicating that he has checked all equipment being submitted; that each item will fit into the available space with the accesses shown on the drawings; and, further, that each item conforms to the capacity and quality standards given in the contract documents.

Submitted literature shall clearly indicate performance, quality, and utility requirements; shall show dimension and size of connection points; and shall include derating factors that were applied for each item of equipment to provide capacity at job site elevation. Temperature control submittals shall include piping and wiring diagrams, sequence of operation and equipment. Equipment must fit into the available space with allowance for operation, maintenance, etc. Factory piped and wired equipment shall include shop drawings for all internal wiring and piping furnished with the unit.

Submitted literature shall clearly show all required field install wiring, piping, and accessory installations required by the Contractor to provide a complete operating system.

Review by the Owner's Representative is for general conformance of the submitted equipment to the project specification. In no way does such review relieve this Contractor of his obligation to furnish equipment and materials that comply in detail to the specification nor does it relieve the Contractor of his obligation to determine actual field dimensions and conditions that may affect his work. Regardless of any items overlooked by the submittal review, the requirements of the contract drawings and specifications must be followed and are not waived or superseded in any way by the review.

By description, catalog number, and manufacturer's names, standards of quality have been established by the Architect and the Engineer for certain manufactured equipment items and specialties that are to be furnished by this Division. Alternate products and equipment may be proposed for use only if specifically named in the specifications or if given written prior approval in published addenda. Design equipment is the equipment listed on the drawings or if not listed on the drawings is the equipment first named in the specifications.

If the Engineer is required to do additional design work to incorporate changes caused by submitting equipment or products, different than the design equipment specified, as defined above, the contractor shall reimburse the engineer for additional time and expenses at the engineer's current, recognized, hourly rates.

# 1.7 DRAWINGS AND MEASUREMENTS

A. Construction Drawings: The contract document drawings show the general design, arrangements, and extent of the system. In certain cases, the drawings may include details that show more nearly exact locations and arrangements; however, the locations, as shown diagrammatically, are to be regarded as general.

It shall be the work of this Section to make such slight alterations as may be necessary to make adjustable parts fit to fixed parts, leaving all complete and in proper shape when done. All dimensions given on the drawings shall be verified as related to this work and with the Architect's office before work is started.

This Section shall carefully study building sections, space, clearances, etc., and then provide offsets in piping or ductwork as required to accommodate the building structure without additional cost to the Owner. In any case and at any time, a change in location required by obstacles or the installation of other trades not shown on the mechanical plans shall be made without charge.

The drawings shall not be scaled for roughing in measurements nor shall they be used as shop drawings. Where drawings are required for these purposes or where drawings must be made from field measurements, the Contractor shall take the necessary measurements and prepare the drawings. Shop drawings of the various subcontractors shall be coordinated to eliminate all interferences and to provide sufficient space for the installation of all equipment, piping, ductwork, etc.

The drawings and specifications have been prepared to supplement each other and they shall be interpreted as an integral unit with items shown on one and not the other being furnished and installed as though shown and called out on both.

B. Coordination Drawings: The contractor shall provide coordination drawings for mechanical rooms, fan rooms, equipment rooms, and congested areas to eliminate conflicts with equipment, piping, or work of other trades. The drawings shall be a minimum scale of 1/4 inch= 1 foot and of such detail as may be required by the Engineer to fully illustrate the work. These drawings shall include all piping, conduit, valves, equipment, and ductwork.

Sheet-metal shop drawings will be required for all ductwork in the entire building. These drawings will show all ductwork in the entire building and shall be coordinated with architectural, <a href="structural">structural</a> and electrical portions of the project. The contractor shall specifically obtain copies of the <a href="structural">structural</a> shop drawings and shall coordinate the ductwork shop drawings with approved structural members. These drawings shall be submitted to the engineer for review prior to any fabrication. The contractor is responsible for all modifications necessary to accommodate duct installation within the structural, architectural and electrical restrictions. These drawings, once reviewed by the engineer, will be made available to all mechanical, electrical, and fire sprinkler subcontractors to coordinate installation of their work.

## 1.8 CONTRACTOR'S USE OF BUILDING EQUIPMENT

A. The Contractor may use equipment such as electric motors, fans, heat exchangers, filters, etc., with the written permission of the Owner. As each piece of equipment is used (such as electric motors and fans), maintenance procedures approved by the manufacturer are to be followed. A careful record is to be kept of the length of the time the equipment is used, maintenance procedures followed, and any difficulty encountered. The record is to be submitted to the Owner upon acceptance. All fan belts and filter media (such as bearings) shall be carefully inspected just prior to acceptance. Any excessive wear noted shall require replacement. New filter media shall be installed in air handlers at the time systems are turned over to the owner.

# 1.9 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. The Contractor shall carefully examine all existing conditions that might affect the mechanical system and shall compare these conditions with all drawings and specifications for work included under this contract. He shall, at such time, ascertain and check all conditions that may affect his work. No allowance shall subsequently be made in his behalf for an extra expense incurred as a result of his failure or neglect to make such examination. This Contractor shall include in his bid proposal all necessary allowances to repair or replace any item that will remain or will be removed, and any item that will be damaged or destroyed by new construction.
- B. The Contractor shall remove all abandoned piping, etc., required by new construction and cap or plug openings. No capping, etc., shall be exposed in occupied areas. All openings of items removed shall be sealed to match adjacent surfaces.
- C. The Contractor shall verify the exact location of all existing services, utilities, piping, etc., and make connections to existing systems as required or as shown on the drawings. The exact

location of each utility line, together with size and elevation, shall be established before any on-site lines are installed. Should elevation or size of existing main utility lines make connections to them impossible as shown on drawings, then notification of such shall immediately be given to the Owners Representative for a decision.

## 1.10 EQUIPMENT CAPACITIES

- A. Capacities shown for equipment in the specifications and on the drawings are the minimum acceptable. No equipment shall be considered as an alternate which has capacities or performance less than that of design equipment.
- B. All equipment shall give the specified capacity and performance at the job-site elevation.

  Manufacturers' standard ratings shall be adjusted accordingly. All capacities and performances listed on drawings or in specifications are for job-site conditions.

#### 1.11 SEISMIC REQUIREMENTS FOR EQUIPMENT

A. All equipment shall be furnished structurally adequate to withstand seismic forces as outlined in the International Building Code and SMACNA GUIDELINES. Refer to section Mechanical Vibration Controls and Seismic Restraints. Equipment bases shall be designed for direct attachment of seismic snubbers and/or seismic anchors.

## 1.12 COOPERATION WITH OTHER TRADES

- A. The Contractor shall refer to other drawings and parts of this specification that cover work of other trades that is carried on in conjunction with the mechanical work such that all work can proceed without interference resulting from lack of coordination.
- B. The Contractor shall properly size and locate all openings, chases, sleeves, equipment bases, and accesses. He shall provide accurate wiring diagrams to the Electrical Contractor for all equipment furnished under this Division.
- C. The ceiling cavity must be carefully reviewed and coordinated with all trades. In the event of conflict, the installation of the mechanical equipment and piping shall be in the following order: plumbing, waste, and soil lines; supply, return, and exhaust ductwork; water piping; medical gases; fire protection piping; and pneumatic control piping.
- D. The mechanical Contractor shall insure that the installation of all piping, ducts and equipment is in compliance with Articles 110-16 and 384-4 of the National Electrical Code relative to proper clearances in front of and over all electrical panels and equipment. No piping or ductwork will be allowed to run over electrical panel.

## 1.13 RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

A. The Contractor is responsible for the installation of a satisfactory piece of work in accordance with the true intent of the drawings and specifications. He shall provide, as a part of his work and without expense, all incidental items required even though these items are not particularly specified or indicated. The installation shall be made so that its several component parts will function together as a workable system and shall be left with all equipment properly adjusted and in working order. The Contractor shall familiarize the Owner's Representative with maintenance and lubrication instructions as prepared by the Contractor and shall explain and fully instruct him relative to operating, servicing, and maintenance of them.

B. If a conflict arises between the drawings and the specifications the most stringent procedure/action shall be followed. A clarification to the engineer will help to determine the course of action to be taken.

#### 1.14 PIPE AND DUCT OPENINGS AND EQUIPMENT RECESSES

- A. Pipe and duct chases, openings, and equipment recesses shall be provided by others only if shown on architectural or structural drawings. All openings for the mechanical work, except where plans and specifications indicate otherwise, shall be provided as work of this Division. Include openings information with coordination drawings.
- B. Whether chases, recesses, and openings are provided as work of this Division or by others, this Contractor shall supervise their construction and be responsible for the correct size and location even though detailed and dimensioned on the drawings. This Contractor shall pay for all necessary cutting, repairing, and finishing if any are left out or incorrectly made. All necessary openings thru existing walls, ceilings, floors, roofs, etc. shall be provided by this Contractor unless indicated otherwise by the drawing and/or specifications.

## 1.15 UNFIT OR DAMAGED WORK

A. Any part of this installation that fails, is unfit, or becomes damaged during construction, shall be replaced or otherwise made good. The cost of such remedy shall be the responsibility of this Division.

#### 1.16 WORKMANSHIP

A. Workmanship shall be the best quality of its kind for the respective industries, trades, crafts, and practices, and shall be acceptable in every respect to the Owner's representative. Nothing contained herein shall relieve the Contractor from making good and perfect work in all details in construction.

## 1.17 SAFETY REGULATION

A. The Contractor shall comply with all local, Federal, and OSHA safety requirements in performance with this work. (See General Conditions). This Contractor shall be required to provide equipment, supervision, construction, procedures, and all other necessary items to assure safety to life and property.

#### 1.18 ELECTRICAL SERVICES

A. All equipment control wiring and all automatic temperature control wiring including all necessary contacts, relays, and interlocks, whether low or line voltage, except power wiring, shall be furnished and installed as work of this Division unless shown to be furnished by Division 26. All such wiring shall be in conduit as required by electrical codes. Installation of any and all wiring done under Division 22 or 23 shall be in accordance with the requirements of Division 26, Electrical.

All equipment that requires an electrical connection shall be furnished so that it will operate properly and deliver full capacity on the electrical service available.

Refer to the electrical control equipment and wiring shown on the diagrams. Any changes or additions required by specific equipment furnished shall be the complete responsibility of the Contractor furnishing the equipment.

The Mechanical Contractor must coordinate with the Electrical Contractor to insure that all required components of control work are included and fully understood. No additional cost shall accrue to the Owner as a result of lack of such coordination.

# 1.19 WORK, MATERIALS, AND QUALITY OF EQUIPMENT

- A. Unless otherwise specified, all materials shall be new and of the best quality of their respective kinds and all labor shall be done in a most thorough and workmanlike manner.
- B. Products or equipment of any of the manufacturers cited herein or any of the products approved by the Addenda may be used. However, where lists of products are cited herein, the one first listed in the design equipment used in drawings and schedules to establish size, quality, function, and capacity standards. If other than design equipment is used, it shall be carefully checked for access to equipment, electrical and control requirements, valving, and piping. Should changes or additions occur in piping, valving, electrical work, etc., or if the work of other Contractors would be revised by the alternate equipment, the cost of all changes shall be borne as work of this Division.

The Execution portions of the specifications specify what products and materials may be used. Any products listed in the Product section of the specification that are not listed in the Execution portion of the specification may not be used without written approval by the Engineer.

- C. The access to equipment shown on the drawings are the minimum acceptable space requirements. No equipment that reduces or restricts accessibility to this or any other equipment will be considered.
- D. All major items of equipment are specified in the equipment schedules on the drawings or in these specifications and shall be furnished complete with all accessories normally supplied with the catalog item listed and all other accessories necessary for a complete and satisfactory installation.
- E. All welders shall be certified in accordance with Section IX of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, latest Edition.

## 1.20 PROTECTION AGAINST WEATHER AND STORING OF MATERIALS

- A. All equipment and materials shall be properly stored and protected against moisture, dust, and wind. Coverings or other protection shall be used on all items that may be damaged or rusted or may have performance impaired by adverse weather or moisture conditions. Damage or defect developing before acceptance of the work shall be made good at the Contractor's expense.
- B. All open duct and pipe openings shall be adequately covered at all times.

#### 1.21 INSTALLATION CHECK

A. An experienced, competent, and authorized representative of the manufacturer or supplier of each item of equipment indicated in the equipment schedule and the seismic supplier shall visit the site of the work and inspect, check, adjust if necessary, and approve the equipment installation. In each case, the equipment supplier's representative shall be present when the equipment is placed in operation. The equipment supplier's representative shall revisit the job site as often as necessary until all trouble is corrected and the equipment installation and operation is

- satisfactory to the Engineer.
- B. Each equipment supplier's representative shall furnish to the Owner, through the Engineer, a written report certifying that the equipment (1) has been properly installed and lubricated; (2) is in accurate alignment; (3) is free from any undue stress imposed by connecting piping or anchor bolts; and, (4) has been operated under full load conditions and that it operated satisfactorily.
- C. All costs for this work shall be included in the prices quoted by equipment suppliers.

# 1.22 EQUIPMENT LUBRICATION

- A. The Contractor shall properly lubricate all pieces of equipment before turning the building over to the Owner. A linen tag shall be attached to each piece of equipment, showing the date of lubrication and the lubricant used. No equipment shall be started until it is properly lubricated.
- B. Necessary time shall be spent with the Owner's Representative to thoroughly familiarize him with all necessary lubrications and maintenance that will be required of him.
- C. Detergent oil as used for automotive purposes shall not be used for this work.

#### 1.23 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. No cutting or drilling in structural members shall be done without written approval of the Architect. The work shall be carefully laid out in advance, and cutting, channeling, chasing, or drilling of floors, walls, partitions, ceilings, or other surfaces necessary for the mechanical work shall be carefully done. Any damage to building, piping, or equipment shall be repaired by professional plasterers, masons, concrete workers, etc., and all such work shall be paid for as work of this Division.
- B. When concrete, grading, etc., is disturbed, it shall be restored to original condition as described in the applicable Division of this Specification.

## 1.24 EXCAVATION AND BACKFILLING

- A. All necessary excavations and backfilling for the Mechanical phase of this project shall be provided as work of this Division. Trenches for all underground pipelines shall be excavated to the required depths. The bottom of trenches shall be compacted hard and graded to obtain required fall. Backfill shall be placed in horizontal layers, not exceeding 12 inches in thickness, and properly moistened. Each layer shall be compacted, by suitable equipment, to a density of not less than 95 percent as determined by ASTM D-1557. After pipelines have been tested, inspected, and approved, the trench shall be backfilled with selected material. Excess earth shall be hauled from the job site. Fill materials approved by the Architect shall be provided as work of this Division.
- B. No trenches shall be cut near or under any footings without consultation first with the Architect's office. Any trenches or excavations more than 30 inches deep shall be tapered, shored, covered, or otherwise made absolutely safe so that no vehicle or persons can be injured by falling into such excavations, or in any way be harmed by cave-ins, shifting earth, rolling rocks, or by drowning. This protection shall be extended to all persons approaching excavation related to this work whether or not such persons are authorized to be in the vicinity of the construction.

## 1.25 ACCESS

- A. Provide access doors in walls, ceilings and floors, for access to mechanical equipment such as valves, dampers, VAV boxes, fans, controls, etc. Refer to Division 8 for door specifications. All access doors shall be 24" x 24" unless otherwise indicated or required. Coordinate location of doors with the Architect prior to installation.
- B. Valves: Valve must be installed in locations where access is readily available. If access is compromised, as judged by the Mechanical Engineer, these valves shall be relocated where directed at the Contractors expense.
- C. Equipment: Equipment must be installed in locations and orientations so that access to all components requiring service or maintenance will not be compromised. If access is compromised, as judged by the Mechanical Engineer, the contractor shall modify the installation as directed by the Engineer at the Contractors expense.
- D. It is the responsibility of this division to install terminal boxes, valves and all other equipment and devices so they can be accessed. If any equipment or devices are installed so they cannot be accessed on a ladder a catwalk and ladder system shall be installed above the ceiling to access and service this equipment.

## 1.26 CONCRETE BASES AND INSERTS

- A. Bases: The concrete bases shall be provided and installed as work by this division. This Division shall be responsible for the proper size and location of bases and shall furnish all required anchor bolts and sleeves with templates to be installed as work of Division 3, Concrete.
  - All floor-mounted mechanical equipment shall be set on 6-inch high concrete bases, unless otherwise noted or shown on drawings. Such bases shall extend 6 inches beyond equipment or mounting rails on all sides or as shown on the drawings and shall have a 1-inch beveled edge all around.
- B. Inserts: Where slotted or other types of inserts required for this work are to be cast into concrete, they shall be furnished as work of this Division. Inserts shall be coordinated with Division 3, Concrete, but under the close supervision and direction of this section.
  - Concrete inserts and pipe support systems shall be equal to Unistrut P3200 series for all piping where more than one pipe is suspended at a common location. Spacing of the inserts shall match the size and type of pipe and of ductwork being supported. The Unistrut insert and pipe support system shall include all inserts, vertical supports, horizontal support members, clamps, hangers, rollers, bolts, nuts, and any other accessory items for a complete pipe-supporting system.

# 1.27 CLEANING AND PAINTING

- A. Cleaning: After all tests and adjustments have been made and all systems pronounced satisfactory for permanent operation, this Contractor shall clean all exposed piping, ductwork, insulated members, fixture, and equipment installed under this Section and leave them ready for painting. He shall refinish any damaged finish and leave everything in proper working order. The Contractor shall remove all stains or grease marks on walls, floors, glass, hardware, fixtures, or elsewhere, caused by his workman or for which he is responsible. He shall remove all stickers on plumbing fixtures, do all required patching up and repair all work of others damaged by this division of the work, and leave the premises in a clean and orderly condition.
- B. Painting: Painting of exposed pipe, insulated pipe, ducts, or equipment is work of Division 9,

Painting.

Mechanical Contractor: All equipment which is to be furnished in factory prefinished conditions by the mechanical Contractor shall be left without mark, scratch, or impairment to finish upon completion of job. Any necessary refinishing to match original shall be done. Do not paint over nameplates, serial numbers, or other identifying marks.

C. Removal of Debris, Etc: Upon completion of this division of the work, remove all surplus material and rubbish resulting from this work, and leave the premises in a clean and orderly condition.

## 1.28 CONTRACT COMPLETION

- A. Incomplete and Unacceptable Work: If additional site visits or design work is required by the Engineer or Architect because of the use of incomplete or unacceptable work by the Contractor, then the Contractor shall reimburse the Engineer and Architect for all additional time and expenses involved.
- B. Maintenance Instructions: The Contractor shall furnish the Owner complete printed and illustrated operating and maintenance instructions covering all units of mechanical equipment, together with parts lists.
- C. Instructions To Owner's Representatives: In addition to any detailed instructions called for, the mechanical Contractor must provide, without expense to the Owner, competent instructors to train the Owner's representatives who will be in charge of the apparatus and equipment, in the care, adjustment, and operation of all parts on the heating, air conditioning, ventilating, plumbing, fire protection, and automatic temperature control equipment. Instruction dates shall be scheduled at time of final inspection. A written report specifying times, dates, and name of personnel instructed shall be forwarded to the Architect. A minimum of four 8-hour instruction periods shall be provided. The instruction periods will be broken down to shorter periods when requested by the Owner. The total instruction hours shall not reduced. The ATC Contractor shall provide 4 hours of instructions. The remaining hours shall be divided between the mechanical and sheet metal Contractor.
- D. Guarantee: By the acceptance of any contract award for the work herein described or shown on the drawings, the Contractor assumes the full responsibility imposed by the guarantee as set forth herein and in the General Conditions, and should protect himself through proper guarantees from equipment and special equipment Contractors and from subcontractors as their interests may appear.

The guarantee so assumed by the Contractor and as work of this Section is as follows:

That the entire mechanical system, including plumbing, heating, and air-conditioning system shall be quiet in operation.

That the circulation of water shall be complete and even.

That all pipes, conduit, and connections shall be perfectly free from foreign matter and pockets and that all other obstructions to the free passage of air, water, liquid, sewage, and vent shall be removed.

That he shall make promptly and free of charge, upon notice from the Owner, any necessary repairs due to defective workmanship or materials that may occur during a period of one year from date of Substantial Completion.

That all specialties, mechanical, and patent devices incorporated in these systems shall be

adjusted in a manner that each shall develop its maximum efficiency in the operation of the system; i.e., diffusers shall deliver the designed amount of air shown on drawings, thermostats shall operate to the specified limits, etc.

All equipment and the complete mechanical, ductwork, piping and plumbing systems shall be guaranteed for a period of one year from the date of the Architect's Certificate of Substantial Completion, this includes all mechanical, ductwork, piping and plumbing equipment and products and is not limited to boiler, chillers, coils, fans, filters etc. Any equipment supplier not willing to comply with this guarantee period shall not submit a bid price for this project. The Contractor shall be responsible for a 100-percent guarantee for the system and all items of equipment for this period. If the contractor needs to provide temporary heating or cooling to the building and or needs to insure systems are installed properly and or to meet the project schedule the guaranteed of all systems and equipment shall be as indicated above, on year from the date of the Architect's Certificate of Substantial Completion.

All filters used during construction shall be replaced just before equipment is turned over to the Owner, and all required equipment and parts shall be oiled. Any worn parts shall also be replaced.

If any systems or equipment is used for temporary heating or cooling the systems shall be protected so they remain clean. I.e. if the ductwork systems are used temporary filters and a filter holder (not duct-taped to ducts or grilles) shall be installed to insure the systems and the equipment remain clean.

# 1.29 **CURBS**

A. Unless otherwise noted in these specifications or on the documents all roof curbs for all equipment are to be provided by division 22 and 23.

#### 1.30 TEST RUN

A. The Mechanical Contractor shall operate the mechanical system for a minimum of 30 days to prove the operation of the system.

# 1.31 EQUIPMENT STARTUP AND CHECKOUT:

- A. Each major piece of equipment shall be started and checked out by an authorized representative of the equipment manufacturer. A certificate indicating the equipment is operating to the satisfaction of the manufacturer shall be provided and shall be included in the commissioning report.
- B. This contractor shall coordinate commissioning procedures and activities with the commissioning agent.

## 1.32 **DEMOLITION**

- A. General: Demolish and remove existing construction only to the extent required by new construction and as indicated. Use methods required to complete the Work within limitations of governing regulations and as follows:
  - Proceed with demolition systematically, from higher to lower level. Complete selective demolition operations above each floor or tier before disturbing supporting members on

the next lower level.

- Neatly cut openings and holes plumb, square, and true to dimensions required. Use cutting methods least likely to damage construction to remain or adjoining construction.
   Use hand tools or small power tools designed for sawing or grinding, not hammering and chopping, to minimize disturbance of adjacent surfaces. Temporarily cover openings to remain.
- c. Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces to avoid marring existing finished surfaces.
- d. Do not use cutting torches until work area is cleared of flammable materials. At concealed spaces, such as duct and pipe interiors, verify condition and contents of hidden space before starting flame-cutting operations. Maintain portable fire-suppression devices during flame-cutting operations.
- e. Maintain adequate ventilation when using cutting torches.
- f. Remove decayed, vermin-infested, or otherwise dangerous or unsuitable materials and promptly dispose of off-site.
- g. Remove structural framing members and lower to ground by method suitable to avoid free fall and to prevent ground impact or dust generation.
- h. Locate selective demolition equipment and remove debris and materials so as not to impose excessive loads on supporting walls, floors, or framing.
- i. Dispose of demolished items and materials promptly.
- j. Return elements of construction and surfaces that are to remain to condition existing before selective demolition operations began.
- k. Existing Facilities: Comply with building manager's requirements for using and protecting elevators, stairs, walkways, loading docks, building entries, and other building facilities during selective demolition operations.
- I. Concrete: Demolish in sections. Cut concrete full depth at junctures with construction to remain and at regular intervals, using power-driven saw, then remove concrete between saw cuts.
- m. Masonry: Demolish in small sections. Cut masonry at junctures with construction to remain, using power-driven saw, and then remove masonry between saw cuts.
- n. Concrete Slabs-on-Grade: Saw-cut perimeter of area to be demolished, then break up and remove.

# **END OF SECTION**

#### **SECTION 23 0500**

#### **COMMON WORK RESULTS FOR HVAC**

## **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. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Piping materials and installation instructions common to most piping systems.
  - 2. Transition fittings.
  - 3. Dielectric fittings.
  - 4. Mechanical sleeve seals.
  - 5. Sleeves.
  - 6. Escutcheons.
  - Grout.
  - 8. Equipment installation requirements common to equipment sections.
  - 9. Painting and finishing.
  - 10. Concrete bases.
  - 11. Supports and anchorages.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Finished Spaces: Spaces other than mechanical and electrical equipment rooms, furred spaces, pipe and duct chases, unheated spaces immediately below roof, spaces above ceilings, unexcavated spaces, crawlspaces, and tunnels.
- B. Exposed, Interior Installations: Exposed to view indoors. Examples include finished occupied spaces and mechanical equipment rooms.
- C. Exposed, Exterior Installations: Exposed to view outdoors or subject to outdoor ambient temperatures and weather conditions. Examples include rooftop locations.
- D. Concealed, Interior Installations: Concealed from view and protected from physical contact by building occupants. Examples include above ceilings and chases.
- E. Concealed, Exterior Installations: Concealed from view and protected from weather conditions and physical contact by building occupants but subject to outdoor ambient temperatures. Examples include installations within unheated shelters.
- F. The following are industry abbreviations for plastic materials:
  - 1. CPVC: Chlorinated polyvinyl chloride plastic.
  - 2. PVC: Polyvinyl chloride plastic.

- G. The following are industry abbreviations for rubber materials:
  - 1. EPDM: Ethylene-propylene-diene terpolymer rubber.
  - 2. NBR: Acrylonitrile-butadiene rubber.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Transition fittings.
  - 2. Dielectric fittings.
  - 3. Mechanical sleeve seals.
  - 4. Escutcheons.
- B. Welding certificates.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Steel Support Welding: Qualify processes and operators according to AWS D1.1, "Structural Welding Code--Steel."
- B. Steel Pipe Welding: Qualify processes and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX, "Welding and Brazing Qualifications."
  - 1. Comply with provisions in ASME B31 Series, "Code for Pressure Piping."
  - 2. Certify that each welder has passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and that certification is current.
- C. Electrical Characteristics for HVAC Equipment: Equipment of higher electrical characteristics may be furnished provided such proposed equipment is approved in writing and connecting electrical services, circuit breakers, and conduit sizes are appropriately modified. If minimum energy ratings or efficiencies are specified, equipment shall comply with requirements.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver pipes and tubes with factory-applied end caps. Maintain end caps through shipping, storage, and handling to prevent pipe end damage and to prevent entrance of dirt, debris, and moisture.
- B. Store plastic pipes protected from direct sunlight. Support to prevent sagging and bending.

#### 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Arrange for pipe spaces, chases, slots, and openings in building structure during progress of construction, to allow for HVAC installations.
- B. Coordinate installation of required supporting devices and set sleeves in poured-in-place concrete and other structural components as they are constructed.

C. Coordinate requirements for access panels and doors for HVAC items requiring access that are concealed behind finished surfaces. Access panels and doors are specified in Division 08 Section "Access Doors and Frames."

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where subparagraph titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply for product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the manufacturers specified.

## 2.2 PIPE, TUBE, AND FITTINGS

- A. Refer to individual Division 23 piping Sections for pipe, tube, and fitting materials and joining methods.
- B. Pipe Threads: ASME B1.20.1 for factory-threaded pipe and pipe fittings.

## 2.3 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Refer to individual Division 23 piping Sections for special joining materials not listed below.
- B. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos-free, 1/8-inch maximum thickness unless thickness or specific material is indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
  - 2. AWWA C110, rubber, flat face, 1/8 inch thick, unless otherwise indicated; and full-face or ring type, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- E. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for general-duty brazing, unless otherwise indicated; and AWS A5.8, BAg1, silver alloy for refrigerant piping, unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.

#### 2.4 TRANSITION FITTINGS

- A. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Fittings: CPVC and PVC one-piece fitting with manufacturer's Schedule 80 equivalent dimensions; one end with threaded brass insert, and one solvent-cement-joint end.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Eslon Thermoplastics.
- B. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Adaptors: One-piece fitting with manufacturer's SDR 11 equivalent dimensions; one end with threaded brass insert, and one solvent-cement-joint end.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Thompson Plastics, Inc.

## 2.5 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. Description: Combination fitting of copper alloy and ferrous materials with threaded, solder-joint, plain, or weld-neck end connections that match piping system materials.
- B. Insulating Material: Suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- C. Dielectric Flanges: Factory-fabricated, companion-flange assembly, for 150- or 300-psig minimum working pressure as required to suit system pressures.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Co.
    - b. Central Plastics Company.
    - c. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.

## 2.6 MECHANICAL SLEEVE SEALS

- A. Description: Modular sealing element unit, designed for field assembly, to fill annular space between pipe and sleeve.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Advance Products & Systems, Inc.
    - b. Calpico, Inc.
    - c. Metraflex Co.
    - d. Pipeline Seal and Insulator, Inc.
  - 2. Sealing Elements: EPDM interlocking links shaped to fit surface of pipe. Include type and number required for pipe material and size of pipe.
  - 3. Pressure Plates: Stainless steel. Include two for each sealing element.
  - 4. Connecting Bolts and Nuts: Stainless steel of length required to secure pressure plates to sealing elements. Include one for each sealing element.

## 2.7 SLEEVES

- A. Galvanized-Steel Sheet: 0.0239-inch minimum thickness; round tube closed with welded longitudinal joint.
- B. Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53, Type E, Grade B, Schedule 40, galvanized, plain ends.
- C. Cast Iron: Cast or fabricated "wall pipe" equivalent to ductile-iron pressure pipe, with plain ends and integral waterstop, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Stack Sleeve Fittings: Manufactured, cast-iron sleeve with integral clamping flange. Include clamping ring and bolts and nuts for membrane flashing.
  - 1. Underdeck Clamp: Clamping ring with set screws.
- E. Molded PVC: Permanent, with nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.
- F. PVC Pipe: ASTM D 1785, Schedule 40.

#### 2.8 ESCUTCHEONS

- A. Description: Manufactured wall and ceiling escutcheons and floor plates, with an ID to closely fit around pipe, tube, and insulation of insulated piping and an OD that completely covers opening.
- B. One-Piece, Deep-Pattern Type: Deep-drawn, box-shaped brass with polished chrome-plated finish.
- C. One-Piece, Cast-Brass Type: With set screw.
  - 1. Finish: Polished chrome-plated and rough brass.
- D. One-Piece, Stamped-Steel Type: With set screw or spring clips and chrome-plated finish.
- E. Split-Plate, Stamped-Steel Type: With concealed hinge, set screw or spring clips, and chrome-plated finish.

# 2.9 GROUT

- A. Description: ASTM C 1107, Grade B, nonshrink and nonmetallic, dry hydraulic-cement grout.
  - 1. Characteristics: Post-hardening, volume-adjusting, nonstaining, noncorrosive, nongaseous, and recommended for interior and exterior applications.
  - 2. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.
  - 3. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 PIPING SYSTEMS - COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install piping according to the following requirements and Division 23 Sections specifying piping systems.
- B. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Indicated locations and arrangements were used to size pipe and calculate friction loss, expansion, pump sizing, and other design considerations. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- C. Install piping in concealed locations, unless otherwise indicated and except in equipment rooms and service areas.
- D. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.
- E. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal.
- F. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- G. Install piping at indicated slopes.
- H. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- I. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- J. Install piping to allow application of insulation.
- K. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- L. Install escutcheons for penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors according to the following:
  - 1. New Piping:
    - a. Piping with Fitting or Sleeve Protruding from Wall: One-piece, deep-pattern type.
    - b. Chrome-Plated Piping: One-piece, cast-brass type with polished chrome-plated finish.
    - c. Insulated Piping: One-piece, stamped-steel type with spring clips.
    - d. Bare Piping at Wall and Floor Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One-piece, cast-brass type with polished chrome-plated finish.
    - e. Bare Piping at Wall and Floor Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One-piece, stamped-steel type.
    - f. Bare Piping at Ceiling Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One-piece or split-casting, cast-brass type with polished chrome-plated finish.
    - g. Bare Piping at Ceiling Penetrations in Finished Spaces: One-piece, stamped-steel type or split-plate, stamped-steel type with concealed hinge and set screw.

- M. Install sleeves for pipes passing through concrete and masonry walls and concrete floor and roof slabs.
- N. Install sleeves for pipes passing through concrete and masonry walls, gypsum-board partitions, and concrete floor and roof slabs.
  - 1. Cut sleeves to length for mounting flush with both surfaces.
    - a. Exception: Extend sleeves installed in floors of mechanical equipment areas or other wet areas 2 inches above finished floor level. Extend cast-iron sleeve fittings below floor slab as required to secure clamping ring if ring is specified.
  - 2. Install sleeves in new walls and slabs as new walls and slabs are constructed.
  - 3. Install sleeves that are large enough to provide 1/4-inch annular clear space between sleeve and pipe or pipe insulation. Use the following sleeve materials:
    - a. PVC Steel Pipe Sleeves: For pipes smaller than NPS 6.
    - b. Steel Sheet Sleeves: For pipes NPS 6 and larger, penetrating gypsum-board partitions.
    - c. Stack Sleeve Fittings: For pipes penetrating floors with membrane waterproofing. Secure flashing between clamping flanges. Install section of cast-iron soil pipe to extend sleeve to 2 inches above finished floor level. Refer to Division 07 Section "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim" for flashing.
      - 1) Seal space outside of sleeve fittings with grout.
  - 4. Except for underground wall penetrations, seal annular space between sleeve and pipe or pipe insulation, using joint sealants appropriate for size, depth, and location of joint. Refer to Division 07 Section "Joint Sealants" for materials and installation.
- O. Aboveground, Exterior-Wall Pipe Penetrations: Seal penetrations using sleeves and mechanical sleeve seals. Select sleeve size to allow for 1-inch annular clear space between pipe and sleeve for installing mechanical sleeve seals.
  - 1. Install steel pipe for sleeves smaller than 6 inches in diameter.
  - 2. Install cast-iron "wall pipes" for sleeves 6 inches and larger in diameter.
  - 3. Mechanical Sleeve Seal Installation: Select type and number of sealing elements required for pipe material and size. Position pipe in center of sleeve. Assemble mechanical sleeve seals and install in annular space between pipe and sleeve. Tighten bolts against pressure plates that cause sealing elements to expand and make watertight seal.
- P. Underground, Exterior-Wall Pipe Penetrations: Install cast-iron "wall pipes" for sleeves. Seal pipe penetrations using mechanical sleeve seals. Select sleeve size to allow for 1-inch annular clear space between pipe and sleeve for installing mechanical sleeve seals.
  - Mechanical Sleeve Seal Installation: Select type and number of sealing elements
    required for pipe material and size. Position pipe in center of sleeve. Assemble
    mechanical sleeve seals and install in annular space between pipe and sleeve. Tighten
    bolts against pressure plates that cause sealing elements to expand and make watertight
    seal.
- Q. Fire-Barrier Penetrations: Maintain indicated fire rating of walls, partitions, ceilings, and floors at pipe penetrations. Seal pipe penetrations with firestop materials. Refer to Division 07 Section "Penetration Firestopping" for materials.

- R. Verify final equipment locations for roughing-in.
- S. Refer to equipment specifications in other Sections of these Specifications for roughing-in requirements.

## 3.2 PIPING JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Join pipe and fittings according to the following requirements and Division 23 Sections specifying piping systems.
- B. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- C. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- D. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux, unless otherwise indicated, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," using leadfree solder alloy complying with ASTM B 32.
- E. Brazed Joints: Construct joints according to AWS's "Brazing Handbook," "Pipe and Tube" Chapter, using copper-phosphorus brazing filler metal complying with AWS A5.8.
- F. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:
  - 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
  - 2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.
- G. Welded Joints: Construct joints according to AWS D10.12, using qualified processes and welding operators according to Part 1 "Quality Assurance" Article.
- H. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.

## 3.3 PIPING CONNECTIONS

- A. Make connections according to the following, unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Install unions, in piping NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to each valve and at final connection to each piece of equipment.
  - 2. Install flanges, in piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger, adjacent to flanged valves and at final connection to each piece of equipment.
  - 3. Dry Piping Systems: Install dielectric unions and flanges to connect piping materials of dissimilar metals.
  - 4. Wet Piping Systems: Install dielectric coupling and nipple fittings to connect piping materials of dissimilar metals.

## 3.4 EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION - COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install equipment to allow maximum possible headroom unless specific mounting heights are not indicated.
- B. Install equipment level and plumb, parallel and perpendicular to other building systems and components in exposed interior spaces, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install HVAC equipment to facilitate service, maintenance, and repair or replacement of components. Connect equipment for ease of disconnecting, with minimum interference to other installations. Extend grease fittings to accessible locations.
- D. Install equipment to allow right of way for piping installed at required slope.

## 3.5 PAINTING

- A. Painting of HVAC systems, equipment, and components is specified in Division 09 Sections "Interior Painting" and "Exterior Painting."
- B. Damage and Touchup: Repair marred and damaged factory-painted finishes with materials and procedures to match original factory finish.

## 3.6 CONCRETE BASES

- A. Concrete Bases: Anchor equipment to concrete base according to equipment manufacturer's written instructions and according to seismic codes at Project.
  - 1. Construct concrete bases of dimensions indicated, but not less than 4 inches larger in both directions than supported unit.
  - 2. Install dowel rods to connect concrete base to concrete floor. Unless otherwise indicated, install dowel rods on 18-inch centers around the full perimeter of the base.
  - 3. Install epoxy-coated anchor bolts for supported equipment that extend through concrete base, and anchor into structural concrete floor.
  - 4. Place and secure anchorage devices. Use supported equipment manufacturer's setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
  - 5. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.
  - 6. Install anchor bolts according to anchor-bolt manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 7. Use 3000-psi, 28-day compressive-strength concrete and reinforcement as specified in Division 03 Section "Miscellaneous Cast-in-Place Concrete."

# 3.7 ERECTION OF METAL SUPPORTS AND ANCHORAGES

- A. Refer to Division 5 Section "Metal Fabrications" for structural steel.
- B. Cut, fit, and place miscellaneous metal supports accurately in location, alignment, and elevation to support and anchor HVAC materials and equipment.
- C. Field Welding: Comply with AWS D1.1.

# 3.8 GROUTING

- A. Mix and install grout for HVAC equipment base bearing surfaces, pump and other equipment base plates, and anchors.
- B. Clean surfaces that will come into contact with grout.
- C. Provide forms as required for placement of grout.
- D. Avoid air entrapment during placement of grout.
- E. Place grout, completely filling equipment bases.
- F. Place grout on concrete bases and provide smooth bearing surface for equipment.
- G. Place grout around anchors.
- H. Cure placed grout.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 23 0548**

#### VIBRATION ISOLATION AND SEISMIC RESTRAINT

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. The work in this section consists of furnishing engineering and materials necessary for vibration isolation and seismic restraints for equipment contained herein for the project.
- B. Other sections of DIVISION 22 & 23 form a part of this section. Refer to all sections for a complete description of the work.
- C. All mechanical equipment .75 HP and over listed in the equipment schedule shall be mounted on vibration isolators to prevent the transmission of objectionable vibration and vibration induced sound to the building structure.
- D. All isolation materials, flexible connectors and seismic restraints shall be of the same manufacturer and shall be selected and certified using published or factory certified data. Any variance or non-compliance with these specification requirements shall be corrected by the contractor in an approved manner.
- E. The contractor and manufacturer of the isolation and seismic equipment shall refer to the isolator and seismic restraint schedule which lists isolator types, isolator deflections and seismic restraint type. Vibration isolators shall be selected in accordance with the equipment, pipe or duct weight distribution so as to produce reasonably uniform deflections.
- F. Unless otherwise specified, all mechanical, electrical, and plumbing equipment, pipe, and duct shall be restrained to resist seismic forces. Restraints shall maintain equipment, piping, and duct work in a captive position. Restraint devices shall be designed and selected to meet the seismic requirements as defined in the latest issue of the IBC or local jurisdiction building code.
- G. These exceptions are based on IBC 2006. Verify local code is the same. The 2006 IBC requires that mechanical & electrical components be given an importance factor. This importance factor is used to determine which equipment may or may not be exempt from seismic design force requirements. The component importance factor is determined as follows:

I <sub>p</sub> = 1.5	Life-safety component is required to function after an earthquake.
$I_p = 1.5$	Component contains hazardous or flammable material.
$I_{p} = 1.5$	Storage racks in occupancies open to the general public (e.g., warehouse retail stores).
$I_p = 1.0$	All other components.

- H. In addition, for structures in Seismic Use Group III (Buildings having essential facility required for post earthquake recovery, and those containing substantial quantities of hazardous substances as designated by local building officials).
  - I p = 1.5 For components needed for continued operation of the facility or whose failure could impair the continued operation of the facility.

This project shall use an IP = 1.5.

## 1.2 SEISMIC RESTRAINT SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- A. Rigidly floor mounted mechanical, electrical, and plumbing components in all seismic design categories, where I p = 1.0 and flexible connections between the components and associated duct work, piping and conduit are provided, that are mounted at 4 feet (1219 mm) or less above a floor level and weight 400 pounds (1780 N) or less and are not critical to the continued operation of the structure. Suspended, wall mounted and flexibly mounted equipment are not included in this exclusion.
- B. Hanging, wall mounted, and flexibly supported mechanical, plumbing and electrical components that weigh 20 pounds (89 N) or less, where I p = 1.0 and flexible connections are provided between the components and associated duct work, piping and conduit.
- C. Piping supported by individual clevis hangers where the distance, as measured from the top of the pipe to the supporting structure, is less than 12 inches (305mm) for the entire pipe run and the pipe can accommodate the expected deflections. Trapeze or double rod hangers where the distance from the top of the trapeze or support to the structure is less than 12 inches for the entire run. Hanger rods shall not be constructed in a manner that would subject the rod to bending moments (swivel, eye bolt, or vibration isolation hanger connection to structure).
- D. High deformability piping (steel, copper, aluminum with welded, brazed, ground, or screwed connections) designated as having an lp = 1.5 and a nominal pipe size of 1 inch (25 mm) or less where provisions are made to protect the piping from impact or to avoid the impact of larger piping or other mechanical equipment. Note, any combination of piping supported on a trapeze where the total weight exceeds 10 lb/ ft. must be braced.
- E. High deformability piping (steel, copper, aluminum with welded, brazed, ground, or screwed connections) and limited deformability piping (cast iron, FRP, PVC) designated with an Ip = 1.0 and a nominal pipe size of 1 inch and less in the mechanical equipment room, or 2" and less outside the mechanical equipment room.
- F. PVC or other plastic or fiberglass vent piping.
- G. HVAC ducts suspended from hangers that are 12 inches (305 mm) or less in length from the top of the duct to the supporting structure and the hangers are detailed to avoid significant bending of the hangers and their connections. Duct must be positively attached to hanger with minimum #10 screws within 2" from the top of the duct.
- H. HVAC duct with an I p = 1.5 that have a cross-section area less than 4 square feet. HVAC ducts with an I P = 1.0 that have a cross sectional area of less than 6 square feet (0.557 m2).
- Equipment items installed in-line with the duct system (e.g, fans, heat exchangers and humidifiers) with an operating weight less than 76 pounds (334 N). Equipment must be rigidly attached to duct at inlet and outlet.

## 1.3 MANUFACTURER'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

- A. Manufacturer of vibration and seismic control products shall have the following responsibilities:
  - 1. Determine vibration isolation and seismic restraint sizes and locations.
  - 2. Provide piping, ductwork and equipment isolation systems and seismic restraints as scheduled or specified.
  - 3. Provide installation instructions and shop drawings for all materials supplied under this section of the specifications.
  - 4. Provide calculations to determine restraint loads resulting from seismic forces presented in local building code or IBC, Chapter 16 latest edition. Seismic calculations shall be

- certified by a licensed engineer in the employ of the seismic equipment manufacturer with a minimum 5 years experience. Provide calculations for all floor or roof mounted equipment 400lbs (1780 N) or greater (20lbs (89 N)or greater for lp=1.5), all suspended or wall mounted equipment 20lbs (89 N)or greater, and vibration isolated equipment 20lbs (89 N)or greater.
- 5. Seismic restraint load ratings must be certified and substantiated by testing or calculations under direct control of a registered professional engineer.
- 6. Calculations and restraint device submittal drawings shall specify anchor bolt type, embedment, concrete compressive strength, minimum spacing between anchors, and minimum distances of anchors from concrete edges. Concrete anchor locations shall not be near edges, stress joints, or an existing fracture. All bolts shall be ASTM A307 or better.

## 1.4 QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The isolators and seismic restraint systems listed herein are as manufactured by Amber / Booth, Mason Industries Inc. (M.I.), Kinetics Noise Control Inc. (K.N.C.), Vibration Mounting & Controls, Inc. (V.M.C.) and Vibro Acoustics. Manufacturer must be a member of the Vibration Isolation and Seismic Control Manufacturers Association (VISCMA).
- B. Steel components shall be cleaned and painted with industrial enamel. All nuts, bolts and washers shall be zinc-electroplated. Structural steel bases shall be thoroughly cleaned of welding slag and primed with zinc-chromate or metal etching primer.
- C. All isolators, bases and seismic restraints exposed to the weather shall utilize cadmiumplated, epoxy coat or PVC coated springs and hot dipped galvanized steel components. Nuts, bolts and washers may be zinc-electroplated. Isolators for outdoor mounted equipment shall provide adequate restraint for the greater of either wind loads required by local codes or withstand a minimum of 30 lb. / sq. ft. applied to any exposed surface of the equipment.
- D. Provide a written quality control procedure that outlines complete compliance of attachment of cabling restraints to brackets. For swaged connections, provide a gage to verify swage. For screw/clamp connection, provide torque values for attachment fasteners.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings of all isolators, seismic restraints and calculations provided (para 1.3).
- B. The manufacturer of vibration isolation products shall submit the following data for each piece of isolated equipment: clearly identified equipment tag, quantity and size of vibration isolators and seismic restraints for each piece of rotating isolated equipment. Submittals for mountings and hangers incorporating springs shall include spring diameter and free height, rated deflections, and solid load. Submittals for bases shall clearly identify locations for all mountings as well as all locations for attachment points of the equipment to the mounting base. Submittals shall include seismic calculations signed and checked by a qualified licensed engineer in the employ of the manufacturer of the vibration isolators. Catalog cut sheets and installation instructions shall be included for each type of isolation mounting or seismic restraint used on equipment being isolated.
- C. Submit quality assurance procedures as required under 1.4.4 at time of isolator/seismic submittals. Submittal must be stamped by a registered professional engineer who is responsible for the seismic restraint design. All vibration isolation/seismic submittals not complying with this certification will be rejected.

- D. Provide shop drawings indicating location of all specification SC cable restraints (section 2.3.2) required for pipe and ductwork. Drawings must be stamped by manufacturer's registered professional engineer.
- E. Mechanical, electrical and plumbing equipment manufacturers shall provide certification that their equipment is capable of resisting expected seismic loads without failure. Equipment manufacturers shall provide suitable attachment points and/or instructions for attaching seismic restraints.
- F. Provide a certification from the seismic design engineer that the seismic restraints will comply with the applicable code requirements. Certification must be stamped by a registered profession engineer.
- G. Provide a Certificate of Completion from the manufacturer's representative upon completion of the job.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 VIBRATION ISOLATORS

- A. Specification W: a pad type mounting consisting of two layers of ribbed elastomeric pads with a ½" poro-elastic vibration absorptive material bonded between them. Pads shall be sized for approximate deflection of 0.10" to 0.18". Pads shall be Amber / Booth Type NRC.
- B. Specification A: an elastomeric mounting having a steel baseplate with mounting holes and a threaded insert at top of the mounting for attaching equipment. All metal parts shall be completely embedded in the elastomeric material. Mountings shall be designed for approximately 1/2" deflection, and incorporate a steel seismic snubber with all directional restraint. Mountings shall be Amber/Booth Type SRVD.
- C. Specification B: an adjustable, freestanding, open spring mounting with combination leveling and equipment fastening bolt. The spring shall be welded to the spring mounting baseplate and compression plate for stability. The isolator shall be designed for a minimum kx/ky (horizontal-to-vertical spring rate) of 1.0. An elastomeric pad having a minimum thickness of 1/4" shall be bonded to the baseplate. Nuts, adjusting bolts and washers shall be zinc-electroplated to prevent corrosion. This type isolator must be used with specification SL seismic restraint (section 2.3.1). Isolators shall be Amber/Booth Type SW.
- D. Specification C: a unitized adjustable, stable open spring isolator with a seismic restraint housing which serves as a blocking device during equipment installation. The spring package shall include an elastomeric pad for high frequency absorption at the base of the spring. The springs shall be designed for a minimum kx/ky (horizontal-to-vertical spring rate) of 1.0. Nuts, adjusting bolts and washers shall be zinc-electroplated to prevent corrosion. The spring assembly shall be removable with equipment in place and shall fit within a welded steel enclosure consisting of a top plate and rigid lower housing. Isolated seismic restraint bolts shall connect top plate to lower housing to resist seismic and wind forces in all directions and limit motion to a maximum of 1/4" movement before engaging. Surfaces that engage under seismic motion shall be cushioned with a resilient elastomeric pad or grommet to protect equipment. Top plate shall have adequate means for fastening to the equipment, and baseplate shall have adequate means for bolting to structure. Entire assembly shall be rated to exceed the applied seismic load (para 1.3.4.). Seismic isolator shall be Amber/Booth Type CTER.
- E. Specification D: an elastomeric hanger consisting of a rectangular steel box capable of 200% minimum overload without visible deformation, 30 degree rod misalignment and an elastomeric isolation element designed for approximately 1/2" deflection. Hangers shall be Amber/Booth Type BRD.

- F. Specification E: a combination spring and elastomeric hanger consisting of a rectangular steel box capable of 200% minimum overload without visible deformation, 30 degree rod misalignment, coil spring, spring retainers and elastomeric element designed for approximately 1/2" deflection. The spring shall be designed for a minimum kx/ky (horizontal-to-vertical spring rate) of 1.0. Spring hangers shall be Amber/Booth Type BSRA.
- G. Specification F: a set (two or more) of spring thrust resisting assemblies, which consist of coil springs, spring retainer, isolation washer, angle mounting brackets, and elastomeric tubing for isolating thrust resister rod from fan discharge. Thrust restraints shall be Amber / Booth Type TRK.
- H. Specification SB: a unitized adjustable open spring isolator and a welded steel housing designed to resist seismic forces in all directions. Restraint surfaces which engage under seismic motion shall be cushioned with a resilient elastomer to protect equipment. Restraints shall allow a maximum of 1/4" movement before engaging and shall allow for the spring to be changed if required. Isolator shall be a stable spring with a minimum ky/ky of 1.0. The spring package shall include an elastomeric pad for high frequency absorption at the base of the spring. Nuts and bolts shall be zinc-electroplated to prevent corrosion. Bolting equipment to isolator with bolts smaller than main adjusting bolt will not be allowed.
- I. Base plate shall provide means for bolting to the structure. Entire assembly shall be rated to exceed the applied seismic load (para 1.3.4.) Mountings shall be Amber/Booth Type SWSR.

## 2.2 BASES

- A. Specification G: a welded integral structural steel fan and motor base with NEMA standard motor slide rails and holes drilled to receive the fan and motor slide rails. The steel members shall be adequately sized to prevent distortion and misalignment of the drive, and specifically, shall be sized to limit deflection of the beam on the drive side to 0.05" due to starting torque. Snubbers to prevent excessive motion on starting or stopping shall be furnished if required; however, the snubbers shall not be engaged under steady running conditions. Bases shall be Amber/Booth Type SFB.
- B. Specification H: a welded WF (main member) structural steel base for increasing rigidity of equipment mounted thereon or for unitizing belt driven fans. Fan bases shall have holes drilled to match fan and located to provide required center distance between fan and supplied NEMA standard motor slide rails. The steel members shall have minimum depth of 1/12" of the longest span, but not less than 6" deep. Junior beams and junior channels shall not be used. Cross members shall be provided where necessary to support the equipment or to prevent twisting of the main members. Where height restrictions prevent the use of members having a depth of 1/12 of the longest span, beams of less depth may be used provided they have equal rigidity. Provide height-saving brackets for side mounting of the isolators. Brackets for use with Specification type B isolators having 2.5" deflection or greater shall be of the precompression type to limit exposed bolt length. Bases shall be Amber/Booth Type WSB.
- C. Specification J: a concrete inertia base consisting of perimeter structural steel concrete pouring form (CPF), reinforcing bars welded in place, bolting templates with anchor bolts and height-saving brackets for side mounting of the isolators. Brackets for use with Specification type B isolators having 2.5" deflection or greater shall be of the pre-compression type to limit exposed bolt length. The perimeter steel members shall have a minimum depth of 1/12 of the longest span, but not less than 6" deep. The base shall be sized with a minimum overlap of 4" around the base of the equipment and, in the case of belt-driven equipment, 4" beyond the end of the drive shaft. Fan bases are to be supplied with NEMA standard motor slide rails. The bases for pumps shall be sized to support the suction elbow of end suction pumps and both the suction and discharge elbows of horizontal split-case pumps. The bases shall be T-shaped where necessary to conserve space. Inertia bases shall be Amber/Booth Type CPF.

# 2.3 SEISMIC RESTRAINTS:

- A. Specification SL: a restraint assembly for floor mounted equipment consisting of welded steel interlocking assemblies welded or bolted securely to the equipment or the equipment bases and to the supporting structure. Restraint assembly surfaces which engage under seismic motion shall be lined with a minimum ½" thick resilient elastomeric pad to protect equipment. Restraints shall be field adjustable and be positioned for 1/4" clearance as required to prevent interference during normal operation. Restraint assembly shall have minimum rating of 2 times the catalog rating at 1 G as certified by independent laboratory test. Restraint shall be Amber/Booth Type ER.
- B. Specification SC: a restraint assembly for suspended equipment, piping or ductwork consisting of high strength galvanized steel aircraft cable. Cable must have Underwriters Laboratories listed certified break strength, and shall be color-coded for easy field verification. Secure cable to structure and to braced component through bracket or stake eye specifically designed to exceed cable restraint rated capacity. Cable must be manufactured to meet or exceed minimum materials and standard requirements per AISI Manual for structural applications of steel cables and ASTM A603. Break strengths must be per ASTM E-8 procedures. Safety factor of 1.5 may be used when prestretched cable is used with end connections designed to meet the cable break strength. Otherwise safety factor 3.76 must be used. Cables shall be sized for a force as listed in section 1.3. Cables shall be installed to prevent excessive seismic motion and so arranged that they do not engage during normal operation. Restraint shall be type LRC.

## 2.4 PIPE GUIDES AND ANCHORS FOR ISOLATED PIPING

- A. Specification M: For Pipe Guides where specifically shown on drawings to accommodate expansion loops and compensators, the vibration isolator manufacturer shall provide pipe guides consisting of a telescopic arrangement of two sizes of steel tubing separated by a minimum, half inch thickness of heavy duty neoprene and duck or elastomeric isolation material. Guides shall be Amber/ Booth type AG.
- B. Specification N: For anchors where specifically shown on drawings to accommodate expansion loops and compensators, the vibration isolator manufacturer shall provide all directional acoustical pipe anchors consisting of a telescopic arrangement of two sizes of steel tubing separated by a minimum half inch thickness of heavy duty neoprene and duck or elastomeric isolation material. All-directional anchors shall be Amber/Booth type AG.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

3.1 Isolator and seismic restraints shall be installed as recommended by the manufacturer. Isolate all mechanical equipment 0.75 hp and over per the isolation schedule and these specifications.

# 3.2 PIPING ISOLATION

A. Horizontal Pipe Isolation: all HVAC pumped water, pumped condensate, glycol, and refrigerant piping size 1-1/4" and larger within mechanical rooms shall be isolated. Outside equipment rooms this piping shall be isolated for the greater of 50' or 100 pipe diameters from rotating equipment. For the first 3 support locations from externally isolated equipment provide specification E hangers or specification SB or SX floor mounts with the same deflection as equipment isolators (max 2"). All other piping within the equipment rooms shall be isolated with the same specification isolators with a 3/4" minimum deflection. Steam piping size 1-1/4" and larger which is within an equipment room and connected to rotating equipment

- shall be isolated for three (3) support locations from the equipment. Provide specification E or SB (SX) isolators with the same deflection as the equipment but a minimum of 3/4"
- B. All plumbing pumped water, pumped condensate, and steam piping size 1-1/4" and larger within mechanical rooms shall be isolated the same as HVAC piping (para. 3.2.1). Isolators are not required for any plumbing pumped water, pumped condensate, and steam piping outside of mechanical rooms unless listed in the isolation schedule (para. 3.5.5.)
- C. Pipe Riser Isolation: All variable temperature vertical pipe risers 1-1/4" and larger, riser piping requiring isolation per para. 3.2.1 or 3.2.2 or where specifically shown and detailed on riser drawings shall be fully supported by specification B mounts with precompression plates. Steel spring deflection shall be 3/4-inch minimum except in those locations where added deflection is required due to pipe expansion and contraction. Spring deflection shall be a minimum of 4 times the anticipated deflection change. Springs shall be selected to keep the riser in tension. Pipe risers up through 16" shall be supported at intervals of every third floor of the building. Pipe risers 18" and over, every second floor. Wall sleeves for take-offs from riser shall be sized for insulation O.D. plus two times the anticipated movement to prevent binding. Horizontal take-offs and at upper and lower elbows shall be supported with spring isolators as required to accommodate anticipated movement. In addition to submittal data requirements previously outlined, riser diagrams and calculations shall be submitted for approval. Calculations must show anticipated expansion and contraction at each support point, initial and final loads on the building structure, and spring deflection changes. Submittal data shall include certification that the riser system has been examined for excessive stresses and that none will exist if installed per design proposed. Riser supports shall be Amber/Booth Type SWP.

## 3.3 DUCT ISOLATION:

A. Isolate all duct work with a static pressure 2" W.C. and over in equipment rooms and to minimum of 50 feet from the fan or air handler. Use specification type E hangers or type SB (SX) floor mounts.

# 3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's instructions for the installation and load application of vibration isolation materials and products. Adjust to ensure that units do not exceed rated operating deflections or bottom out under loading, and are not short-circuited by other contacts or bearing points. Remove space blocks and similar devices (if any) intended for temporary support during installation or shipping.
- B. Locate isolation hangers as near the overhead support structure as possible.
- C. Adjust leveling devices as required to distribute loading uniformly on isolators. Shim units as required where leveling devices cannot be used to distribute loading properly.
- D. Install isolated inertia base frames and steel bases on isolator units as indicated so that a minimum of 2 inch clearance below base will result when supported equipment has been installed and loaded for operation.
- E. Roof curbs shall be installed directly to building structural steel or concrete roof deck. Installation on top of steel deck or roofing material is not acceptable.

## 3.5 APPLICATION OF SEISMIC RESTRAINTS

A. ISOLATED EQUIPMENT

- All floor mounted isolated equipment shall be protected with type SB or type C unitized isolator and restraint or with separate type SL restraints (minimum of 4) in conjunction with type B isolators. For equipment with high center of gravity additional cable restraints shall be furnished, as required by isolation manufacturer, to limit forces and motion caused by rocking.
- 2. All suspended isolated equipment and vessels shall be protected with specification SC restraints. Cables shall be installed to prevent excessive seismic motion and so arranged that they do not engage during normal operation.

## B. RIGIDLY MOUNTED EQUIPMENT

1. Floor mounted which are exempt (para.1.2.) shall be protected by properly sized anchor bolts with elastomeric grommets provided by the isolation manufacturer. Suspended equipment shall be protected with type SC bracing.

## C. PIPING

- 1. All piping shall be protected in all planes by SC restraints, designed to accommodate thermal movement as well as restrain seismic motion. (Spring-loaded control rods should be used on flexible connectors in system). Tanks and vessels connected inline to piping shall be restrained independently. Locations shall be as determined by the isolator/seismic restraint supplier and shall include, but not be limited to: (1) At a proximity to protect all drops to equipment connections. (2) At changes in direction of pipe as required to limit over stressing of pipe or movement that contacts other building material. (3) At horizontal runs of pipe, not to exceed the spacing as presented in Amber/Booth design criteria. (4) SMACNA design criteria. Seismic restraints shall not be required for piping exempted by paragraph 1.2.
- 2. Where riser pipes pass through cored holes, core diameters to be a maximum of 2" larger than pipe O.D. including insulation. Cored holes must be packed with resilient material or firestop as provided by other sections of this specification or local codes. No additional horizontal seismic bracing is required. Restrained isolators type C or SB shall support risers and provide longitudinal restraint at floors where thermal expansion is minimal and will not bind isolator restraints. For risers in pipe shafts, specification SC cable restraints shall be installed at each level in a manner that does not interfere with thermal movement.

## D. DUCT WORK

- Duct work 6 square feet and larger in cross sectional area shall be protected in all planes by SC restraints. Locations shall be determined by the isolator supplier and shall include, but not be limited to: (1) at equipment connections as required to protect the connections. (2) at all duct runs and duct run ends (transverse bracing and longitudinal bracing not to exceed spacing specified in Amber/Booth, or SMACNA guidelines).
- 2. The isolation and/or seismic restraints listed shall be furnished and installed for the equipment listed in the table below in accordance with the previous sections of this specification:

## 3.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Representative of seismic restraint system manufacturer to walk the project and provide documentation indicating conformance to ISAT shop drawing seismic restraint layout.

## **END OF SECTION**

#### **SECTION 23 0550**

#### **OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE MANUALS**

## **PART 1- GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. All pertinent sections of Division 21, 22, & 23 Mechanical General Requirements, are part of the work of this Section. Division 1 is part of this and all other sections of these specifications.
  - 1. Testing and Balancing is specified in section 230594.
  - 2. Training and Instructions to Owner's Representative is specified in section 230100.

## 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. Submission of Operating and Maintenance Manuals complete with Balancing reports. (Coordinate with Division 1).
- B. Coordination of work required for system commissioning.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit product data in accordance with Division 1 and Section 230100. Submit the following:
- B. Sample of O and M manual outline.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 O & M MANUALS

- A. The operating and maintenance manuals shall be as follows:
  - 1. Binders shall be red buckram with easy-view metal for size 8-1/2 x 11-inch sheets, with capacity expandable from 2 inches to 3-1/2 inches as required for the project. Construction shall be rivet-through with library corners. No. 12 backbone and lining shall be the same material as the cover. The front cover and backbone shall be foil-stamped in white as follows: (coordinate with Section 1730)

OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL FOR THE

(INSERT PROJECT NAME)

(INSERT PROJECT COMPLETION YEAR)

## VOLUME No. ()

# VAN BOERUM & FRANK ASSOCIATES, INC. MECHANICAL ENGINEER

(INSERT ARCHITECT)

Binders shall be a manufactured by Hiller Bookbinding.

#### **PART 3- EXECUTION**

## 3.1 OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS:

- A. Work under this section shall be performed in concert with the contractor performing the system testing and balancing. Six (6) copies of the manuals shall be furnished to the Architect for distribution to the owner.
- B. The "Start-Up and Operation" section is one of the most important in the manual. Information in this section shall be complete and accurately written and shall be verified with the actual equipment on the job, such as switches, starters, relays, automatic controls, etc. A step-by-step start-up procedure shall be described.
- C. The manuals shall include water-balancing reports, system commissioning procedures, startup tests and reports, equipment and system performance test reports, warranties, and certificates of training given to the owner's representatives.
- D. An index sheet typed on AICO Gold-Line indexes shall be provided in the front of the binder. The manual shall be include the following:

SYSTEM DESCRIPTIONS

START-UP PROCEDURE AND OPERATION OF SYSTEM

MAINTENANCE AND LUBRICATION TABLE

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE BULLETINS

AUTOMATIC TEMPERATURE CONTROL DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION, INTERLOCK AND CONTROL DIAGRAMS, AND CONTROL PANELS.

AIR AND WATER SYSTEM BALANCING REPORTS

**EQUIPMENT WARRANTIES AND TRAINING CERTIFICATES** 

SYSTEM COMMISSIONING REPORTS

**EQUIPMENT START-UP CERTIFICATES** 

## **END OF SECTION**

## **SECTION 23 0553**

## **IDENTIFICATION FOR PIPING & EQUIPMENT**

## **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. This Section includes mechanical identification materials and devices.
- B. Provide red lettering on the ceiling tiles of the locations of all fire dampers, smoke dampers and fire /smoke dampers. Size of lettering and verbiage is to conform to IBC and NFPA standards.
- C. All specialty gas piping shall be identified.
- D. Following existing Huntsman standards and colors.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For identification materials and devices.
- B. Samples: Of color, lettering style, and graphic representation required for each identification material and device.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Comply with ASME A13.1, "Scheme for the Identification of Piping Systems" for lettering size, length of color field, colors, and viewing angles of identification devices.

#### 1.5 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate installation of identifying devices with completion of covering and painting of surfaces where devices are to be applied.
- B. Install identifying devices before installing acoustical ceilings and similar concealment.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 IDENTIFYING DEVICES AND LABELS

A. General: Products specified are for applications referenced in other Division 22 & 23 Sections. If more than single type is specified for listed applications, selection is Installer's option.

- B. Equipment Nameplates: Metal permanently fastened to equipment with data engraved or stamped.
  - 1. Data: Manufacturer, product name, model number, serial number, capacity, operating and power characteristics, labels of tested compliances, and essential data.
  - 2. Location: Accessible and visible.
- C. Stencils: Standard stencils, prepared with letter sizes conforming to recommendations of ASME A13.1. Minimum letter height is 1-1/4 inches for ducts, and 3/4 inch for access door signs and similar operational instructions.
  - 1. Stencil Paint: Exterior, oil-based, alkyd gloss black enamel, unless otherwise indicated. Paint may be in pressurized spray-can form.
  - 2. Identification Paint: Exterior, oil-based, alkyd enamel in colors according to ASME A13.1, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Snap-On Plastic Pipe Markers: Manufacturer's standard preprinted, semirigid, snap-on type. Include color-coding according to ASME A13.1, unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Pipes with OD, Including Insulation, Less Than 6 Inches: Full-band pipe markers, extending 360 degrees around pipe at each location.
- F. Pipes with OD, Including Insulation, 6 Inches and Larger: Either full-band or strip-type pipe markers, at least 3 times letter height and of length required for label.
- G. Lettering: Manufacturer's standard preprinted captions as selected by Engineer.
- H. Lettering: Use piping system terms indicated and abbreviate only as necessary for each application length.
  - 1. Arrows: Either integrally with piping system service lettering, to accommodate both directions, or as separate unit, on each pipe marker to indicate direction of flow.
- I. Plastic Duct Markers: Manufacturer's standard laminated plastic, in the following color codes:
  - 1. Green: Cold-air supply.
  - 2. Yellow: Hot-air supply.
  - 3. Blue: Exhaust, outside, return, and mixed air.
  - 4. Hazardous Material Exhausts: Use colors and designs recommended by ASME A13.1.
  - 5. Terminology: Include direction of airflow; duct service such as supply, return, and exhaust; duct origin, duct destination, and design flow.
- J. Plastic Tape: Manufacturer's standard color-coded, pressure-sensitive, self-adhesive, vinyl tape, at least 3 mils thick.
  - 1. Width: 1-1/2 inches on pipes with OD, including insulation, less than 6 inches; 2-1/2 inches for larger pipes.
  - 2. Color: Comply with ASME A13.1, unless otherwise indicated.
- K. Valve Tags: Stamped or engraved with 1/4-inch letters for piping system abbreviation and 1/2-inch sequenced numbers. Include 5/32-inch hole for fastener.
  - 1. Material: 0.032-inch- thick, polished brass...
  - 2. Size: 1-1/2-inches diameter, unless otherwise required.
  - 3. Indicate valve service and normal position on valve. Example Cold water, N.O.
- L. Valve Tag Fasteners: Brass, wire-link or beaded chain; or brass S-hooks.

- M. Valve Tag Fasteners: Brass, wire-link chain; beaded chain; or S-hooks.
- N. Access Panel Markers: 1/16-inch- thick, engraved plastic-laminate markers, with abbreviated terms and numbers corresponding to concealed valve. Provide 1/8-inch center hole for attachment.
- O. Plastic Equipment Markers: Manufacturer's standard laminated plastic, in the following color codes:
  - 1. Green: Cooling equipment and components.
  - 2. Yellow: Heating equipment and components.
  - 3. Brown: Energy reclamation equipment and components.
  - 4. Blue: Equipment and components that do not meet criteria above.
  - 5. Hazardous Equipment: Use colors and designs recommended by ASME A13.1.
  - 6. Terminology: Match schedules as closely as possible. Include the following:
    - a. Name and plan number.
    - b. Equipment service.
    - c. Design capacity.
    - d. Other design parameters such as pressure drop, entering and leaving conditions, and speed.
  - 7. Size: 2-1/2 by 4 inches for control devices, dampers, and valves; 4-1/2 by 6 inches for equipment.
- P. Lettering and Graphics: Coordinate names, abbreviations, and other designations used in mechanical identification with corresponding designations indicated. Use numbers, letters, and terms indicated for proper identification, operation, and maintenance of mechanical systems and equipment.
  - Multiple Systems: Identify individual system number and service if multiple systems of same name are indicated.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 LABELING AND IDENTIFYING PIPING SYSTEMS

- A. Install pipe markers on each system. Include arrows showing normal direction of flow.
- B. Marker Type: Stenciled markers with painted, color-coded bands complying with ASME A13.1.
- C. Marker Type: Plastic markers, with application systems. Install on pipe insulation segment where required for hot, noninsulated pipes.
- D. Fasten markers on pipes and insulated pipes by one of following methods:
  - 1. Snap-on application of pretensioned, semirigid plastic pipe marker.
  - 2. Adhesive lap joint in pipe marker overlap.
  - 3. Laminated or bonded application of pipe marker to pipe or insulation.
  - 4. Taped to pipe or insulation with color-coded plastic adhesive tape, not less than 3/4 inch wide, lapped a minimum of 1-1/2 inches at both ends of pipe marker, and covering full circumference of pipe.
  - 5. Taped to pipe or insulation with color-coded plastic adhesive tape, not less than 1-1/2 inches wide, lapped a minimum of 3 inches at both ends of pipe marker, and covering full

circumference of pipe.

- E. Locate pipe markers and color bands where piping is exposed in finished spaces; machine rooms; accessible maintenance spaces such as shafts, tunnels, and plenums; and exterior nonconcealed locations according to the following:
  - 1. Near each valve and control device.
  - 2. Near each branch connection, excluding short takeoffs for fixtures and terminal units. Mark each pipe at branch, where flow pattern is not obvious.
  - 3. Near penetrations through walls, floors, ceilings, or nonaccessible enclosures.
  - 4. At access doors, manholes, and similar access points that permit view of concealed piping.
  - 5. Near major equipment items and other points of origination and termination.
  - 6. Spaced at a maximum of 50-foot intervals along each run. Reduce intervals to 25 feet in areas of congested piping and equipment.
  - 7. On piping above removable acoustical ceilings, except omit intermediately spaced markers.

## 3.2 VALVE TAGS

- A. Install on valves and control devices in piping systems, except check valves, valves within factory-fabricated equipment units, plumbing fixture supply stops, shutoff valves, faucets, convenience and lawn-watering hose connections, and HVAC terminal devices and similar roughing-in connections of end-use fixtures and units. Indicate service and normal position of all tagged valve and control devices. List tagged valves in valve schedule.
- B. Tag Material: Brass.

## 3.3 EQUIPMENT SIGNS AND MARKERS

- A. Install engraved plastic-laminate signs or equipment markers on or near each major item of mechanical equipment. Include signs for the following general categories of equipment:
  - 1. Main control and operating valves, including safety devices and hazardous units such as gas outlets.
  - 2. Fire department hose valves and hose stations.
  - 3. Meters, gages, thermometers, and similar units.
  - 4. Fuel-burning units, including boilers, furnaces, heaters, stills, and absorption units.
  - 5. Pumps, compressors, chillers, condensers, and similar motor-driven units.
  - 6. Heat exchangers, coils, evaporators, cooling towers, heat recovery units, and similar equipment.
  - 7. Fans, blowers, primary balancing dampers, and mixing boxes.
  - 8. Packaged HVAC central-station and zone-type units.
  - 9. Tanks and pressure vessels.
  - 10. Strainers, filters, humidifiers, water-treatment systems, and similar equipment.
- B. Optional Sign Types: Stenciled signs may be provided instead of engraved plastic, at Installer's option, where lettering larger than 1-inch high is needed for proper identification because of distance from normal location of required identification.
  - 1. Lettering Size: Minimum 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-fourths the size of principal lettering.
  - 2. Terms on Signs: Distinguish between multiple units, indicate operational requirements, indicate safety and emergency precautions, warn of hazards and improper operations,

and identify units.

- C. Duct Systems: Identify air supply, return, exhaust, intake, and relief ducts with duct markers; or provide stenciled signs and arrows showing service and direction of flow.
  - 1. Location: Locate signs near points where ducts enter into concealed spaces and at maximum intervals of 50 feet in each space where ducts are exposed or concealed by removable ceiling system.

## 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Relocate mechanical identification materials and devices that have become visually blocked by work of this or other Divisions.
- B. Clean faces of identification devices and glass frames of valve charts.

**END OF SECTION** 

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## **SECTION 23 0594**

## GENERAL TESTING, ADJUSTING, BALANCING AND COMMISSIONING

#### **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. This Section includes testing, adjusting, and balancing HVAC systems to produce design objectives, including the following:
  - 1. Balancing airflow and water flow within distribution systems, including submains, branches, and terminals, to indicated quantities according to specified tolerances.
  - 2. Adjusting total HVAC systems to provide indicated quantities.
  - 3. Measuring electrical performance of HVAC equipment.
  - 4. Setting quantitative performance of HVAC equipment.
  - 5. Verifying that automatic control devices are functioning properly.
  - 6. Measuring sound and vibration.
  - 7. Reporting results of the activities and procedures specified in this Section.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Adjust: To regulate fluid flow rate and air patterns at the terminal equipment, such as to reduce fan speed or adjust a damper.
- B. Balance: To proportion flows within the distribution system, including submains, branches, and terminals, according to design quantities.
- C. Draft: A current of air, when referring to localized effect caused by one or more factors of high air velocity, low ambient temperature, or direction of airflow, whereby more heat is withdrawn from a person's skin than is normally dissipated.
- Procedure: An approach to and execution of a sequence of work operations to yield repeatable results.
- E. Report Forms: Test data sheets for recording test data in logical order.
- F. Static Head: The pressure due to the weight of the fluid above the point of measurement. In a closed system, static head is equal on both sides of the pump.
- G. Suction Head: The height of fluid surface above the centerline of the pump on the suction side.
- H. System Effect: A phenomenon that can create undesired or unpredicted conditions that cause reduced capacities in all or part of a system.
- System Effect Factors: Allowances used to calculate a reduction of the performance ratings of a fan when installed under conditions different from those presented when the fan was performance tested.

- J. Terminal: A point where the controlled medium, such as fluid or energy, enters or leaves the distribution system.
- K. Test: A procedure to determine quantitative performance of a system or equipment.
- L. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Agent: The entity responsible for performing and reporting the testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures.
- M. AABC: Associated Air Balance Council.
- N. AMCA: Air Movement and Control Association.
- O. NEBB: National Environmental Balancing Bureau.
- P. SMACNA: Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors' National Association.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Contract Documents Examination Report: Within 90 days from the Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit 2 copies of the Contract Documents review report as specified in Part 3 of this Section.
- B. Strategies and Procedures Plan: Within 120 days from the Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit 2 copies of the testing, adjusting, and balancing strategies and step-by-step procedures as specified in Part 3 "Preparation" Article below. Include a complete set of report forms intended for use on this Project.
- C. Certified Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Reports: Submit 2 copies of reports prepared, as specified in this Section, on approved forms certified by the testing, adjusting, and balancing Agent.
- D. Sample Report Forms: Submit 2 sets of sample testing, adjusting, and balancing report forms.
- E. Warranty: Submit 2 copies of special warranty specified in the "Warranty" Article below.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Agent Qualifications: Engage a testing, adjusting, and balancing agent certified by either AABC or NEBB. Balancing may only be performed by the following:
  - 1. BTC Services, Inc.
  - 2. Bonneville Test & Balance
  - 3. Certified Test & Balance
  - 4. RSAnalysis
  - 5. Test & Balance Inc.
- B. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Conference: Meet with the Owner's and the Architect's representatives on approval of the testing, adjusting, and balancing strategies and procedures plan to develop a mutual understanding of the details. Ensure the participation of testing, adjusting, and balancing team members, equipment manufacturers' authorized service representatives, HVAC controls Installer, and other support personnel. Provide 14ays' advance notice of scheduled meeting time and location.
  - 1. Agenda Items: Include at least the following:

- a. Submittal distribution requirements.
- b. Contract Documents examination report.
- c. Testing, adjusting, and balancing plan.
- d. Work schedule and Project site access requirements.
- e. Coordination and cooperation of trades and subcontractors.
- f. Coordination of documentation and communication flow.
- C. Certification of Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Reports: Certify the testing, adjusting, and balancing field data reports. This certification includes the following:
  - 1. Review field data reports to validate accuracy of data and to prepare certified testing, adjusting, and balancing reports.
  - 2. Certify that the testing, adjusting, and balancing team complied with the approved testing, adjusting, and balancing plan and the procedures specified and referenced in this Specification.
- D. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Reports: Use standard forms from AABC's "National Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing" or frame NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems."
- E. Instrumentation Type, Quantity, and Accuracy: As described in NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems," Section II, "Required Instrumentation for NEBB Certification."
- F. Instrumentation Calibration: Calibrate instruments at least every 6 months or more frequently if required by the instrument manufacturer.

#### 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Partial Owner Occupancy: The Owner may occupy completed areas of the building before Substantial Completion. Cooperate with the Owner during testing, adjusting, and balancing operations to minimize conflicts with the Owner's operations.

#### 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate the efforts of factory-authorized service representatives for systems and equipment, HVAC controls installers, and other mechanics to operate HVAC systems and equipment to support and assist testing, adjusting, and balancing activities.
- B. Notice: Provide 7 days' advance notice for each test. Include scheduled test dates and times.
- C. Perform testing, adjusting, and balancing after leakage and pressure tests on air and water distribution systems have been satisfactorily completed.

# 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. General Warranty: The national project performance guarantee specified in this Article shall not deprive the Owner of other rights the Owner may have under other provisions of the Contract Documents and shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties made by the Contractor under requirements of the Contract Documents.
- B. National Project Performance Guarantee: Provide a guarantee on AABC or NEBB forms stating that AABC or NEBB will assist in completing the requirements of the Contract Documents if the testing, adjusting, and balancing Agent fails to comply with the Contract Documents. Guarantee includes the following provisions:

- The certified Agent has tested and balanced systems according to the Contract Documents.
- 2. Systems are balanced to optimum performance capabilities within design and installation limits.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine Contract Documents to become familiar with project requirements and to discover conditions in systems' designs that may preclude proper testing, adjusting, and balancing of systems and equipment.
  - Contract Documents are defined in the General and Supplementary Conditions of the Contract.
  - Verify that balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, flow-control devices, balancing valves and fittings, and manual volume dampers, are required by the Contract Documents. Verify that quantities and locations of these balancing devices are accessible and appropriate for effective balancing and for efficient system and equipment operation.
- B. Examine approved submittal data of HVAC systems and equipment.
- C. Examine project record documents described in Division 1 Section "Project Record Documents."
- D. Examine equipment performance data, including fan and pump curves. Relate performance data to project conditions and requirements, including system effects that can create undesired or unpredicted conditions that cause reduced capacities in all or part of a system. Calculate system effect factors to reduce the performance ratings of HVAC equipment when installed under conditions different from those presented when the equipment was performance tested at the factory. To calculate system effects for air systems, use tables and charts found in AMCA 201, "Fans and Systems," Sections 7 through 10; or in SMACNA's "HVAC Systems--Duct Design," Sections 5 and 6. Compare this data with the design data and installed conditions.
- E. Examine system and equipment installations to verify that they are complete and that testing, cleaning, adjusting, and commissioning specified in individual Specification Sections have been performed.
- F. Examine system and equipment test reports.
- G. Examine HVAC system and equipment installations to verify that indicated balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, flow-control devices, balancing valves and fittings, and manual volume dampers, are properly installed, and their locations are accessible and appropriate for effective balancing and for efficient system and equipment operation.
- H. Examine systems for functional deficiencies that cannot be corrected by adjusting and balancing.
- Examine air-handling equipment to ensure clean filters have been installed, bearings are greased, belts are aligned and tight, and equipment with functioning controls is ready for operation.

- J. Examine terminal units, such as variable-air-volume boxes and mixing boxes, to verify that they are accessible and their controls are connected and functioning.
- K. Examine plenum ceilings, utilized for supply air, to verify that they are airtight. Verify that pipe penetrations and other holes are sealed.
- L. Examine strainers for clean screens and proper perforations.
- M. Examine 3-way valves for proper installation for their intended function of diverting or mixing fluid flows.
- N. Examine heat-transfer coils for correct piping connections and for clean and straight fins.
- O. Examine open-piping-system pumps to ensure absence of entrained air in the suction piping.
- P. Examine equipment for installation and for properly operating safety interlocks and controls.
- Q. Examine automatic temperature system components to verify the following:
  - 1. Dampers, valves, and other controlled devices operate by the intended controller.
  - 2. Dampers and valves are in the position indicated by the controller.
  - 3. Integrity of valves and dampers for free and full operation and for tightness of fully closed and fully open positions. This includes dampers in multizone units, mixing boxes, and variable-air-volume terminals.
  - 4. Automatic modulating and shutoff valves, including 2-way valves and 3-way mixing and diverting valves, are properly connected.
  - 5. Thermostats and humidistats are located to avoid adverse effects of sunlight, drafts, and cold walls.
  - 6. Sensors are located to sense only the intended conditions.
  - 7. Sequence of operation for control modes is according to the Contract Documents.
  - 8. Controller set points are set at design values. Observe and record system reactions to changes in conditions. Record default set points if different from design values.
  - 9. Interlocked systems are operating.
  - Changeover from heating to cooling mode occurs according to design values.
- R. Report deficiencies discovered before and during performance of testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare a testing, adjusting, and balancing plan that includes strategies and step-by-step procedures.
- B. Complete system readiness checks and prepare system readiness reports. Verify the following:
  - 1. Permanent electrical power wiring is complete.
  - 2. Hydronic systems are filled, clean, and free of air.
  - 3. Automatic temperature-control systems are operational.
  - 4. Equipment and duct access doors are securely closed.
  - 5. Balance, smoke, and fire dampers are open.
  - 6. Isolating and balancing valves are open and control valves are operational.
  - 7. Ceilings are installed in critical areas where air-pattern adjustments are required and access to balancing devices is provided.
  - 8. Windows and doors can be closed so design conditions for system operations can be met.

#### 3.3 GENERAL TESTING AND BALANCING PROCEDURES

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures on each system according to the procedures contained in AABC or NEBB national standards and this Section.
- B. Cut insulation, ducts, pipes, and equipment cabinets for installation of test probes to the minimum extent necessary to allow adequate performance of procedures. After testing and balancing, close probe holes and patch insulation with new materials identical to those removed. Restore vapor barrier and finish according to the insulation Specifications for this Project.
- C. Mark equipment settings with paint or other suitable, permanent identification material, including damper-control positions, valve indicators, fan-speed-control levers, and similar controls and devices, to show final settings.

## 3.4 FUNDAMENTAL AIR SYSTEMS' BALANCING PROCEDURES

- A. Prepare test reports for both fans and outlets. Obtain manufacturer's outlet factors and recommended testing procedures. Crosscheck the summation of required outlet volumes with required fan volumes.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" duct layouts.
- C. For variable-air-volume systems, develop a plan to simulate diversity.
- D. Determine the best locations in main and branch ducts for accurate duct airflow measurements.
- E. Check the airflow patterns from the outside-air louvers and dampers and the return- and exhaustair dampers, through the supply-fan discharge and mixing dampers.
- F. Locate start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
- G. Verify that motor starters are equipped with properly sized thermal protection.
- H. Check dampers for proper position to achieve desired airflow path.
- Check for airflow blockages.
- J. Check condensate drains for proper connections and functioning.
- K. Check for proper sealing of air-handling unit components.

## 3.5 CONSTANT-VOLUME AIR SYSTEMS' BALANCING PROCEDURES

- A. The procedures in this Article apply to constant-volume supply-, return-, and exhaust-air systems. Additional procedures are required for variable-air-volume, multizone, dual-duct, induction-unit supply-air systems and process exhaust-air systems. These additional procedures are specified in other articles in this Section.
- B. Adjust fans to deliver total design airflows within the maximum allowable rpm listed by the fan manufacturer.
  - Measure fan static pressures to determine actual static pressure as follows:
    - Measure outlet static pressure as far downstream from the fan as practicable and upstream from restrictions in ducts such as elbows and transitions.
    - b. Measure static pressure directly at the fan outlet or through the flexible connection.

- c. Measure inlet static pressure of single-inlet fans in the inlet duct as near the fan as possible, upstream from flexible connection and downstream from duct restrictions.
- d. Measure inlet static pressure of double-inlet fans through the wall of the plenum that houses the fan.
- 2. Measure static pressure across each air-handling unit component.
  - a. Simulate dirty filter operation and record the point at which maintenance personnel must change filters.
- 3. Measure static pressures entering and leaving other devices such as sound traps, heat recovery equipment, and air washers under final balanced conditions.
- 4. Compare design data with installed conditions to determine variations in design static pressures versus actual static pressures. Compare actual system effect factors with calculated system effect factors to identify where variations occur. Recommend corrective action to align design and actual conditions.
- 5. Adjust fan speed higher or lower than design to achieve design conditions. Make required adjustments to pulley sizes, motor sizes, and electrical connections to accommodate fan-speed changes.
- 6. Do not make fan-speed adjustments that result in motor overload. Consult equipment manufacturers about fan-speed safety factors. Modulate dampers and measure fan-motor amperage to ensure no overload will occur. Measure amperage in full cooling, full heating, and economizer modes to determine the maximum required brake horsepower.
- C. Adjust volume dampers for main duct, submain ducts, and major branch ducts to design airflows within specified tolerances.
  - 1. Measure static pressure at a point downstream from the balancing damper and adjust volume dampers until the proper static pressure is achieved.
    - a. Where sufficient space in submains and branch ducts is unavailable for Pitot-tube traverse measurements, measure airflow at terminal outlets and inlets and calculate the total airflow for that zone.
  - 2. Remeasure each submain and branch duct after all have been adjusted. Continue to adjust submains and branch ducts to design airflows within specified tolerances.
- D. Measure terminal outlets and inlets without making adjustments.
  - 1. Measure terminal outlets using a direct-reading hood or the outlet manufacturer's written instructions and calculating factors.
- E. Adjust terminal outlets and inlets for each space to design airflows within specified tolerances of design values. Make adjustments using volume dampers rather than extractors and the dampers at the air terminals.
  - 1. Adjust each outlet in the same room or space to within specified tolerances of design quantities without generating noise levels above the limitations prescribed by the Contract Documents.
  - 2. Adjust patterns of adjustable outlets for proper distribution without drafts.

## 3.6 VARIABLE-AIR-VOLUME SYSTEMS' ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES

A. Compensating for Diversity: When the total airflow of all terminal units is more than the fan design airflow volume, place a selected number of terminal units at a maximum set-point airflow

condition until the total airflow of the terminal units equals the design airflow of the fan. Select the reduced airflow terminal units so they are distributed evenly among the branch ducts.

- B. Pressure-Independent, Variable-Air-Volume Systems: After the fan systems have been adjusted, adjust the variable-air-volume systems as follows:
  - Set outside-air dampers at minimum, and return- and exhaust-air dampers at a position that simulates full-cooling load.
  - Select the terminal unit that is most critical to the supply-fan airflow and static pressure.
     Measure static pressure. Adjust system static pressure so the entering static pressure
     for the critical terminal unit is not less than the sum of the terminal unit manufacturer's
     recommended minimum inlet static pressure plus the static pressure needed to overcome
     terminal-unit discharge duct losses.
  - Measure total system airflow. Adjust to within 10 percent of design airflow.
  - 4. Set terminal units at maximum airflow and adjust controller or regulator to deliver the designed maximum airflow. Use the terminal unit manufacturer's written instructions to make this adjustment. When total airflow is correct, balance the air outlets downstream from terminal units as described for constant-volume air systems.
  - 5. Set terminal units at minimum airflow and adjust controller or regulator to deliver the designed minimum airflow. Check air outlets for a proportional reduction in airflow as described for constant-volume air systems.
    - a. If air outlets are out of balance at minimum airflow, report the condition but leave the outlets balanced for maximum airflow.
  - 6. Remeasure the return airflow to the fan while operating at maximum return airflow and minimum outside airflow. Adjust the fan and balance the return-air ducts and inlets as described for constant-volume air systems.
  - 7. Measure static pressure at the most critical terminal unit and adjust the static-pressure controller at the main supply-air sensing station to ensure adequate static pressure is maintained at the most critical unit.
  - 8. Record the final fan performance data.
- C. Pressure-Dependent, Variable-Air-Volume Systems without Diversity: After the fan systems have been adjusted, adjust the variable-air-volume systems as follows:
  - 1. Balance systems similar to constant-volume air systems.
  - 2. Set terminal units and supply fan at full-airflow condition.
  - 3. Adjust inlet dampers of each terminal unit to design airflow and verify operation of the static-pressure controller. When total airflow is correct, balance the air outlets downstream from terminal units as described for constant-volume air systems.
  - 4. Readjust fan airflow for final maximum readings.
  - 5. Measure operating static pressure at the sensor that controls the supply fan, if one is installed, and verify operation of the static-pressure controller.
  - 6. Set supply fan at minimum airflow if minimum airflow is indicated. Measure static pressure to verify that it is being maintained by the controller.
  - 7. Set terminal units at minimum airflow and adjust controller or regulator to deliver the designed minimum airflow. Check air outlets for a proportional reduction in airflow as described for constant-volume air systems.
    - a. If air outlets are out of balance at minimum airflow, report the condition but leave the outlets balanced for maximum airflow.
  - 8. Measure the return airflow to the fan while operating at maximum return airflow and minimum outside airflow. Adjust the fan and balance the return-air ducts and inlets as described for constant-volume air systems.

- D. Pressure-Dependent, Variable-Air-Volume Systems with Diversity: After the fan systems have been adjusted, adjust the variable-air-volume systems as follows:
  - 1. Set system at maximum design airflow by setting the required number of terminal units at minimum airflow. Select the reduced airflow terminal units so they are distributed evenly among the branch ducts.
  - 2. Adjust supply fan to maximum design airflow with the variable-airflow controller set at maximum airflow.
  - 3. Set terminal units being tested at full-airflow condition.
  - 4. Adjust terminal units starting at the supply-fan end of the system and continuing progressively to the end of the system. Adjust inlet dampers of each terminal unit to design airflow. When total airflow is correct, balance the air outlets downstream from terminal units as described for constant-volume air systems.
  - 5. Adjust terminal units for minimum airflow.
  - 6. Measure static pressure at the sensor.
  - 7. Measure the return airflow to the fan while operating at maximum return airflow and minimum outside airflow. Adjust the fan and balance the return-air ducts and inlets as described for constant-volume air systems.

#### 3.7 FUNDAMENTAL PROCEDURES FOR HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports with pertinent design data and number in sequence starting at pump to end of system. Check the sum of branch-circuit flows against approved pump flow rate. Correct variations that exceed plus or minus 5 percent.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" piping layouts.
- C. Prepare hydronic systems for testing and balancing according to the following, in addition to the general preparation procedures specified above:
  - 1. Open all manual valves for maximum flow.
  - Check expansion tank liquid level.
  - 3. Check makeup-water-station pressure gage for adequate pressure for highest vent.
  - 4. Check flow-control valves for specified sequence of operation and set at design flow.
  - 5. Set differential-pressure control valves at the specified differential pressure. Do not set at fully closed position when pump is positive-displacement type, unless several terminal valves are kept open.
  - 6. Set system controls so automatic valves are wide open to heat exchangers.
  - Check pump-motor load. If motor is overloaded, throttle main flow-balancing device so motor nameplate rating is not exceeded.
  - 8. Check air vents for a forceful liquid flow exiting from vents when manually operated.

#### 3.8 HYDRONIC SYSTEMS' BALANCING PROCEDURES

- A. Determine water flow at pumps. Use the following procedures, except for positive-displacement pumps:
  - 1. Verify impeller size by operating the pump with the discharge valve closed. Verify with the pump manufacturer that this will not damage pump. Read pressure differential across the pump. Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights. Note the point on the manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and confirm that the pump has the intended impeller size.
  - 2. Check system resistance. With all valves open, read pressure differential across the pump and mark the pump manufacturer's head-capacity curve. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.

- 3. Verify pump-motor brake horsepower. Calculate the intended brake horsepower for the system based on the pump manufacturer's performance data. Compare calculated brake horsepower with nameplate data on the pump motor. Report conditions where actual amperage exceeds motor nameplate amperage.
- 4. Report flow rates that are not within plus or minus 5 percent of design.
- B. Set calibrated balancing valves, if installed, at calculated presettings.
- C. Measure flow at all stations and adjust, where necessary, to obtain first balance.
  - 1. System components that have Cv rating or an accurately cataloged flow-pressure-drop relationship may be used as a flow-indicating device.
- D. Measure flow at main balancing station and set main balancing device to achieve flow that is 5 percent greater than design flow.
- E. Adjust balancing stations to within specified tolerances of design flow rate as follows:
  - 1. Determine the balancing station with the highest percentage over design flow.
  - 2. Adjust each station in turn, beginning with the station with the highest percentage over design flow and proceeding to the station with the lowest percentage over design flow.
  - 3. Record settings and mark balancing devices.
- F. Measure pump flow rate and make final measurements of pump amperage, voltage, rpm, pump heads, and systems' pressures and temperatures, including outdoor-air temperature.
- G. Measure the differential-pressure control valve settings existing at the conclusions of balancing.

## 3.9 VARIABLE-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS' ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES

A. Balance systems with automatic 2- and 3-way control valves by setting systems at maximum flow through heat-exchange terminals and proceed as specified above for hydronic systems.

## 3.10 PRIMARY-SECONDARY-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS' ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES

A. Balance the primary system crossover flow first, then balance the secondary system.

# 3.11 MOTORS

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

#### 3.12 HEAT-TRANSFER COILS

- A. Water Coils: Measure the following data for each coil:
  - 1. Entering- and leaving-water temperatures.
  - 2. Water flow rate.
  - 3. Water pressure drop.
  - 4. Dry-bulb temperatures of entering and leaving air.
  - 5. Wet-bulb temperatures of entering and leaving air for cooling coils designed for more than 5000 cfm.
  - 6. Airflow.
  - Air pressure drop.
- B. Reheat and Fan Coils: Measure the following data for each coil:
  - 1. Entering water temperature.
  - 2. Entering air temperature.
  - 3. Leaving air temperature.
  - 4. Air Flow

# 3.13 TEMPERATURE TESTING

- A. During testing, adjusting, and balancing, report need for adjustment in temperature regulation within the automatic temperature-control system.
- B. Measure indoor wet- and dry-bulb temperatures every other hour for a period of 2 successive 8-hour days, in each separately controlled zone, to prove correctness of final temperature settings. Measure when the building or zone is occupied.
- C. Measure outside-air, wet- and dry-bulb temperatures.

## 3.14 TEMPERATURE-CONTROL VERIFICATION

- A. Verify that controllers are calibrated and commissioned.
- B. Check transmitter and controller locations and note conditions that would adversely affect control functions.
- C. Record controller settings and note variances between set points and actual measurements.
- D. Verify operation of limiting controllers (i.e., high- and low-temperature controllers).
- E. Verify free travel and proper operation of control devices such as damper and valve operators.
- F. Verify sequence of operation of control devices. Note air pressures and device positions and correlate with airflow and water-flow measurements. Note the speed of response to input changes.
- G. Confirm interaction of electrically operated switch transducers.
- H. Confirm interaction of interlock and lockout systems.
- I. Verify main control supply-air pressure and observe compressor and dryer operations.
- Record voltages of power supply and controller output. Determine if the system operates on a grounded or nongrounded power supply.

K. Note operation of electric actuators using spring return for proper fail-safe operations.

## 3.15 TOLERANCES

- A. Set HVAC system airflow and water flow rates within the following tolerances:
  - 1. Supply, Return, and Exhaust Fans: +/- 10%.
  - 2. Air Outlets and Inlets: +/- 10%.
  - 3. Heating-Water Flow Rate: +/- 10%.
  - 4. Cooling-Water Flow Rate: +/- 10%.

## 3.16 REPORTING

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

## 3.17 FINAL REPORT

- A. General: Typewritten, or computer printout in letter-quality font, on standard bond paper, in 3-ring binder, tabulated and divided into sections by tested and balanced systems.
- B. Include a certification sheet in front of binder signed and sealed by the certified testing and balancing engineer.
  - 1. Include a list of the instruments used for procedures, along with proof of calibration.
- C. Final Report Contents: In addition to the certified field report data, include the following:
  - 1. Pump curves.
  - Fan curves.
  - 3. Manufacturers' test data.
  - 4. Field test reports prepared by system and equipment installers.
  - 5. Other information relative to equipment performance, but do not include approved Shop Drawings and Product Data.
- D. General Report Data: In addition to the form titles and entries, include the following data in the final report, as applicable:
  - 1. Title page.
  - 2. Name and address of testing, adjusting, and balancing Agent.
  - Project name.
  - 4. Project location.
  - 5. Architect's name and address.
  - 6. Engineer's name and address.
  - 7. Contractor's name and address.

- 8. Report date.
- 9. Signature of testing, adjusting, and balancing Agent who certifies the report.
- 10. Summary of contents, including the following:
  - a. Design versus final performance.
  - b. Notable characteristics of systems.
  - c. Description of system operation sequence if it varies from the Contract Documents.
- 11. Nomenclature sheets for each item of equipment.
- 12. Data for terminal units, including manufacturer, type size, and fittings.
- 13. Notes to explain why certain final data in the body of reports vary from design values.
- 14. Test conditions for fans and pump performance forms, including the following:
  - a. Settings for outside-, return-, and exhaust-air dampers.
  - b. Conditions of filters.
  - c. Cooling coil, wet- and dry-bulb conditions.
  - d. Fan drive settings, including settings and percentage of maximum pitch diameter.
  - e. Settings for supply-air, static-pressure controller.
  - f. Other system operating conditions that affect performance.
- E. System Diagrams: Include schematic layouts of air and hydronic distribution systems. Present with single-line diagrams and include the following:
  - 1. Quantities of outside, supply, return, and exhaust airflows.
  - 2. Water and steam flow rates.
  - Duct. outlet, and inlet sizes.
  - 4. Pipe and valve sizes and locations.
  - 5. Terminal units.
  - 6. Balancing stations.
- F. Equipment Test Reports: For all equipment tested:
  - 1. Unit Data: Include the following:
    - a. Unit identification.
    - b. Location.
    - c. Make and type.
    - d. Model number and unit size.
    - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
  - 2. Motor Data: Include the following:
    - a. Make and frame type and size.
    - b. Horsepower and rpm.
    - c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
    - d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
  - 3. Test Data: Include design and actual values for the following: (all elements of the system that were tested, including air and water flows, static pressures, pump hoods, inlet and outlet static pressures, inlet, outlet pressure type of coils, raws, circuits face areas, inlet, outer wet bulb, dry bulb temperatures, duct sizes tested, inlet and outlet flows temperatures and pressures and all other pertinent data. The report to be organized per each item tested.)
    - a. Total rate in cfm, gpm and lbs/hr.
    - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
    - c. Fan rpm.
    - d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.

- e. Filter static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- f. Preheat coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- g. Cooling coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- h. Heating coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- i. Outside airflow in cfm.
- j. Return airflow in cfm.
- k. Outside-air damper position.
- I. Return-air damper position.
- G. Instrument Calibration Reports: For instrument calibration, include the following:
  - 1. Report Data: Include the following:
    - a. Instrument type and make.
    - b. Serial number.
    - c. Application.
    - d. Dates of use.
    - e. Dates of calibration.

#### 3.18 ADDITIONAL TESTS

- A. Within 120 days of completing testing, adjusting, and balancing, perform additional testing and balancing to verify that balanced conditions are being maintained throughout and to correct unusual conditions.
- B. Seasonal Periods: If initial testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures were not performed during near-peak summer and winter conditions, perform additional inspections, testing, and adjusting during near-peak summer and winter conditions.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 23 0719**

#### **HVAC PIPING INSULATION**

## **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 insulating the following HVAC piping systems:
  - 1. Condensate drain piping.
  - 2. Chilled-water piping.
  - 3. Condenser-water piping.
  - 4. Heating hot-water piping.
  - 5. Steam and steam condensate piping.
  - 6. Refrigerant suction and hot-gas piping.

#### B. Related Sections:

- 1. Section 230713 "Duct Insulation."
- 2. Section 230716 "HVAC Equipment Insulation."

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS:

A. Refer to Section 230500 "Common Work Results for HVAC".

## 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include thermal conductivity, water-vapor permeance thickness, and jackets (both factory and field applied if any).
- B. LEED Submittals:
  - 1. Product Data for Credit IEQ 4.1: For adhesives and sealants, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
  - 2. Laboratory Test Reports for Credit IEQ 4: For adhesives and sealants, documentation indicating that products 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. Shop Drawings: Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Detail application of protective shields, saddles, and inserts at hangers for each type of insulation and hanger.

- 2. Detail attachment and covering of heat tracing inside insulation.
- 3. Detail insulation application at pipe expansion joints for each type of insulation.
- 4. Detail insulation application at elbows, fittings, flanges, valves, and specialties for each type of insulation.
- 5. Detail removable insulation at piping specialties.
- 6. Detail application of field-applied jackets.
- 7. Detail application at linkages of control devices.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.
- B. Material Test Reports: From a qualified testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction indicating, interpreting, and certifying test results for compliance of insulation materials, sealers, attachments, cements, and jackets, with requirements indicated. Include dates of tests and test methods employed.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Skilled mechanics who have successfully completed an apprenticeship program or another craft training program certified by the Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.
- B. Surface-Burning Characteristics: For insulation and related materials, as determined by testing identical products according to ASTM E 84, by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing agency.
  - 1. Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.
  - 2. Insulation Installed Outdoors: Flame-spread index of 75 or less, and smoke-developed index of 150 or less.

## 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Packaging: Insulation material containers shall be marked by manufacturer with appropriate ASTM standard designation, type and grade, and maximum use temperature.

## 1.8 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate sizes and locations of supports, hangers, and insulation shields specified in Section 230529 "Hangers and Supports for HVAC Piping and Equipment."
- B. Coordinate clearance requirements with piping Installer for piping insulation application. Before preparing piping Shop Drawings, establish and maintain clearance requirements for installation of insulation and field-applied jackets and finishes and for space required for maintenance.

## 1.9 SCHEDULING

- A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems and, where required, after installing and testing heat tracing. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.
- B. Complete installation and concealment of plastic materials as rapidly as possible in each area of construction.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Comply with requirements in "Piping Insulation Schedule, General," "Indoor Piping Insulation Schedule," "Outdoor, Aboveground Piping Insulation Schedule," and "Outdoor, Underground Piping Insulation Schedule" articles for where insulating materials shall be applied.
- B. Insulation for below-ambient service requires a vapor-barrier.
- C. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.
- D. Products that come in contact with stainless steel shall have a leachable chloride content of less than 50 ppm when tested according to ASTM C 871.
- E. Insulation materials for use on austenitic stainless steel shall be qualified as acceptable according to ASTM C 795.
- F. Foam insulation materials shall not use CFC or HCFC blowing agents in the manufacturing process.
- G. Calcium Silicate:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - a. Industrial Insulation Group (IIG); Thermo-12 Gold.
  - 2. Preformed Pipe Sections: Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.
  - 3. Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.
  - 4. Prefabricated Fitting Covers: Comply with ASTM C 450 and ASTM C 585 for dimensions used in preforming insulation to cover valves, elbows, tees, and flanges.
- H. Flexible Elastomeric Insulation: Closed-cell, sponge- or expanded-rubber materials. Comply with ASTM C 534, Type I for tubular materials.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Aeroflex USA, Inc.; Aerocel.
    - b. Armacell LLC: AP Armaflex.
    - c. K-Flex USA; Insul-Lock, Insul-Tube, and K-FLEX LS.

- I. Mineral-Fiber Blanket Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 553.
  - Type II and ASTM C 1290, Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
  - 2. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corp.; SoftTouch Duct Wrap.
    - b. Johns Manville; Microlite.
    - c. Knauf Insulation; Friendly Feel Duct Wrap.
    - d. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley Wrap.
    - e. Owens Corning; SOFTR All-Service Duct Wrap.
- J. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Johns Manville; Micro-Lok.
    - b. Knauf Insulation; 1000-Degree Pipe Insulation.
    - c. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley-K.
    - d. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe Insulation.
    - e. Type I, 850 deg F Materials: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 547, Type I, Grade A:
      - 1) with factory-applied ASJ-SSL. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
- K. Mineral-Fiber, Pipe and Tank Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Semirigid board material with factory-applied:
  - 1. ASJ complying with ASTM C 1393, Type II or Type IIIA Category 2, or with properties similar to ASTM C 612, Type IB. Nominal density is 2.5 lb/cu. ft. or more. Thermal conductivity (k-value) at 100 deg F is 0.29 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F or less. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.
  - 2. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corp.; CrimpWrap.
    - b. Johns Manville; MicroFlex.
    - c. Knauf Insulation; Pipe and Tank Insulation.
    - d. Manson Insulation Inc.; AK Flex.
    - e. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe and Tank Insulation.
- L. Prefabricated Thermal Insulating Fitting Covers: Comply with ASTM C 450 for dimensions used in preforming insulation to cover valves, elbows, tees, and flanges.

## 2.2 INSULATING CEMENTS

- A. Mineral-Fiber Insulating Cement: Comply with ASTM C 195.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - a. Ramco Insulation, Inc.; Super-Stik.
- B. Mineral-Fiber, Hydraulic-Setting Insulating and Finishing Cement: Comply with ASTM C 449.

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
  - a. Ramco Insulation, Inc.; Ramcote 1200 and Quik-Cote.

## 2.3 ADHESIVES

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates and for bonding insulation to itself and to surfaces to be insulated unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Calcium Silicate Adhesive: Fibrous, sodium-silicate-based adhesive with a service temperature range of 50 to 800 deg F.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; CP-97.
    - b. Eagle Bridges Marathon Industries; 290.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 81-27.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-30.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 760.
  - 2. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 80 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 3. Adhesive 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. Flexible Elastomeric Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-24179A, Type II, Class I.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Aeroflex USA, Inc.; Aeroseal.
    - b. Armacell LLC; Armaflex 520 Adhesive.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 85-75.
    - d. K-Flex USA; R-373 Contact Adhesive.
  - 2. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 3. Adhesive 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. Mineral-Fiber Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company: CP-127.
    - b. Eagle Bridges Marathon Industries; 225.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 85-60/85-70.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.

- 2. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 80 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- 3. Adhesive 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."
- E. ASJ Adhesive, and FSK Jacket Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A for bonding insulation jacket lap seams and joints.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; CP-82.
    - b. Eagle Bridges Marathon Industries; 225.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 85-50.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.
  - 2. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- F. PVC Jacket Adhesive: Compatible with PVC jacket.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Dow Corning Corporation; 739, Dow Silicone.
    - b. Johns Manville; Zeston Perma-Weld, CEEL-TITE Solvent Welding Adhesive.
    - c. P.I.C. Plastics, Inc.; Welding Adhesive.
    - d. Speedline Corporation; Polyco VP Adhesive.
  - 2. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 3. Adhesive 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."

## 2.4 MASTICS

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates; comply with MIL-PRF-19565C, Type II.
  - 1. For indoor applications, use mastics that have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- B. Vapor-Barrier Mastic: Water based; suitable for indoor use on below-ambient services.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 30-80/30-90.
    - b. Vimasco Corporation; 749.
  - 2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM E 96/E 96M, Procedure B, 0.013 perm at 43-mil dry film thickness.

- 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 20 to plus 180 deg F.
- 4. Solids Content: ASTM D 1644, 58 percent by volume and 70 percent by weight.
- 5. Color: White.
- C. Vapor-Barrier Mastic: Solvent based; suitable for outdoor use on below-ambient services.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; Encacel.
    - b. Eagle Bridges Marathon Industries; 570.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 60-95/60-96.
  - 2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM F 1249, 0.05 perm at 30-mil dry film thickness.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 220 deg F.
  - 4. Solids Content: ASTM D 1644, 33 percent by volume and 46 percent by weight.
  - 5. Color: White.
- D. Breather Mastic: Water based; suitable for indoor and outdoor use on above-ambient services.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; CP-10.
    - b. Eagle Bridges Marathon Industries; 550.
    - c. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 46-50.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 55-50.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; WC-1/WC-5.
  - 2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM F 1249, 1.8 perms at 0.0625-inch dry film thickness.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 20 to plus 180 deg F.
  - 4. Solids Content: 60 percent by volume and 66 percent by weight.
  - Color: White.

#### 2.5 SEALANTS

- A. ASJ Flashing Sealants and PVC Jacket Flashing Sealants:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:
    - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; CP-76.
  - 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
  - 3. Fire- and water-resistant, flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 250 deg F.
  - 5. Color: White.
  - 6. For indoor applications, sealants shall have a VOC content of 420 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 7. Sealants 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."

### 2.6 FACTORY-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Insulation system schedules indicate factory-applied jackets on various applications. When factory-applied jackets are indicated, comply with the following:
  - 1. ASJ-SSL: ASJ with self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.

### 2.7 FIELD-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Field-applied jackets shall comply with ASTM C 921, Type I, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. PVC Jacket: High-impact-resistant, UV-resistant PVC complying with ASTM D 1784, Class 16354-C; thickness as scheduled; roll stock ready for shop or field cutting and forming. Thickness is indicated in field-applied jacket schedules.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Johns Manville; Zeston.
    - b. P.I.C. Plastics, Inc.; FG Series.
    - c. Proto Corporation; LoSmoke.
    - d. Speedline Corporation; SmokeSafe.
  - 2. Adhesive: As recommended by jacket material manufacturer.
  - 3. Color: Color-code jackets based on system:
    - a. White
  - 4. Factory-fabricated fitting covers to match jacket if available; otherwise, field fabricate.
    - a. Shapes: 45- and 90-degree, short- and long-radius elbows, tees, valves, flanges, unions, reducers, end caps, soil-pipe hubs, traps, mechanical joints, and P-trap and supply covers for lavatories.

### C. Metal Jacket:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; Metal Jacketing Systems.
  - b. ITW Insulation Systems; Aluminum and Stainless Steel Jacketing.
  - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Insul-Mate.
- 2. Aluminum Jacket: Comply with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105, or 5005, Temper H-14.
  - a. Sheet and roll stock ready for shop or field sizing or factory cut and rolled to size.
  - b. Finish and thickness are indicated in field-applied jacket schedules.
  - c. Moisture Barrier for Indoor Applications:
    - 1) 1-mil- thick, heat-bonded polyethylene and kraft paper.
  - d. Moisture Barrier for Outdoor Applications:
    - 1) 3-mil- thick, heat-bonded polyethylene and kraft paper.
  - e. Factory-Fabricated Fitting Covers:
    - 1) Same material, finish, and thickness as jacket.

- 2) Preformed 2-piece or gore, 45- and 90-degree, short- and long-radius elbows.
- 3) Tee covers.
- 4) Flange and union covers.
- 5) End caps.
- 6) Beveled collars.
- 7) Valve covers.
- 8) Field fabricate fitting covers only if factory-fabricated fitting covers are not available.

### 2.8 TAPES

- A. ASJ Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive, complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. ABI, Ideal Tape Division; 428 AWF ASJ.
    - b. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0836.
    - c. Compac Corporation; 104 and 105.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1540 CW Plus, 1542 CW Plus, and 1542 CW Plus/SQ.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 11.5 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  - 7. ASJ Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of ASJ tape.
- B. PVC Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching field-applied PVC jacket with acrylic adhesive; suitable for indoor and outdoor applications.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. ABI, Ideal Tape Division; 370 White PVC tape.
    - b. Compac Corporation; 130.
    - c. Venture Tape; 1506 CW NS.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 64 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 500 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 18 lbf/inch in width.
- C. Aluminum-Foil Tape: Vapor-retarder tape with acrylic adhesive.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. ABI, Ideal Tape Division; 488 AWF.
    - b. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0800.
    - c. Compac Corporation; 120.
    - d. Venture Tape; 3520 CW.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.

3. Thickness: 3.7 mils.

4. Adhesion: 100 ounces force/inch in width.

5. Elongation: 5 percent.

6. Tensile Strength: 34 lbf/inch in width.

### 2.9 SECUREMENTS

A. Staples: Outward-clinching insulation staples, nominal 3/4-inch- wide, stainless steel or Monel.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

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

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Preparation: Clean and dry surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.
- B. Surface Preparation: Clean and prepare surfaces to be insulated. Before insulating, apply a corrosion coating to insulated surfaces as follows:
  - 1. Stainless Steel: Coat 300 series stainless steel with an epoxy primer 5 mils thick and an epoxy finish 5 mils thick if operating in a temperature range between 140 and 300 deg F. Consult coating manufacturer for appropriate coating materials and application methods for operating temperature range.
  - 2. Carbon Steel: Coat carbon steel operating at a service temperature between 32 and 300 deg F with an epoxy coating. Consult coating manufacturer for appropriate coating materials and application methods for operating temperature range.
- C. Coordinate insulation installation with the trade installing heat tracing. Comply with requirements for heat tracing that apply to insulation.
- D. Mix insulating cements with clean potable water; if insulating cements are to be in contact with stainless-steel surfaces, use demineralized water.

## 3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of piping including fittings, valves, and specialties.
- B. Install insulation materials, forms, vapor barriers or retarders, jackets, and thicknesses required for each item of pipe system as specified in insulation system schedules.

- C. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- D. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at top and bottom of horizontal runs.
- E. Install multiple layers of insulation with longitudinal and end seams staggered.
- F. Do not weld brackets, clips, or other attachment devices to piping, fittings, and specialties.
- G. Keep insulation materials dry during application and finishing.
- H. Install insulation with tight longitudinal seams and end joints. Bond seams and joints with adhesive recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- I. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- J. Where vapor barrier is indicated, seal joints, seams, and penetrations in insulation at hangers, supports, anchors, and other projections with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 1. Install insulation continuously through hangers and around anchor attachments.
  - 2. For insulation application where vapor barriers are indicated, extend insulation on anchor legs from point of attachment to supported item to point of attachment to structure. Taper and seal ends at attachment to structure with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 3. Install insert materials and install insulation to tightly join the insert. Seal insulation to insulation inserts with adhesive or sealing compound recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
  - 4. Cover inserts with jacket material matching adjacent pipe insulation. Install shields over jacket, arranged to protect jacket from tear or puncture by hanger, support, and shield.
- K. Apply adhesives, mastics, and sealants at manufacturer's recommended coverage rate and wet and dry film thicknesses.
- L. Install insulation with factory-applied jackets as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket tight and smooth.
  - 2. Cover circumferential joints with 3-inch- wide strips, of same material as insulation jacket. Secure strips with adhesive and outward clinching staples along both edges of strip, spaced 4 inches o.c.
  - 3. Overlap jacket longitudinal seams at least 1-1/2 inches. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at bottom of pipe. Clean and dry surface to receive self-sealing lap. Staple laps with outward clinching staples along edge at
    - a. 2 inches o.c.
    - b. For below-ambient services, apply vapor-barrier mastic over staples.
  - 4. Cover joints and seams with tape, according to insulation material manufacturer's written instructions, to maintain vapor seal.
  - 5. Where vapor barriers are indicated, apply vapor-barrier mastic on seams and joints and at ends adjacent to pipe flanges and fittings.
- M. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 75 percent of its nominal thickness.
- N. Finish installation with systems at operating conditions. Repair joint separations and cracking due to thermal movement.

- O. Repair damaged insulation facings by applying same facing material over damaged areas. Extend patches at least 4 inches beyond damaged areas. Adhere, staple, and seal patches similar to butt joints.
- P. For above-ambient services, do not install insulation to the following:
  - 1. Vibration-control devices.
  - 2. Testing agency labels and stamps.
  - 3. Nameplates and data plates.
  - 4. Manholes.
  - Handholes.
  - 6. Cleanouts.

#### 3.4 PENETRATIONS

- A. Insulation Installation at Roof Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through roof penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation above roof surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside roof flashing at least 2 inches below top of roof flashing.
  - 4. Seal jacket to roof flashing with flashing sealant.
- B. Insulation Installation at Underground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Terminate insulation flush with sleeve seal. Seal terminations with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation at Aboveground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through wall penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation inside wall surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside wall flashing and overlap wall flashing at least 2 inches.
  - 4. Seal jacket to wall flashing with flashing sealant.
- D. Insulation Installation at Interior Wall and Partition Penetrations (That Are Not Fire Rated): Install insulation continuously through walls and partitions.
- E. Insulation Installation at Fire-Rated Wall and Partition Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through penetrations of fire-rated walls and partitions.
  - 1. Comply with requirements in Section 078413 "Penetration Firestopping" for firestopping and fire-resistive joint sealers.
- F. Insulation Installation at Floor Penetrations:
  - 1. Pipe: Install insulation continuously through floor penetrations.

2. Seal penetrations through fire-rated assemblies. Comply with requirements in Section 078413 "Penetration Firestopping."

#### 3.5 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.
- B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, Flanges, and Unions:
  - 1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, flanges, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Insulate pipe elbows using preformed fitting insulation or mitered fittings made from same material and density as adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.
  - 3. Insulate tee fittings with preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
  - 4. Insulate valves using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
  - 5. Insulate strainers using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below-ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
  - 6. Insulate flanges and unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker.
  - 7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below-ambient services and a breather mastic for above-ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with fabric-reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
  - 8. For services not specified to receive a field-applied jacket except for flexible elastomeric install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing using PVC tape.
  - 9. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "union." Match size and color of pipe labels.
- C. Insulate instrument connections for thermometers, pressure gages, pressure temperature taps, test connections, flow meters, sensors, switches, and transmitters on insulated pipes. Shape insulation at these connections by tapering it to and around the connection with insulating cement and finish with finishing cement, mastic, and flashing sealant.

- D. Install removable insulation covers at locations indicated. Installation shall conform to the following:
  - 1. Make removable flange and union insulation from sectional pipe insulation of same thickness as that on adjoining pipe. Install same insulation jacket as adjoining pipe insulation.
  - 2. When flange and union covers are made from sectional pipe insulation, extend insulation from flanges or union long at least two times the insulation thickness over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of flange or union. Secure flange cover in place with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation and jacket.
  - 3. Construct removable valve insulation covers in same manner as for flanges, except divide the two-part section on the vertical center line of valve body.
  - 4. When covers are made from block insulation, make two halves, each consisting of mitered blocks wired to stainless-steel fabric. Secure this wire frame, with its attached insulation, to flanges with tie wire. Extend insulation at least 2 inches over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of valve. Fill space between flange or union cover and pipe insulation with insulating cement. Finish cover assembly with insulating cement applied in two coats. After first coat is dry, apply and trowel second coat to a smooth finish.
  - 5. Unless a PVC jacket is indicated in field-applied jacket schedules, finish exposed surfaces with a metal jacket.

#### 3.6 INSTALLATION OF CALCIUM SILICATE INSULATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:
  - 1. Secure single-layer insulation with stainless-steel bands at 12-inch intervals and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.
  - 2. Install two-layer insulation with joints tightly butted and staggered at least 3 inches. Secure inner layer with wire spaced at 12-inch intervals. Secure outer layer with stainless-steel bands at 12-inch intervals.
  - 3. Apply a skim coat of mineral-fiber, hydraulic-setting cement to insulation surface. When cement is dry, apply flood coat of lagging adhesive and press on one layer of glass cloth or tape. Overlap edges at least 1 inch. Apply finish coat of lagging adhesive over glass cloth or tape. Thin finish coat to achieve smooth, uniform finish.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install preformed pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
  - 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with cut sections of block insulation of same material and thickness as pipe insulation.
  - 4. Finish flange insulation same as pipe insulation.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available. Secure according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. When preformed insulation sections of insulation are not available, install mitered sections of calcium silicate insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.
  - 3. Finish fittings insulation same as pipe insulation.

- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - 1. Install mitered segments of calcium silicate insulation to valve body. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 2. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.
  - 3. Finish valve and specialty insulation same as pipe insulation.

### 3.7 INSTALLATION OF FLEXIBLE ELASTOMERIC INSULATION

- A. Seal longitudinal seams and end joints with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
  - 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with cut sections of sheet insulation of same thickness as pipe insulation.
  - 4. Secure insulation to flanges and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install mitered sections of pipe insulation.
  - 2. Secure insulation materials and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.
- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - 1. Install preformed valve covers manufactured of same material as pipe insulation when available
  - 2. When preformed valve covers are not available, install cut sections of pipe and sheet insulation to valve body. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 3. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.
  - 4. Secure insulation to valves and specialties and seal seams with manufacturer's recommended adhesive to eliminate openings in insulation that allow passage of air to surface being insulated.

## 3.8 INSTALLATION OF MINERAL-FIBER INSULATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:
  - 1. Secure each layer of preformed pipe insulation to pipe with wire or bands and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.
  - 2. Where vapor barriers are indicated, seal longitudinal seams, end joints, and protrusions with vapor-barrier mastic and joint sealant.
  - 3. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on above-ambient surfaces, secure laps with outward-clinched staples at 6 inches o.c.

- 4. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on below-ambient surfaces, do not staple longitudinal tabs. Instead, secure tabs with additional adhesive as recommended by insulation material manufacturer and seal with vapor-barrier mastic and flashing sealant.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install preformed pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
  - 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with mineral-fiber blanket insulation.
  - 4. Install jacket material with manufacturer's recommended adhesive, overlap seams at least 1 inch, and seal joints with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed insulation elbows and fittings are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation, to a thickness equal to adjoining pipe insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.
- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed sections are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation to valve body.
  - 3. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 4. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.

### 3.9 FIELD-APPLIED JACKET INSTALLATION

- A. Where PVC jackets are indicated, install with 1-inch overlap at longitudinal seams and end joints; for horizontal applications. Seal with manufacturer's recommended adhesive.
  - 1. Apply two continuous beads of adhesive to seams and joints, one bead under lap and the finish bead along seam and joint edge.

## 3.10 PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Acceptable preformed pipe and tubular insulation materials and thicknesses are identified for each piping system and pipe size range. If more than one material is listed for a piping system, selection from materials listed is Contractor's option.
- B. Items Not Insulated: Unless otherwise indicated, do not install insulation on the following:
  - 1. Drainage piping located in crawl spaces.
  - 2. Underground piping.
  - 3. Chrome-plated pipes and fittings unless there is a potential for personnel injury.

### 3.11 INDOOR PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE

- A. Condensate and Equipment Drain Water below 60 Deg F:
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric:
      - 1) 1/2 inch thick
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I:
      - 1) 1/2 inch thick
- B. Chilled Water, 40 Deg F and below:
  - 1. NPS 1-1/2 inch and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric:
      - 1) 1-1/2 inch thick.
  - 2. NPS 2 inch and Larger: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric:
      - 1) 2 inch thick
  - 3. Insulation for runouts not exceeding 48 inches in length for connection to equipment shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric: 1 inch thick.
- C. Chilled Water, above 40 Deg F:
  - 1. NPS 1-1/2 inch and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric:
      - 1) 1-1/2 inch thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I:
      - 1-1/2 inches thick.
  - 2. NPS 2 inch and Larger: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric:
      - 1) 2 inch thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I:
      - 1) 2 inch thick.
  - 3. Insulation runouts not exceeding 48 inches in length for connection to equipment shall be one of the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric: 1 inch thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1 inch thick
  - 4. Condenser-water supply and return piping located indoors and operating in range of 55 to 105 deg F (13 to 41 deg C) is not always insulated. If condenser-water system operates as part of a water-side economizer cycle or if Project requires condensation control, piping should be insulated.
- D. Condenser-Water Supply and Return:
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric: 1 inch thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I:

- 1) 1 inch thick
- E. Heating-Hot-Water Supply and Return, 200 Deg F and Below:
  - 1. NPS 1 1/2 and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I:
      - 1) 1-1/2 inch thick
  - 2. Greater than NPS 1-1/2 inch: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or Pipe and Tank Insulation:
      - 1) 2 inches thick
  - 3. Insulation for runouts not exceeding 48 inches in length for connection to equipment shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1 inch thick.
- F. Heating-Hot-Water Supply and Return, above 200 Deg F:
  - 1. NPS 1 and Smaller: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate:
      - 1) 2 inches thick
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II:
      - 1) 1-1/2 inches thick
  - 2. NPS 1-1/4 and Larger: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate:
      - 1) 3 inches thick
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II:
      - 1) 2 inches thick
  - 3. Insulation runouts not exceeding 48 inches in length for connection to equipment shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1-1/2 inch thick.
- G. Steam and Steam Condensate, 0 to 15 PSI, 200 Deg F to 250 Deg F:
  - 1. NPS 1 and Smaller: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate:
      - 1) 2 inches thick
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II:
      - 1) 1-1/2 inches thick
  - 2. NPS 1-1/4 and Larger: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate:
      - 1) 3 inches
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II or Pipe and Tank Insulation:
      - 2 inches thick

- 3. Insulation for runouts not exceeding 48" in length for connection to equipment shall be the following:
  - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1-1/2 inch thick.
- H. Steam and Steam Condensate, 16 to 60 PSI, 251 Deg F to 305 Deg F:
  - 1. NPS 1 and Smaller: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate: 3 inches thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II: 2 inches thick.
  - 2. NPS 1-1/4 and Larger: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Calcium Silicate: 3 inches thick.
    - b. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I or II or Pipe and Tank Insulation: 2 inches
  - 3. Insulation for runouts not exceeding 48inches in length for connection to equipment shall be the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1-1/2 inch thick.
- I. Refrigerant Suction and Hot-Gas Piping:
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric: 1 inch thick.
- J. Refrigerant Suction and Hot-Gas Flexible Tubing:
  - 1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be the following:
    - a. Flexible Elastomeric: 1 inch thick.

## 3.12 INDOOR, FIELD-APPLIED JACKET SCHEDULE

- A. Install jacket over insulation material. For insulation with factory-applied jacket, install the field-applied jacket over the factory-applied jacket.
- B. If more than one material is listed, selection from materials listed is Contractor's option.
- C. Piping, Concealed:
  - 1. None.
- D. Piping, Exposed:
  - 1. PVC:
    - a. White: 30 mils thick.
- E. Steam Piping, Exposed:
  - 1. Aluminum, Stucco Embossed: 0.016 inch thick.

## 3.13 OUTDOOR, FIELD-APPLIED JACKET SCHEDULE

- A. Install jacket over insulation material. For insulation with factory-applied jacket, install the field-applied jacket over the factory-applied jacket.
- B. If more than one material is listed, selection from materials listed is Contractor's option.
- C. Piping, Concealed:
  - 1. None.
- D. Piping, Exposed:
  - 1. Aluminum, Stucco Embossed: 0.016 inch thick.

# 3.14 UNDERGROUND, FIELD-INSTALLED INSULATION JACKET

A. For underground direct-buried piping applications, install underground direct-buried jacket over insulation material.

### **END OF SECTION 23 0719**

#### **SECTION 23 2113**

#### HYDRONIC PIPING

### **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 pipe and fitting materials and joining methods for the following:
  - 1. Hot-water heating piping.
  - 2. Chilled-water piping.
  - 3. Condenser-water piping.
  - 4. Makeup-water piping.
  - 5. Condensate-drain piping.
  - 6. Air-vent piping.
  - 7. Dielectric fittings.

### 1.3 SEISMIC REQUIREMENTS

- A. All other components shall be assigned a component importance factor, Ip, equal to 1.0.
- B. Seismic Performance: Pipe hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to SEI/ASCE 7 and with the requirements specified in Section 230548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC."
  - 1. For piping with a seismic importance factor of 1.0 the term "withstand" means "the system will remain in place without separation of any parts when subjected to the seismic forces specified."
  - 2. For piping with a seismic importance factor of 1.5 the term "withstand" means "the system will remain in place without separation of any parts when subjected to the seismic forces specified and the system will be fully operational after the seismic event."

### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  - 1. Steel pipe and fittings.
  - 2. Copper pipe, tubing and fittings.
  - 3. Dielectric fittings.
- B. LEED Submittals:

- 1. Product Data for Credit IEQ 4.1: For solvent cements and adhesive primers, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
- Laboratory Test Reports for Credit IEQ 4.1: For solvent cements and adhesive primers, documentation indicating that products comply with the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Public Health's (formerly, the California Health Services') "Standard Method for the Testing and Evaluation of Volatile Organic Chemical Emissions from Indoor Sources Using Environmental Chambers."

## C. Delegated-Design Submittal:

- 1. Design calculations and detailed fabrication and assembly of pipe anchors and alignment guides, hangers and supports for multiple pipes, expansion joints and loops, and attachments of the same to the building structure.
- 2. Locations of pipe anchors and alignment guides and expansion joints and loops.
- 3. Locations of and details for penetrations, including sleeves and sleeve seals for exterior walls, floors, basement, and foundation walls.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Piping layout, 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. Other building services.
  - 3. Structural members.
- B. Qualification Data: For Installer.
- C. Welding certificates.
- D. Field quality-control reports: Written reports as specified in Part 3 of this section including:
  - 1. Test procedures used.
  - 2. Test results showing compliance with specified requirements.
  - 3. Failed test results with corrective action taken to achieve compliance with specified requirements.

### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Steel Support Welding: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code Steel."
- B. Pipe Welding: Qualify procedures and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX.
  - 1. Comply with ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping," for materials, products, and installation.
  - 2. Certify that each welder has passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and that certification is current.

### 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate layout and installation of hydronic piping and suspension system components with other construction, including light fixtures, HVAC equipment, fire-suppression-system components, and partition assemblies.
- B. Coordinate pipe sleeve installations for foundation wall penetrations.
- C. Coordinate piping installation with roof curbs, equipment supports, and roof penetrations. Roof specialties are specified in Division 7 Sections.
- D. Coordinate pipe fitting pressure classes with products specified in related sections.
- E. Coordinate size and location of concrete bases. Cast anchor-bolt inserts into base. Concrete, reinforcement, and formwork requirements are specified in Division 3 Sections.
- F. Coordinate installation of pipe sleeves for penetrations through exterior walls and floor assemblies. Coordinate with requirements for firestopping specified in Division 7 Section "Through-Penetration Firestop Systems" for fire and smoke wall and floor assemblies.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Drawn-Temper Copper Tubing: ASTM B 88, Type L.
- B. Grooved, Mechanical-Joint, Wrought-Copper Fittings: ASME B16.22.
  - 1. Grooved-End Copper Fittings: ASTM B 75, copper tube or ASTM B 584, bronze casting.
  - 2. Grooved-End-Tube Couplings: Coupling housings shall be cast with offsetting, angle-pattern bolt pads to provide joint rigidity and support and hanging in accordance with ANSI B31.1 and B31.9. Ductile-iron housing with keys matching pipe and fitting grooves, EPDM gasket rated for minimum 230 deg F without use of special lubricants. For use with housing, and ASTM A449 electroplated steel nuts and bolts.

### 2.2 STEEL PIPE AND FITTINGS

- A. Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53, black steel with plain ends; welded and seamless, Grade B, and wall thickness as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- B. Cast-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.4; Classes 125 and 250 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- C. Malleable-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.3, Classes 150 and 300 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- D. Malleable-Iron Unions: ASME B16.39; Classes 150, 250, and 300 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- E. Cast-Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.1, Classes 25, 125, and 250; raised ground face, and bolt holes spot faced as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.

- F. Wrought-Steel Fittings: ASTM A 234, wall thickness to match adjoining pipe.
- G. Wrought Cast- and Forged-Steel Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.5, including bolts, nuts, and gaskets of the following material group, end connections, and facings:
  - 1. Material Group: 1.1.
  - 2. End Connections: Butt welding.
  - 3. Facings: Raised face.
- H. Forged Steel "Olet" Type Fittings, Welding, Socket-Welding and Threaded: ASME B16.11 and ASTM A105.
  - 1. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12M/D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.
- I. Steel Pipe Nipples: ASTM A 733, made of same materials and wall thicknesses as pipe in which they are installed.
- J. Grooved Mechanical-Joint Fittings and Couplings:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Victaulic Company.
    - b. Anvil International, Inc.
    - c. Tyco-Grinnel
  - 2. Joint Fittings: ASTM A 536, Grade 65-45-12 ductile iron; ASTM A 53, Type F, E, or S, Grade B factory-fabricated steel; or ASTM A 234, Grade WPB steel fittings with grooves or shoulders designed and constructed to accept grooved-end couplings.
  - Couplings: Two Ductile- housing and synthetic rubber gasket of central cavity pressureresponsive design; with ASTM A449 electroplated steel nuts and bolts to secure grooved pipe and fittings. Couplings shall comply with ASTM F1476 Standard Specification for the Performance of Gasketed Mechanical Couplings for Use in Piping Applications.
    - a. Rigid Type: Coupling housings shall be cast with offsetting, angle-pattern bolt pads to provide joint rigidity and support and hanging in accordance with ANSI B31.1 and B31.9.
    - b. Gasket: High temperature EPDM gasket, suitable for water service to +250 deg F, without use of special lubricants.
    - c. Flexible Type: For use in locations where vibration attenuation and stress relief are required, and for the elimination of flexible connectors.
    - d. 14" and Larger: Two –segment coupling, with lead-in chamfer on housing key and a wide-width gasket having a center-leg.
  - 4. Combinations of grooved mechanical-joint couplings and short nipples may also be used.

## 2.3 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos free, 1/8-inch (3.2-mm) maximum thickness unless otherwise indicated.

- a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
- b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
- B. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- D. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for joining copper with copper; or BAg-1, silver alloy for joining copper with bronze or steel.
- E. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12M/D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.

### 2.4 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. General: Assembly or fitting with insulating material isolating joined dissimilar metals, to prevent galvanic action and stop corrosion.
  - Manufacturers:
    - a. Advance Products & Systems, Inc.
    - b. Calpico, Inc.Capitol Manufacturing Co.
    - c. Capitol Manufacturing Company.
    - d. Central Plastics Company.
    - e. Elster Perfection.
    - f. Grinnell Mechanical Products.
    - g. Matco-Norca.
    - h. Pipeline Seal and Insulator, Inc.
    - i. Precision Plumbing Products, Inc.
    - j. Victaulic Company.
    - k. Watts Regulator Co.
    - I. Zurn Industries, LLC.
- B. Description: Combination of copper alloy and ferrous; threaded, solder, plain, and weld-neck end types and matching piping system materials.
- C. Insulating Material: Suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- D. End Connections: Threaded, or flanged.
- E. Dielectric Couplings: Galvanized-steel coupling with inert and noncorrosive, thermoplastic lining; threaded ends; and 300-psig minimum working pressure at 225 deg F.
- F. Dielectric Nipples or Waterways: Electroplated steel with inert and noncorrosive, thermoplastic lining; plain, threaded, or grooved ends; and 300-psig minimum working pressure at 225 deg F.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 PIPING APPLICATIONS

A. Hot-water heating piping, aboveground, NPS 2 and smaller shall be any of the following:

- 1. Type L drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
- 2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 125, cast-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- B. Hot-water heating piping, aboveground, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40 steel pipe, wrought-steel fittings and wrought-cast or forged-steel flanges and flange fittings, and welded and flanged joints.
  - 3. Schedule 40 steel pipe; grooved, mechanical joint coupling and fittings; and grooved, mechanical joints.
- C. Chilled-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 125, cast-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- D. Chilled-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40 steel pipe, wrought-steel fittings and wrought-cast or forged-steel flanges and flange fittings, and welded and flanged joints.
  - 3. Schedule 40 steel pipe; grooved, mechanical joint coupling and fittings; and grooved, mechanical joints.
- E. Condenser-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 125, cast-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- F. Condenser-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40 steel pipe, wrought-steel fittings and wrought-cast or forged-steel flanges and flange fittings, and welded and flanged joints.
  - 3. Schedule 40 steel pipe; grooved, mechanical joint coupling and fittings; and grooved, mechanical joints.
- G. Glycol cooling-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 125, cast-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- H. Glycol cooling-water piping, aboveground, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.

- 2. Schedule 40 steel pipe, wrought-steel fittings and wrought-cast or forged-steel flanges and flange fittings, and welded and flanged joints.
- 3. Schedule 40 steel pipe; grooved, mechanical joint coupling and fittings; and grooved, mechanical joints.
- I. Makeup-water piping installed aboveground shall be the following:
  - 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
- J. Condensate-drain piping shall be the following:
  - 1. Type M, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
- K. Blowdown-Drain Piping: Same materials and joining methods as for piping specified for the service in which blowdown drain is installed.
- L. Air-Vent Piping:
  - 1. Inlet: Same as service where installed with metal-to-plastic transition fittings for plastic piping systems according to piping manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Outlet: Type K, annealed-temper copper tubing with soldered or flared joints.
- M. Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping for Hot-Water Piping: Same materials and joining methods as for piping specified for the service in which safety valve is installed with metal-to-plastic transition fittings for plastic piping systems according to piping manufacturer's written instructions.

### 3.2 PIPING INSTALLATIONS

- A. PRE-WORK / PRE-REQUISITES
  - 1. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
  - 2. The Contractor shall study the architectural, structural, mechanical, electrical and other drawings to eliminate conflict of piping with other structure lighting or other services.

#### B. CONDITION

- 1. All installed pipe lines shall be free from dents, scars, and burrs, with ends reamed smooth.
- 2. All piping shall be clean and free from acids and loose dirt when installed and shall be kept clean during the completion of the installation.
- 3. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- 4. All installed pipe lines shall remain straight against strains tending to cause distortion during system operation. The contractor shall make proper allowance for pipe line expansion and contraction so that no unsightly distortion, noise, damage or improper operation results therefrom.
- C. SELECTION

- Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- 2. No street type fittings shall be used.
- 3. No short nipples shall be used except at drain valves.
- 4. Plugs of rags, wools, cottons, waste, or similar materials may not be used for plugging.

#### D. ROUTING/ARRANGEMENT

- 1. Piping installations shall be neatly organized.
- 2. Install piping in concealed locations unless otherwise indicated and except in equipment rooms and service areas.
- 3. Install groups of pipes parallel to each other.
- 4. Install piping spaced to permit application of insulation.
- 5. Install piping parallel and spaced to permit the servicing of valves.
- 6. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls or axis of the building.
- 7. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.
- 8. Install fittings for all changes in direction.
- 9. No piping shall be run above any electrical panels, electrical equipment or access clearances for electrical for electrical panels or equipment. No piping shall be allowed to run through any electrical rooms.
- 10. Piping shall be arranged, placed and installed to facilitate equipment maintenance and shall be so arranged to not interfere with the installation of the air-conditioning equipment, ducts, or the removal of other equipment or devices. All specialties shall be so placed to permit easy operation and access.
- 11. All piping shall be so installed to insure noiseless circulation.
- 12. Install fittings for all branch connections.
- 13. Unless otherwise indicated, install branch connections to mains using [mechanically formed] tee fittings or forged steel branch fittings in main pipe, with the branch connected to the bottom of the main pipe.
- 14. For up-feed risers, connect the branch to the top of the main pipe.
- 15. Forged branch fittings shall be installed per the manufacturer's recommendations.

#### E. ACCESS / ARRANGEMENT

1. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal. All piping shall be so arranged to not block access to manholes, access openings, etc.

- 2. Install piping at indicated slopes. If not indicated, install piping at a uniform grade of 0.2 percent where possible, upward in direction of flow. Traps are to be avoided where-ever possible.
- 3. Reduce pipe sizes using eccentric reducer fitting installed with level side up.
- 4. When insulated pipes are supported by a roller hanger they shall be protected from damage by suitable pipe covering protection saddles. Saddles shall support pipe on roller and shall be packed with insulation.
- 5. Install valves according to Section 230523 "General-Duty Valves for HVAC Piping."
- 6. Install unions in piping, NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to valves, at final connections of equipment, at each coil on all sides of automatic valves where valves do not have union connections, elsewhere as indicated, and wherever necessary to prevent undue difficulty in making repairs or replacement. Unions are not required at flanged connections.
- 7. Install flanges in piping, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, at final connections of equipment and elsewhere as indicated. Install flanges on valves, apparatus, and equipment having 2 ½ inch NPS and larger connections. Flanges or unions as applicable for the type of piping specified, shall be provided in the piping at connections to all items of equipment.
- 8. Install shutoff valve immediately upstream of each dielectric fitting. Install dielectric coupling and nipple fittings to connect piping materials of dissimilar metals.
- 9. Comply with requirements in Section 230516 "Expansion Fittings and Loops for HVAC Piping" for installation of expansion loops, expansion joints, anchors, and pipe alignment guides. Anchor piping for proper direction of expansion and contraction.
- Install sleeves for piping penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors. Comply with requirements for sleeves specified in Section 230517 "Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for HVAC Piping."
- Install sleeve seals for piping penetrations of concrete walls and slabs. Comply with requirements for sleeve seals specified in Section 230517 "Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for HVAC Piping."
- 12. Install escutcheons for piping penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors. Comply with requirements for escutcheons specified in Section 230518 "Escutcheons for HVAC Piping."
- 13. Install strainers on supply side of each control valve, pressure-reducing valve, solenoid valve, in-line pump, and elsewhere as indicated. Install NPS ¾) nipple and ball valve in blow-down connection of strainers NPS 2) and larger. Match size of strainer blow-off connection for strainers smaller than NPS 2).
- 14. Install flexible connectors at inlet and discharge connections to pumps (except inline pumps) and other vibration-producing equipment.
- Polypropylene pipe in or passing through plenums must be fire wrapped or installed in a metal conduit.
- F. DRAINAGE

- 1. Drain valves shall be installed at all low points in all piping systems to allow for complete drainage of piping systems.
- 2. Install drains, consisting of a tee fitting, NPS 3/4 ball valve, and short NPS 3/4 threaded nipple with cap, at low points in piping system mains and elsewhere as required for system drainage.
- 3. All piping systems shall be installed so that they can be easily drained by means of drainage of low points of all piping without disconnecting pipe.
- 4. If not specifically indicated on the drawings, the frequency of draining shall determine whether drain caps, plugs, cocks, or valves are to be used.

#### G. IDENTIFICATION

1. Comply with requirements in Section 230553 "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for identifying piping.

#### 3.3 DIELECTRIC FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Make connections according to the following, unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Install dielectric nipples or waterways in piping NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to each valve and at final connection to each piece of equipment.
  - 2. Install waterways, in piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger, adjacent to flanged valves and at final connection to each piece of equipment.
  - 3. Install Dielectric Fittings into Hydronic Piping Systems: Install dielectric nipples, waterways or couplings to connect piping materials of dissimilar metals.
  - 4. End Connections: Threaded, or flanged.

## 3.4 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Comply with requirements in Section 230529 "Hangers and Supports for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for hanger, support, and anchor devices. Comply with the following requirements for maximum spacing of supports.
- B. Comply with requirements in Section 230548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC" for seismic restraints.
- C. Steel roof deck shall not be used to support loads from piping, ductwork or equipment, unless noted otherwise. Hanger loads less than 50 lbs. may be hung from the steel roof deck in cases when hanging from the steel roof deck cannot be avoided; the attachment method must distribute the load across the deck as approved by the Structural Engineer.
- D. Install the following pipe attachments:
  - 1. Adjustable steel clevis hangers for individual horizontal piping less than 20 feet long.
  - 2. Adjustable roller hangers and spring hangers for individual horizontal piping 20 feet or longer.

- 3. Pipe Roller: MSS SP-58, Type 44 for multiple horizontal piping 20 feet or longer, supported on a trapeze.
- 4. Spring hangers to support vertical runs.
- 5. Provide copper-clad hangers and supports for hangers and supports in direct contact with copper pipe.
- 6. On plastic pipe, install pads or cushions on bearing surfaces to prevent hanger from scratching pipe.
- E. Install hangers for steel piping with the following maximum spacing and minimum rod sizes:
  - 1. NPS 3/4: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 2. NPS 1: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 3. NPS 1-1/2: Maximum span, 9 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 4. NPS 2: Maximum span, 10 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 5. NPS 2-1/2: Maximum span, 11 feet; minimum rod size, 1/2 inch.
  - 6. NPS 3 and Larger: Maximum span, 12 feet; minimum rod size, 1/2 inch.
- F. Install hangers for drawn-temper copper piping with the following maximum spacing and minimum rod sizes:
  - 1. NPS 3/4: Maximum span, 5 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 2. NPS 1: Maximum span, 6 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 3. NPS 1-1/4: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 4. NPS 1-1/2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 5. NPS 2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 6. NPS 2-1/2: Maximum span, 9 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 7. NPS 3 and Larger: Maximum span, 10 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
- G. Fiberglass Piping Hanger Spacing: Space hangers according to pipe manufacturer's written instructions for service conditions. Avoid point loading. Space and install hangers with the fewest practical rigid anchor points.
- H. Support vertical runs at roof, at each floor, and at 10-foot intervals between floors.
- I. Support piping and tubing not listed in this article according to MSS SP-69 and manufacturer's written instructions.

## 3.5 PIPE JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- C. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux, unless otherwise indicated, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," using lead-free solder alloy complying with ASTM B 32.
- D. Brazed Joints: Construct joints according to AWS's "Brazing Handbook," "Pipe and Tube" Chapter, using copper-phosphorus brazing filler metal complying with AWS A5.8.
- E. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:

- 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
- 2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.
- F. Welded Joints: Construct joints according to AWS D10.12M/D10.12, using qualified processes and welding operators according to "Quality Assurance" Article.
- G. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.
- H. Grooved Joints: Assemble joints with coupling and gasket, lubricant, and bolts.
  - Cut or roll grooves in ends of pipe based on pipe and coupling manufacturer's written instructions for pipe wall thickness. Use grooved-end fittings and rigid, grooved-end-pipe couplings.
  - 2. Installed in accordance with the manufacturer's written recommendations.
  - 3. Ends shall be clean and free from indentations, projections or roll marks.
  - 4. The gasket shall be molded and produced by the coupling manufacturer of an elastomer suitable for the intended service.
  - 5. Unions and flanges for servicing and disconnect are not required in installations using grooved joint couplings.
  - 6. Training: The coupling manufacturer's factory-direct trained representative shall provide on-site training for the contractor's field personnel in the use of grooving tools and installation of product. The representative shall periodically visit the job site to ensure best practices in grooved product installation are being followed. The distributor's representative will not be acceptable.

## 3.6 TERMINAL EQUIPMENT CONNECTIONS

- A. Sizes for supply and return piping connections shall be the same as or larger than equipment connections.
- B. Install control valves in accessible locations close to connected equipment.

## 3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Prepare hydronic piping according to ASME B31.9 and as follows:
  - 1. Leave joints, including welds, uninsulated and exposed for examination during test.
  - 2. Provide temporary restraints for expansion joints that cannot sustain reactions due to test pressure. If temporary restraints are impractical, isolate expansion joints from testing.
  - 3. Flush hydronic piping systems with clean water; then remove and clean or replace strainer screens.
  - 4. Isolate equipment from piping. If a valve is used to isolate equipment, its closure shall be capable of sealing against test pressure without damage to valve. Install blinds in flanged joints to isolate equipment.
  - 5. Install safety valve, set at a pressure no more than one-third higher than test pressure, to protect against damage by expanding liquid or other source of overpressure during test.
- B. Perform the following tests on hydronic piping:

- Use ambient temperature water as a testing medium unless there is risk of damage due to freezing. Another liquid that is safe for workers and compatible with piping may be used.
- 2. While filling system, use vents installed at high points of system to release air. Use drains installed at low points for complete draining of test liquid.
- 3. Isolate expansion tanks and determine that hydronic system is full of water.
- 4. Subject piping system to hydrostatic test pressure that is not less than 1.5 times the system's working pressure. Test pressure shall not exceed maximum pressure for any vessel, pump, valve, or other component in system under test. Verify that stress due to pressure at bottom of vertical runs does not exceed 90 percent of specified minimum yield strength or 1.7 times the "SE" value in Appendix A in ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping."
- 5. After hydrostatic test pressure has been applied for at least 10 minutes, examine piping, joints, and connections for leakage. Eliminate leaks by tightening, repairing, or replacing components, and repeat hydrostatic test until there are no leaks.
- 6. Prepare written report of testing.

## C. Perform the following before operating the system:

- 1. Open manual valves fully.
- 2. Inspect pumps for proper rotation.
- 3. Set makeup pressure-reducing valves for required system pressure.
- 4. Inspect air vents at high points of system and determine if all are installed and operating freely (automatic type), or bleed air completely (manual type).
- 5. Set temperature controls so all coils are calling for full flow.
- 6. Inspect and set operating temperatures of hydronic equipment, such as boilers, chillers, cooling towers, to specified values.
- 7. Verify lubrication of motors and bearings.

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#### **SECTION 23 3113**

#### **METAL DUCTS**

### **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. Single-wall rectangular ducts and fittings.
  - 2. Double-wall rectangular ducts and fittings.
  - 3. Single-wall round and flat-oval ducts and fittings.
  - 4. Double-wall round and flat-oval ducts and fittings.
  - 5. Exhaust Air Stacks
  - 6. Guy wires and connectors.
  - 7. Sheet metal materials.
  - 8. Duct liner.
  - 9. Sealants and gaskets.
  - 10. Hangers and supports.

### B. Related Sections:

- 1. Section 230593 "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC" for testing, adjusting, and balancing requirements for metal ducts.
- 2. Section 233119 "HVAC Casings" for factory- and field-fabricated casings for mechanical equipment.
- 3. Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for dampers, sound-control devices, duct-mounting access doors and panels, turning vanes, and flexible ducts.
- 4. Section 230713 "Duct Insulation" for duct insulation and fire wrap.
- C. Stacks from the exhaust systems are to be designed per SMACNA guidelines. Use the "Guide for steel stack design and Construction" the latest edition. The outside of the stacks are to be painted with Pota-Pox. 80 series 141 material. Color is to be selected by the architect. Provide guy wires and angle supports. Construction shall be a minimum of 10 gauge and shall be painted on the inside of the stack and on the exterior where the stack is exterior to the building.

### 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Delegated Duct Design: Duct construction, including sheet metal thicknesses, seam and joint construction, reinforcements, and hangers and supports, shall comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" and performance requirements and design criteria indicated in "Duct Schedule" Article.

- B. Seismic Performance: Duct hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to SEI/ASCE 7 and with the requirements specified in Section 230548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC."
  - 1. For equipment with a seismic importance factor of 1.0 the term "withstand" means "the unit will remain in place without separation of any parts from the device when subjected to the seismic forces specified."
  - 2. For equipment with a seismic importance factor of 1.5 the term "withstand" means "the unit will remain in place without separation of any parts from the device when subjected to the seismic forces specified and the unit will be fully operational after the seismic event."
- C. Structural Performance: Duct hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of gravity loads and stresses within limits and under conditions described in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible"
- D. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following products:
  - 1. Liners and adhesives.
  - 2. Sealants and gaskets.
  - 3. Seismic-restraint devices.

#### B. LEED Submittals:

- 1. Product Data for Prerequisite IEQ 1: Documentation indicating that duct systems comply with ASHRAE 62.1, Section 5 "Systems and Equipment."
- 2. Product Data for Prerequisite EA 2: Documentation indicating that duct systems comply with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6.4.4 "HVAC System Construction and Insulation."
- 3. Leakage Test Report for Prerequisite EA 2: Documentation of work performed for compliance with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6.4.4.2.2 "Duct Leakage Tests."
- 4. Duct-Cleaning Test Report for Prerequisite IEQ 1: Documentation of work performed for compliance with ASHRAE 62.1, Section 7.2.4 "Ventilation System Start-up."
- 5. Laboratory Test Reports for Credit IEQ 4: For adhesives and sealants, documentation indicating that products 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."
- 6. Product Data for Credit IEQ 4.1: For adhesives and sealants, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.

### C. Shop Drawings:

- 1. Fabrication, assembly, and installation, including plans, elevations, sections, components, and attachments to other work.
- 2. Factory- and shop-fabricated ducts and fittings.
- 3. Duct layout indicating sizes, configuration, liner material, and static-pressure classes.
- 4. Elevation of top of ducts.
- 5. Dimensions of main duct runs from building grid lines.
- 6. Fittings.

- 7. Reinforcement and spacing.
- 8. Seam and joint construction.
- 9. Penetrations through fire-rated and other partitions.
- 10. Equipment installation based on equipment being used on Project.
- 11. Locations for duct accessories, including dampers, turning vanes, and access doors and panels.
- 12. Hangers and supports, including methods for duct and building attachment, seismic restraints, and vibration isolation.
- 13. Duct fabrication shall not begin until shop drawings have been submitted and reviewed by the mechanical engineer.

## D. Delegated-Design Submittal:

- 1. Sheet metal thicknesses.
- Joint and seam construction and sealing.
- 3. Reinforcement details and spacing.
- 4. Materials, fabrication, assembly, and spacing of hangers and supports.
- 5. Design Calculations: Calculations for selecting hangers and supports.

### 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Duct installation in congested spaces, indicating coordination with general construction, building components, and other building services. Indicate proposed changes to duct layout.
  - 2. Suspended ceiling components.
  - 3. Structural members to which duct will be attached.
  - 4. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
  - 5. Penetrations of smoke barriers and fire-rated construction.
  - 6. Items penetrating finished ceiling including, but not limited to the following:
    - a. Lighting fixtures.
    - b. Air outlets and inlets.
    - c. Speakers.
    - d. Sprinklers.
    - e. Access panels.
    - f. Perimeter moldings.
- B. Field quality-control reports.

### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code Steel," for hangers and supports. AWS D9.1M/D9.1, "Sheet Metal Welding Code," for duct joint and seam welding.
- B. Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to the following:
  - 1. AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code Steel," for hangers and supports.
  - 2. AWS D1.2/D1.2M, "Structural Welding Code Aluminum," for aluminum supports.
  - AWS D9.1M/D9.1, "Sheet Metal Welding Code," for duct joint and seam welding.

- C. ASHRAE Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE 62.1, Section 5 "Systems and Equipment" and Section 7 "Construction and System Start-up."
- D. ASHRAE/IESNA Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6.4.4 "HVAC System Construction and Insulation."

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 SINGLE-WALL RECTANGULAR DUCTS AND FITTINGS

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

### 2.2 DOUBLE-WALL RECTANGULAR DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. Rectangular Ducts: Fabricate ducts with indicated dimensions for the inner duct.
- B. Duct dimensions shown on drawings are inside clear dimensions.
- C. Outer Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-1, "Rectangular Duct/Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- E. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-2, "Rectangular Duct/Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-

- support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- F. Interstitial Insulation: Fibrous-glass liner complying with ASTM C 1071, NFPA 90A, or NFPA 90B; and with NAIMA AH124, "Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard."
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg Fat 75 deg F mean temperature.
  - 2. Install spacers that position the inner duct at uniform distance from outer duct without compressing insulation.
  - 3. Coat insulation with antimicrobial coating.
  - 4. Cover insulation with polyester film complying with UL 181, Class 1.
- G. Interstitial Insulation: Flexible elastomeric duct liner complying with ASTM C 534, Type II for sheet materials, and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.25 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
- H. Inner Duct: Minimum 0.028-inchsolid sheet steel.
- I. Formed-on Transverse Joints (Flanges): Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-1, "Rectangular Duct/Traverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- J. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-2, "Rectangular Duct/Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, ductsupport intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards -Metal and Flexible."

## 2.3 SINGLE-WALL ROUND AND FLAT-OVAL DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Chapter 3, "Round, Oval, and Flexible Duct," based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Duct dimensions shown on drawings are inside clear dimensions.
- C. Flat-Oval Ducts: Indicated dimensions are the duct width (major dimension) and diameter of the round sides connecting the flat portions of the duct (minor dimension).
- D. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Round Duct Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
  - 1. Transverse Joints in Ducts Larger Than 60 Inches in Diameter: Flanged.
- E. Longitudinal Seams: Not allowed.

F. Tees and Laterals: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

### 2.4 DOUBLE-WALL ROUND AND FLAT-OVAL DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. Flat-Oval Ducts: Indicated dimensions are the duct width (major dimension) and diameter of the round sides connecting the flat portions of the duct (minor dimension) of the inner duct.
- B. Duct dimensions shown on drawings are inside clear dimensions.
- C. Outer Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Chapter 3, "Round, Oval, and Flexible Duct," based on static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
  - Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Round Duct Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
    - a. Transverse Joints in Ducts Larger Than 60 Inches in Diameter: Flanged.
  - 2. Longitudinal Seams: Not allowed.
  - 3. Tees and Laterals: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- D. Inner Duct: Minimum 0.028-inch solid sheet steel.
  - 1. Perforated inner ducts exposed to air movement shall not be used in supply air ducts upstream of the following rooms: Operating rooms, trauma rooms, LDR rooms, NICU nurseries, ICU nurseries, positive pressure isolation rooms, cath labs, bone marrow, triage rooms, angiogram rooms, fluoroscopy rooms, linear accelerators, decontamination areas and any invasive procedure rooms where the duct insulation could be a source of contamination.
  - 2. Inner duct shall be solid sheet steel a minimum of 10 feet downstream of humidifiers and/or air washers.
- E. Interstitial Insulation: Fibrous-glass liner complying with ASTM C 1071, NFPA 90A, or NFPA 90B; and with NAIMA AH124, "Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard."
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
  - 2. Install spacers that position the inner duct at uniform distance from outer duct without compressing insulation.
  - Coat insulation with antimicrobial coating.
  - 4. Cover insulation with polyester film complying with UL 181, Class 1.

- F. Interstitial Insulation: Flexible elastomeric duct liner complying with ASTM C 534, Type II for sheet materials, and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.25 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg Fat 75 deg F mean temperature.

### 2.5 EXHAUST AIR STACKS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Chapter 3, "Round, Oval, and Flexible Duct," based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Round Duct Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
  - 1. Transverse Joints in Ducts Larger Than 60 Inches in Diameter: Flanged.
- C. Longitudinal Seams: Not allowed.
- D. Tees and Laterals: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- E. Design Wind Loads: 150 mph.
- F. Design for seismic conditions at Project site.
- G. Accessories: Terminations, adjustable roof flashings, storm collars, support assemblies, thimbles, firestop spacers, and fasteners; fabricated from similar materials and designs as duct straight sections.
  - 1. Termination: Antibackdraft damper.
- H. Drain: Provide drain section incorporated into base of stack with trap. Seal depth design to prevent seal blowout at highest estimated static pressure.
- I. Guying and Bracing Materials
  - 1. Cable: Three minimum galvanized or stainless steel, stranded wires of the following thickness: [Four] <Insert number> [stainless steel]
    - a. Minimum Size: 1/4 inch in diameter.
    - b. For ID Sizes 4 to 15 Inches: 5/16 inch.
    - c. For ID Sizes 18 to 24 Inches: 3/8 inch.
    - d. For ID Sizes 27 to 30 Inches: 7/16 inch.
    - e. For ID Sizes 33 to 36 Inches: 1/2 inch.
    - f. For ID Sizes 39 to 48 Inches: 9/16 inch.
    - g. For ID Sizes 51 to 60 Inches: 5/8 inch.

- 2. Cable Hardware: Provide duct angle ring, turnbuckles, cable loop thimbles, cable clamps and all hardware necessary to brace stack.
- 3. Pipe: Two galvanized steel, NPS 1-1/4. [Three].
- 4. Angle Iron: Two galvanized steel, 2 by 2 by 0.25 inch. [Three].

### 2.6 SHEET METAL MATERIALS

- A. General Material Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.
- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653.
  - 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
  - 2. Finishes for Surfaces Exposed to View: Mill phosphatized.
- C. Carbon-Steel Sheets: Comply with ASTM A 1008, with oiled, matte finish for exposed ducts.
- D. Reinforcement Shapes and Plates: ASTM A 36, steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.
  - 1. Where black- and galvanized-steel shapes and plates are used to reinforce aluminum ducts, isolate the different metals with butyl rubber, neoprene, or EPDM gasket materials.
- E. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

### 2.7 DUCT LINER

- A. Fibrous-Glass Duct Liner: Comply with ASTM C 1071, NFPA 90A, or NFPA 90B; and with NAIMA AH124, "Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard."
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. CertainTeed Corporation; Insulation Group.
    - b. Johns Manville.
    - c. Knauf Insulation.
    - d. Owens Corning.
  - 2. Maximum Thermal Conductivity:
    - a. Type I, Flexible: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
    - b. Type II, Rigid: 0.23 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
  - 3. Antimicrobial Erosion-Resistant Coating: Apply to the surface of the liner that will form the interior surface of the duct to act as a moisture repellent and erosion-resistant coating. Antimicrobial compound shall be tested for efficacy by an NRTL and registered by the EPA for use in HVAC systems.
  - 4. Water-Based Liner Adhesive:
    - a. Comply with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B and with ASTM C 916.

- b. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 80 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- c. Adhesive 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."
- B. Flexible Elastomeric Duct Liner: Preformed, cellular, closed-cell, sheet materials complying with ASTM C 534, Type II, Grade 1; and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Aeroflex USA Inc.
    - b. Armacell LLC.
    - c. Rubatex International, LLC
  - 2. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread index of 25 and maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
  - 3. Liner Adhesive: As recommended by insulation manufacturer and complying with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
    - a. For indoor applications, adhesive shall have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
    - b. Adhesive 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. Insulation Pins and Washers:
  - 1. Cupped-Head, Capacitor-Discharge-Weld Pins: Copper- or zinc-coated steel pin, fully annealed for capacitor-discharge welding, , length to suit depth of insulation indicated with integral 1-1/2-inch galvanized carbon-steel washer.
    - a. 0.135-inch-diameter shank.
  - 2. Insulation-Retaining Washers: With beveled edge sized as required to hold insulation securely in place but not less than 1-1/2 inches in diameter.
    - a. Self-locking washers formed from 0.016-inch-thick aluminum.
- D. Shop Application of Duct Liner: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 7-11, "Flexible Duct Liner Installation."
  - 1. Adhere a single layer of indicated thickness of duct liner with at least 90 percent adhesive coverage at liner contact surface area. Attaining indicated thickness with multiple layers of duct liner is prohibited.
  - 2. Apply adhesive to transverse edges of liner facing upstream that do not receive metal nosing.
  - 3. Butt transverse joints without gaps, and coat joint with adhesive.
  - 4. Fold and compress liner in corners of rectangular ducts or cut and fit to ensure buttededge overlapping.
  - 5. Do not apply liner in rectangular ducts with longitudinal joints, except at corners of ducts, unless duct size and dimensions of standard liner make longitudinal joints necessary.

- 6. Secure liner with mechanical fasteners 4 inches from corners and at intervals not exceeding 12 inchestransversely; at 3 inchesfrom transverse joints and at intervals not exceeding 18 incheslongitudinally.
- 7. Secure transversely oriented liner edges facing the airstream with metal nosings that have either channel or "Z" profiles or are integrally formed from duct wall. Fabricate edge facings at the following locations:
  - a. Fan discharges.
  - b. Intervals of lined duct preceding unlined duct.
- 8. Secure insulation between perforated sheet metal inner duct of same thickness as specified for outer shell. Use mechanical fasteners that maintain inner duct at uniform distance from outer shell without compressing insulation.
  - a. Sheet Metal Inner Duct Perforations: 3/32-inch diameter, with an overall open area of 23 percent.
- 9. Terminate inner ducts with buildouts attached to fire-damper sleeves, dampers, turning vane assemblies, or other devices. Fabricated build-outs (metal hat sections) or other buildout means are optional; when used, secure buildouts to duct walls with bolts, screws, rivets, or welds.

#### 2.8 SEALANT AND GASKETS

- A. General Sealant and Gasket Requirements: Surface-burning characteristics for sealants and gaskets shall be a maximum flame-spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
- B. Two-Part Tape Sealing System:
  - 1. Tape: Woven cotton fiber impregnated with mineral gypsum and modified acrylic/silicone activator to react exothermically with tape to form hard, durable, airtight seal.
  - 2. Tape Width: 4 inches.
  - 3. Sealant: Modified styrene acrylic.
  - 4. Water resistant.
  - 5. Mold and mildew resistant.
  - 6. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive and negative.
  - 7. Service: Indoor and outdoor.
  - 8. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
  - 9. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel (both PVC coated and bare), stainless steel, or aluminum.
  - 10. For indoor applications, sealant shall have a VOC content of 250 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 11. 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."
- C. Water-Based Joint and Seam Sealant:
  - 1. Application Method: Brush on.
  - Solids Content: Minimum 65 percent.
  - 3. Shore A Hardness: Minimum 20.
  - 4. Water resistant.

- 5. Mold and mildew resistant.
- 6. VOC: Maximum 75 g/L (less water).
- 7. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive and negative.
- 8. Service: Indoor or outdoor.
- 9. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel, stainless steel, or aluminum sheets.

#### D. Solvent-Based Joint and Seam Sealant:

- 1. Application Method: Brush on.
- 2. Base: Synthetic rubber resin.
- 3. Solvent: Toluene and heptane.
- 4. Solids Content: Minimum 60 percent.
- 5. Shore A Hardness: Minimum 60.
- 6. Water resistant.
- 7. Mold and mildew resistant.
- 8. For indoor applications, sealant shall have a VOC content of 250 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- 9. VOC: Maximum 395 g/L.
- 10. 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."
- 11. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive or negative.
- 12. Service: Indoor or outdoor.
- 13. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel (both PVC coated and bare), stainless steel, or aluminum sheets.
- E. Flanged Joint Sealant: Comply with ASTM C 920.
  - 1. General: Single-component, acid-curing, silicone, elastomeric.
  - 2. Type: S.
  - 3. Grade: NS.
  - 4. Class: 25.
  - 5. Use: O.
  - 6. For indoor applications, sealant shall have a VOC content of 250 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 7. 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."
- F. Flange Gaskets: Butyl rubber, neoprene, or EPDM polymer with polyisobutylene plasticizer.
- G. Round Duct Joint O-Ring Seals:
  - 1. Seal shall provide maximum leakage class of 3 cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and shall be rated for 10-inch wg static-pressure class, positive or negative.
  - 2. EPDM O-ring to seal in concave bead in coupling or fitting spigot.
  - 3. Double-lipped, EPDM O-ring seal, mechanically fastened to factory-fabricated couplings and fitting spigots.

#### 2.9 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

A. Hanger Rods for Noncorrosive Environments: Cadmium-plated steel rods and nuts.

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

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 DUCT INSTALLATION

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of duct system. Indicated duct locations, configurations, and arrangements were used to size ducts and calculate friction loss for air-handling equipment sizing and for other design considerations. Install duct systems as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Shop Drawings and Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install ducts according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install round and flat-oval ducts in maximum practical lengths.
- D. Install ducts with fewest possible joints.
- E. Install factory- or shop-fabricated fittings for changes in direction, size, and shape and for branch connections.
- F. Unless otherwise indicated, install ducts vertically and horizontally, and parallel and perpendicular to building lines.
- G. Install ducts close to walls, overhead construction, columns, and other structural and permanent enclosure elements of building.
- H. Install ducts with a clearance of 2 inch, plus allowance for insulation thickness.

- I. Route ducts to avoid passing through transformer vaults and electrical equipment rooms and enclosures.
- J. Where ducts pass through non-fire-rated interior partitions and exterior walls and are exposed to view, cover the opening between the partition and duct or duct insulation with sheet metal flanges of same metal thickness as the duct. Overlap openings on four sides by at least 1-1/2 inches.
- K. Where ducts pass through fire-rated interior partitions and exterior walls, install fire dampers. Comply with requirements in Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for fire and smoke dampers.
- L. Protect duct interiors from moisture, construction debris and dust, and other foreign materials. Comply with SMACNA's "IAQ Guidelines for Occupied Buildings Under Construction," Appendix G, "Duct Cleanliness for New Construction Guidelines".
- M. Where ducts pass through sound-rated walls, fill the opening between the partition and duct with insulation and seal the opening.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION OF EXPOSED DUCTWORK

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

# 3.3 ADDITIONAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS FOR COMMERCIAL KITCHEN HOOD EXHAUST DUCT

- A. Install commercial kitchen hood exhaust ducts without dips and traps that may hold grease, and sloped a minimum of 2 percent to drain grease back to the hood.
- B. Install fire-rated access panel assemblies at each change in direction and at maximum intervals of 12 feet in horizontal ducts, and at every floor for vertical ducts, or as indicated on Drawings. Locate access panel on top or sides of duct a minimum of 1-1/2 inches from bottom of duct. [20 feet]
- C. Do not penetrate fire-rated assemblies except as allowed by applicable building codes and authorities having jurisdiction.
- D. Perform a light test of grease ductwork per 2012 International Mechanical Code paragraph 506.3.2.5. prior to concealment by insulation or covered by shaft.

- 1. Perform light test in the presence of local Inspector/Engineer.
- 2. Document whether test passed or failed.
- 3. Repair any joints or duct welds that fail light test to the point the ductwork passes the light test.
- E. Install grease duct with minimum clearance to combustibles as required by IBC and local codes. Installations that do not meet the minimum required clearances shall be fire wrapped as specified in Section 230713 "Duct Insulation".
- F. Provide approved fire-wrap insulation that meets ASTM C 656.

#### 3.4 DUCT SEALING

- A. Seal ducts for duct static-pressure, seal classes, and leakage classes specified in "Duct Schedule" Article according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- B. Seal ducts to the following seal classes according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible":
  - 1. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
  - 2. Outdoor, Supply-Air Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 3. Outdoor, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 4. Outdoor, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 5. Unconditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes 2-Inch wg and Lower: Seal Class A.
  - 6. Unconditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes Higher Than 2-Inch wg: Seal Class A.
  - 7. Unconditioned Space, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 8. Unconditioned Space, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 9. Conditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes 2-Inch wg and Lower: Seal Class A.
  - Conditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes Higher Than 2-Inch wg: Seal Class A.
  - 11. Conditioned Space, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 12. Conditioned Space, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class A.

# 3.5 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Chapter 5, "Hangers and Supports."
- B. Building Attachments: Concrete inserts, powder-actuated fasteners, or structural-steel fasteners appropriate for construction materials to which hangers are being attached.
  - 1. Where practical, install concrete inserts before placing concrete.
  - Install powder-actuated concrete fasteners after concrete is placed and completely cured.

- 3. Use powder-actuated concrete fasteners for standard-weight aggregate concretes or for slabs more than 4 inchesthick.
- 4. Do not use powder-actuated concrete fasteners for lightweight-aggregate concretes or for slabs less than 4 inchesthick.
- 5. Do not use powder-actuated concrete fasteners for seismic restraints.
- C. Hanger Spacing: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Table 5-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 5-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct," for maximum hanger spacing; install hangers and supports within 24 inches of each elbow and within 48 inches of each branch intersection.
- D. Hangers Exposed to View: Threaded rod and angle or channel supports.
- E. Support vertical ducts with steel angles or channel secured to the sides of the duct with welds, bolts, sheet metal screws, or blind rivets; support at each floor and at a maximum intervals of 16 feet.
- F. Install upper attachments to structures. Select and size upper attachments with pull-out, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.

#### 3.6 SEISMIC-RESTRAINT-DEVICE INSTALLATION

- A. Install ducts with hangers and braces designed to support the duct and to restrain against seismic forces required by applicable building codes. Comply with the requirements specified in Section 230548 "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC."
  - 1. Comply with ASCE/SEI 7.

## 3.7 CONNECTIONS

- A. Make connections to equipment with flexible connectors complying with Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories."
- B. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" for branch, outlet and inlet, and terminal unit connections.

#### 3.8 PAINTING

A. Paint interior of metal ducts that are visible through registers and grilles and that do not have duct liner. Apply one coat of flat, black, latex paint over a compatible galvanized-steel primer. Paint materials and application requirements are specified in Section 099113 "Exterior Painting" and Section 099123 "Interior Painting."

## 3.9 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Leakage Tests:
  - Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Air Duct Leakage Test Manual." Submit a test report for each test.

# 2. Test the following systems:

- a. Ducts with a Pressure Class Higher Than 3-Inch wg: Test representative duct sections, selected by Architect from sections installed, totaling no less than 25 percent of total installed duct area for each designated pressure class.
- b. Supply Ducts with a Pressure Class of 2-Inch wg or Higher: Test representative duct sections, selected by Architect from sections installed, totaling no less than 50 percent of total installed duct area for each designated pressure class.
- c. Return Ducts with a Pressure Class of 2-Inch wg or Higher: Test representative duct sections, selected by Architect from sections installed, totaling no less than 50 percent of total installed duct area for each designated pressure class.
- d. Exhaust Ducts with a Pressure Class of 2-Inch wg or Higher: Test representative duct sections, selected by Architect from sections installed, totaling no less than 50 percent of total installed duct area for each designated pressure class.
- e. Outdoor Air Ducts with a Pressure Class of 2-Inch wg or Higher: Test representative duct sections, selected by Architect from sections installed, totaling no less than 50 percent of total installed duct area for each designated pressure class.
- 3. Disassemble, reassemble, and seal segments of systems to accommodate leakage testing and for compliance with test requirements.
- 4. Test for leaks before applying external insulation.
- Conduct tests at static pressures equal to maximum design pressure of system or section being tested. If static-pressure classes are not indicated, test system at maximum system design pressure. Do not pressurize systems above maximum design operating pressure.
- 6. Give seven days' advance notice for testing.

# C. Duct System Cleanliness Tests:

- 1. Visually inspect duct system to ensure that no visible contaminants are present.
- Test sections of metal duct system, chosen randomly by Owner, for cleanliness according to "Vacuum Test" in NADCA ACR, "Assessment, Cleaning and Restoration of HVAC Systems."
  - a. Acceptable Cleanliness Level: Net weight of debris collected on the filter media shall not exceed 0.75 mg/100 sq. cm.
- 3. Any liner showing evidence that is has wet at any time shall be removed and replaced with new liner.
  - a. Disinfect affected sheet metal, and pins.
  - b. Install new liner per specifications
  - c. Seal friable edges and seams of repaired liner.
- D. Duct system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

# 3.10 DUCT CLEANING

- A. Clean new duct system before testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- B. Use service openings for entry and inspection.

- 1. Create new openings and install access panels appropriate for duct static-pressure class if required for cleaning access. Provide insulated panels for insulated or lined duct. Patch insulation and liner as recommended by duct liner manufacturer. Comply with Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for access panels and doors.
- 2. Disconnect and reconnect flexible ducts as needed for cleaning and inspection.
- 3. Remove and reinstall ceiling to gain access during the cleaning process.

## C. Particulate Collection and Odor Control:

- 1. When venting vacuuming system inside the building, use HEPA filtration with 99.97 percent collection efficiency for 0.3-micron-size (or larger) particles.
- 2. When venting vacuuming system to outdoors, use filter to collect debris removed from HVAC system, and locate exhaust downwind and away from air intakes and other points of entry into building.

# D. Clean the following components by removing surface contaminants and deposits:

- 1. Air outlets and inlets (registers, grilles, and diffusers).
- 2. Supply, return, and exhaust fans including fan housings, plenums (except ceiling supply and return plenums), scrolls, blades or vanes, shafts, baffles, dampers, and drive assemblies.
- 3. Air-handling unit internal surfaces and components including mixing box, coil section, air wash systems, spray eliminators, condensate drain pans, humidifiers and dehumidifiers, filters and filter sections, and condensate collectors and drains.
- Coils and related components.
- 5. Return-air ducts, dampers, actuators, and turning vanes except in ceiling plenums and mechanical equipment rooms.
- 6. Supply-air ducts, dampers, actuators, and turning vanes.
- 7. Dedicated exhaust and ventilation components and makeup air systems.

## E. Mechanical Cleaning Methodology:

- 1. Clean metal duct systems using mechanical cleaning methods that extract contaminants from within duct systems and remove contaminants from building.
- 2. Use vacuum-collection devices that are operated continuously during cleaning. Connect vacuum device to downstream end of duct sections so areas being cleaned are under negative pressure.
- 3. Use mechanical agitation to dislodge debris adhered to interior duct surfaces without damaging integrity of metal ducts, duct liner, or duct accessories.
- 4. Clean fibrous-glass duct liner with HEPA vacuuming equipment; do not permit duct liner to get wet. Replace fibrous-glass duct liner that is damaged, deteriorated, or delaminated or that has friable material, mold, or fungus growth.
- 5. Clean coils and coil drain pans according to NADCA 1992. Keep drain pan operational. Rinse coils with clean water to remove latent residues and cleaning materials; comb and straighten fins.
- 6. Provide drainage and cleanup for wash-down procedures.
- 7. Antimicrobial Agents and Coatings: Apply EPA-registered antimicrobial agents if fungus is present. Apply antimicrobial agents according to manufacturer's written instructions after removal of surface deposits and debris.

#### 3.11 START UP

A. Air Balance: Comply with requirements in Section 230593 "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC."

## 3.12 DUCT SCHEDULE

- A. Fabricate ducts with galvanized sheet steel.
- B. Ductwork running in areas where there are no ceilings or when noted on the drawings shall be doubled wall duct and shall meet the requirements indicated below.
- C. BSL-3 Ducts:
  - 1. Supply and exhaust ducts serving BSL-3 areas :
    - a. Type 304 .05-inch thick stainless-steel sheet.
      - 1) Exposed to View: No. 4 finish.
      - 2) Concealed: No. 2B finish.
    - b. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 6-inch wg.
    - c. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
    - d. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
    - e. Supply ducts outside of BSL-3 area shall transition to galvanized.

#### D. MRI Ducts:

- 1. All ducts Connected to and serving MRI Areas:
  - a. All ductwork shall be aluminum with non-ferrous hardware and accessories.
  - b. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 6-inch wg.
  - c. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.

# E. Supply Ducts:

- 1. Ducts Connected to Fan Coil Units, Furnaces, Heat Pumps, and Terminal Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive 2-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 16.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 8.
- 2. Ducts Connected to Constant-Volume Air-Handling Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive 3-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 8.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
- 3. Ducts Connected to Variable-Air-Volume Air-Handling Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive 6-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 4.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 2.
- 4. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:

- a. Pressure Class: Positive 4-inch wg.
- b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
- c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 4.
- d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 2.

#### F. Return Ducts:

- 1. Ducts Connected to Fan Coil Units, Furnaces, Heat Pumps, and Terminal Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 16.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 8.
- 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 16.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 8.
- 3. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 8.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.

#### G. Exhaust Ducts:

- 1. Ducts Connected to Fans Exhausting (ASHRAE 62.1, Class 1 and 2) Air:
  - a. Pressure Class: Negative 2-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 16.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
- 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 8.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
- 3. Ducts Connected to Variable-Air-Volume Air-Handling Units:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive 6-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 4.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 2.
- 4. Ducts Connected to Type I (Grease) Commercial Kitchen Hoods: Comply with NFPA 96.

- a. Exposed to View: 18 gauge Type 304, stainless-steel sheet, No. 4 finish.
- b. Concealed: 16 gauge black steel.
- c. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
- d. Welded seams and joints.
- e. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
- f. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
- g. A light test shall be performed for grease duct prior to concealing the duct.
- 5. Ducts Connected to Type II (Heat) Commercial Kitchen Hoods:
  - a. Type 304, stainless-steel sheet.
  - b. Exposed to View: No. 4 finish.
  - c. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
  - d. Concealed: No. 2D finish.
  - e. Welded seams and joints.
  - f. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
  - g. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
- 6. Ducts Connected to Dishwasher and Low Temperature Vapor and Odor Hoods:
  - a. Type 304, stainless-steel sheet.
  - b. Exposed to View: No. 4 finish. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
  - c. Concealed: No. 2D finish.
  - d. Welded seams and flanged joints with watertight EPDM gaskets.
  - e. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations, flanged ioints class A.
  - f. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
- 7. Ducts Connected to Fans Exhausting Laboratory and Process (ASHRAE 62.1, Class 3 and 4) Air:
  - a. Type 304, stainless-steel sheet.
    - 1) 0.05-inch thick.
    - 2) Exposed to View: No. 4 finish.
    - 3) Concealed: No. 2B finish.
  - b. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 6-inch wg.
  - c. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
  - e. Main laboratory exhaust trunks to be galvanized steel with same pressure, seal and leakage class.
- 8. Ducts Connected to Cage Wash Areas:
  - a. Type 316 .05-inch thick stainless-steel sheet.
    - 1) Exposed to View: No. 4 finish.
    - 2) Concealed: No. 2B finish.
  - b. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 6-inch wg.
  - c. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: Welded seams, joints, and penetrations.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
- 9. Ducts Connected to radioactive fume hoods:

- a. Type 316 .05-inch thick stainless-steel sheet.
  - 1) Exposed to View: No. 4 finish.
  - 2) Concealed: No. 2B finish.
- b. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 6-inch wg.
- c. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A. Flanged and gasketed joints for future disassembly for decontamination.
- d. SMACNA Leakage Class: 2.
- 10. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:
  - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 4-inch wg.
  - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
  - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 4.
  - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 2
- H. Outdoor-Air (Not Filtered, Heated, or Cooled) Ducts:
  - 1. Ducts Connected to Fan Coil Units, Furnaces, Heat Pumps, and Terminal Units:
    - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
    - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
    - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 16.
    - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
  - 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units:
    - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
    - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
    - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 8.
    - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
  - 3. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:
    - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 3-inch wg.
    - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
    - c. SMACNA Leakage Class for Rectangular: 8.
    - d. SMACNA Leakage Class for Round and Flat Oval: 4.
- I. Intermediate Reinforcement:
  - 1. Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized steel.
  - 2. Stainless-Steel Ducts:
    - a. Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
    - b. Not Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
  - 3. Aluminum Ducts: Aluminum.
- J. Duct Liner Restrictions:

- Duct liner exposed to air movement shall not be used in supply air ducts serving the following rooms: Operating rooms, trauma rooms, LDR rooms, NICU nurseries, ICU nurseries, positive pressure isolation rooms, cath labs, bone marrow, triage rooms, angiogram rooms, fluoroscopy rooms, linear accelerators, decontamination areas and any invasive procedure rooms where the duct insulation could be a source of contamination.
- 2. Duct Liner exposed to air movement shall not be used on medium pressure ductwork (2000 to 4000 FPM velocity). See section 230713 "Duct Insulation" for insulation requirements.
- 3. Duct Liner exposed to air movement shall not be used on high pressure ductwork (Greater than 4000 FPM velocity). See section 230713 "Duct Insulation" for insulation requirements.
- 4. All duct liner shall meet all of the requirements found in 2012 IECC

## K. Liner:

- Low Pressure Supply Air Ducts (Less than 2000 FPM velocity): Fibrous glass, Type I, 1 inch thick.
- 2. Return Air Ducts: Fibrous glass, Type I, 1 inch thick.
- 3. Exhaust Air Ducts: Fibrous glass, Type I, 1 inch thick.
- 4. Supply Fan Plenums: Fibrous glass, Type I, 1 inch thick.
- 5. Return- and Exhaust-Fan Plenums: Fibrous glass, Type II, 1 inch thick.
- 6. Transfer Ducts: Fibrous glass, Type I or flexible elastomeric, 1 inch thick.
- L. Double-Wall Duct Interstitial Insulation:
  - 1. Supply Air Ducts: 1 inch thick.
  - 2. Return Air Ducts: 1 inch thick.
  - 3. Exhaust Air Ducts: 1 inch thick.
- M. Exterior Ductwork Liner Insulation:
  - 1. Supply Air Ducts: 2 inch thick with a minimum R value of 8.0.
  - 2. Return Air Ducts: 2 inch thick with a minimum R value of 8.0.
  - 3. Exhaust Air Ducts: 2 inch thick with a minimum R value of 8.0.

# N. Elbow Configuration:

 Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards -Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-2, "Rectangular Elbows."

- a. Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.
- b. Radius Type RE 3 with minimum 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and two vanes.
- c. Mitered Type RE 2 with vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
- 2. Round Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-4, "Round Duct Elbows."
  - a. Minimum Radius-to-Diameter Ratio and Elbow Segments: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 3-1, "Mitered Elbows." Elbows with less than 90-degree change of direction have proportionately fewer segments.
    - 1) Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower: 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and three segments for 90-degree elbow.
    - 2) Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and four segments for 90-degree elbow.
    - 3) Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and five segments for 90-degree elbow.
    - 4) Radius-to Diameter Ratio: 1.5.
  - b. Round Elbows, 12 Inches and Smaller in Diameter: Stamped or pleated.
  - c. Round Elbows, 14 Inches and Larger in Diameter: Welded.

# O. Branch Configuration:

- 1. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-6, "Branch Connection."
  - a. Rectangular Main to Rectangular Branch: 45-degree entry high efficiency take-off.
  - b. Rectangular Main to Round Branch: 45-degree entry high efficiency take-off.
- 2. Round and Flat Oval:
  - a. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees." Saddle taps are permitted in existing duct.
  - b. Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: 45-degree entry high efficiency tap.
  - c. Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 45-degree lateral.

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#### **SECTION 23 3300**

#### **AIR DUCT 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. Backdraft dampers.
- 2. Pressure relief dampers.
- 3. Barometric relief dampers.
- 4. Manual volume dampers.
- 5. Control dampers.
- 6. Constant Airflow Regulators.
- 7. Fire dampers.
- 8. Smoke dampers.
- 9. Combination fire and smoke dampers.
- 10. Duct silencers.
- 11. Turning vanes.
- 12. Remote damper operators.
- 13. Duct-mounted access doors.
- 14. Flexible connectors.
- 15. Flexible ducts.
- 16. Duct security bars.
- 17. Duct accessory hardware.
- 18. High efficiency take-offs.

# B. Related Requirements:

- 1. Division 23 "HVAC Gravity Ventilators" for roof-mounted ventilator caps.
- 2. Division 23 "Diffusers, Registers and Grilles".
- 3. Division 28 "Digital, Addressable Fire-Alarm System" for duct-mounted fire and smoke detectors.
- 4. Division 28 "Zoned (DC-Loop) Fire-Alarm System" for duct-mounted fire and smoke detectors.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. For duct silencers, include pressure drop and dynamic insertion loss data. Include breakout noise calculations for high transmission loss casings.

#### B. LEED Submittals:

- 1. Product Data for Prerequisite IEQ 1: Documentation indicating that units comply with ASHRAE 62.1, Section 5 "Systems and Equipment."
- 2. Product Data for Prerequisite EA 2: Documentation indicating that duct insulation R-values comply with tables in ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6 "Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning."
- C. Shop Drawings: For duct accessories. Include plans, elevations, sections, details and attachments to other work.
  - Detail duct accessories fabrication and installation in ducts and other construction. Include dimensions, weights, loads, and required clearances; and method of field assembly into duct systems and other construction. Include the following:
    - a. Special fittings.
    - b. Manual volume damper installations.
    - c. Control-damper installations.
    - d. Fire-damper, smoke-damper, combination fire- and smoke-damper, pressure relief-damper, ceiling, and corridor damper installations, including sleeves; and duct-mounted access doors and remote damper operators.
    - e. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

## 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plans, drawn to scale, on which ceiling-mounted access panels and access doors required for access to duct accessories are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from Installers of the items involved.
- B. Source quality-control reports.

# 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

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

## 1.6 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

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

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 ASSEMBLY DESCRIPTION

- A. Comply with NFPA 90A, "Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems," and with NFPA 90B, "Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems."
- B. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.

## 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653.
  - 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G60.
  - 2. Exposed-Surface Finish: Mill phosphatized.
- B. Aluminum Sheets: Comply with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, Temper H14; with mill finish for concealed ducts and standard, 1-side bright finish for exposed ducts.
- C. Extruded Aluminum: Comply with ASTM B 221, Alloy 6063, Temper T6.
- D. Reinforcement Shapes and Plates: Galvanized-steel reinforcement where installed on galvanized sheet metal ducts; compatible materials for aluminum and stainless-steel ducts.
- E. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

# 2.3 BACKDRAFT DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
  - 2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 3. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - Pottorff.
  - 5. Ruskin Company.
  - 6. United Enertech
- B. Function:
  - 1. Designed to allow airflow in one direction and prevent reverse airflow.
  - 2. Keeps outside air out of the space by sensing and closing against mass flow.
- C. Description:
  - Gravity balanced.
- D. Maximum Air Velocity:
  - 1. 1000 fpm

- E. Maximum System Pressure:
  - 1. 3-inch wg.
- F. Frame: Hat-shaped, with welded corners or mechanically attached and mounting flange:
  - 1. 16GA 0.063-inch- thick extruded aluminum.
- G. Blades: Multiple single-piece blades, maximum 6-inch width noncombustible, tear-resistant, neoprene-coated fiberglass with sealed edges:
  - 1. Center pivoted: 16GA 0.050-inch- thick aluminum sheet.
- H. Blade Action: Parallel.
- I. Blade Seals: Mechanically locked.
  - Neoprene.
- J. Blade Axles: 0.20 inch diameter:
  - Material: Nonferrous metal.
- K. Tie Bars and Brackets:
  - 1. Aluminum.
- L. Return Spring: Adjustable tension.
- M. Bearings:
  - 1. Synthetic pivot bushings.
- N. Accessories.
  - 1. Adjustment device to permit setting for varying differential static pressure.
  - 2. Counterweights and spring-assist kits for vertical airflow installations.
  - 3. Screen Mounting: Front mounted in sleeve.
    - a. Sleeve Thickness: 20 gage minimum.
    - b. Sleeve Length: 6 inches minimum.
  - 4. Screen Mounting: Rear mounted.
  - 5. Screen Material:
    - a. Aluminum.
  - 6. Screen Type:
    - a. Bird
  - 7. 90-degree stops.

## 2.4 PRESSURE RELIEF DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
  - 2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 3. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 4. Pottorff.
  - Ruskin Company.
- B. Function:

- 1. Provide component designed to protect HVAC systems by relieving air pressure from within a space that is beyond a pre-determined limit.
- 2. To automatically begin to open at a pre-set pressure difference above maximum system pressure.
- 3. Internally self-controlled with system pressure utilizing adjustable arms and weights.
- 4. Self-actuated with system pressure utilizing adjustable arms and weights.
- 5. Employs blade counterbalancing.
- 6. Automatically closes and re-sets when pressures return to normal conditions.
- C. Air Velocity:
  - 1. 3900 fpm.
- D. Maximum System Pressure (MSP):
  - 5-inch wg.
- E. Differential Pressure Preset above MSP:
  - 1. 1-inch wg.
- F. Maximum Damper Pressure Limit:
  - 1. 5.0-inch wg.
- G. Frame Material: Flanged Channel:
  - 1. 14GA 0.079-inch- thick galvanized steel.
- H. Frame Depth: 8-inch- minimum.
- I. Blades:
  - Material:
    - a. 16GA 0.063-inch- formed galvanized steel.
  - 2. Type:
    - a. Formed Sheetmetal.
  - 3. Blade-stop:
    - a. With stop.
- J. Blade Action: Parallel.
- K. Blade Seals:
  - 1. Thermo Plastic Elastomer.
- L. Blade Axles:
  - 1. Material:
    - a. Plated steel.
  - 2. Diameter: 0.375 inch.
- M. Linkage:
  - 1. External heavy duty type with galvanized steel clevis arms and plated steel tie bars & pivot pins with nylon pivot bearings.
- N. Bearings:
  - 1. Galvanized Steel ball.

## 2.5 BAROMETRIC RELIEF DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
  - 2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 3. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 4. Pottorff.
  - 5. Ruskin Company.
- B. Function:
  - 1. Senses and compares outdoor ambient and indoor pressures.
  - 2. Allows any higher pressure indoor air to escape.
- C. Description: Suitable for horizontal or vertical mounting.
- D. Maximum Air Velocity:
  - 1. 1000 fpm
- E. Maximum System Pressure:
  - 3-inch wg.
- F. Frame: Hat-shaped, with welded corners or mechanically attached and mounting flange.
  - 1. 13GA 0.094-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel.
- G. Blades: Multiple:
  - 1. 16GA 0.050-inch- thick aluminum sheet.
  - 2. Maximum Width: 6 inches.
  - 3. Action: Parallel.
  - 4. Balance: Gravity.
  - 5. Pivot:
    - a. Eccentric.
- H. Blade Seals:
  - 1. Neoprene
- I. Blade Axles:
  - 1. Galvanized steel.
- J. Tie Bars and Brackets: Rattle free with 90-degree stop.
  - 1. Material:
    - a. Galvanized steel.
- K. Return Spring: Adjustable tension.
- L. Bearings:
  - 1. Synthetic

## 2.6 MANUAL VOLUME DAMPERS

A. Standard, Steel, Manual Volume Dampers:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
  - b. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  - c. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - d. Pottorff.
  - e. Ruskin Company.
  - f. United Enertech
- 2. Standard leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream.
- 3. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
- 4. Frames: Hat-shaped, Mitered and welded corners. Flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - a. 16GA 0.064-inch thick, galvanized sheet steel.
- 5. Blades:
  - a. Multiple or single blade. Parallel- or opposed-blade design. Stiffened damper blades for stability.
  - b. Material:
    - 1) Galvanized -steel, 16GA 0.064 inch thick.
- 6. Blade Axles:
  - a. Nonferrous metal
  - b. Shall extend full length of damper blades in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more.
- 7. Bearings:
  - a. Material:
    - 1) Molded synthetic.
  - b. Bearings at both ends of damper operating shafts in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more.
- 8. Tie Bars and Brackets: Galvanized steel.
- B. Standard, Aluminum, Manual Volume Dampers:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
    - b. McGill AirFlow LLC.
    - c. Nailor Industries Inc.
    - d. Pottorff.
    - e. Ruskin Company.
    - f. United Enertech
  - 2. Standard leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream.
  - 3. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
  - 4. Frames: Hat-shaped, 0.10-inch- thick, aluminum sheet channels; frames with flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - 5. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.

- b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
- c. Stiffen damper blades for stability.
- d. Roll-Formed Aluminum Blades: 0.10-inch- thick aluminum sheet.
- e. Extruded-Aluminum Blades: 0.050-inch- thick extruded aluminum.
- 6. Blade Axles: Nonferrous metal.
- 7. Bearings:
  - a. Molded synthetic.
  - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
- 8. Tie Bars and Brackets: Aluminum.
- C. Low-Leakage, Steel, Manual Volume Dampers:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
    - b. McGill AirFlow LLC.
    - c. Nailor Industries Inc.
    - d. Pottorff.
    - e. Ruskin Company.
    - f. United Enertech
  - 2. Comply with AMCA 500-D testing for damper rating.
  - 3. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
  - 4. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
  - 5. Frames:
    - a. Frame: Hat-shaped,
      - 1) 16GA 0.064-inch thick, galvanized sheet steel.
    - b. Mitered and welded corners.
    - c. Flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - 6. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.
    - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
    - c. Stiffen damper blades for stability.
    - d. Material:
      - 1) Galvanized, roll-formed steel, 16GA 0.064 inch thick.
  - 7. Blade Axles:
    - a. Nonferrous metal.
  - 8. Bearings:
    - a. Molded synthetic.
    - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  - 9. Blade Seals:
    - a. Neoprene.
  - 10. Jamb Seals: Cambered Stainless steel or aluminum.

- 11. Tie Bars and Brackets: Galvanized steel or aluminum.
- 12. Accessories:
  - a. Include locking device to hold single-blade dampers in a fixed position without vibration.
- D. Low-Leakage, Aluminum, Manual Volume Dampers:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. American Warming and Ventilating; a division of Mestek, Inc.
    - b. Nailor Industries Inc.
    - c. McGill AirFlow LLC.
    - d. Pottorff.
    - e. Ruskin Company.
    - f. United Enertech
  - 2. Comply with AMCA 500-D testing for damper rating.
  - 3. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
  - 4. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
  - 5. Frames: Hat-shaped, 0.10-inch- thick, aluminum sheet channels; frames with flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - 6. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.
    - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
    - c. Roll-Formed Aluminum Blades: 0.10-inch- thick aluminum sheet.
    - d. Extruded-Aluminum Blades: 0.050-inch- thick extruded aluminum.
  - 7. Blade Axles: Nonferrous metal.
  - 8. Bearings:
    - a. Molded synthetic.
    - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  - 9. Blade Seals: Neoprene.
  - 10. Jamb Seals: Cambered aluminum.
  - 11. Tie Bars and Brackets: Aluminum.
  - 12. Accessories:
    - a. Include locking device to hold single-blade dampers in a fixed position without vibration.

## E. Jackshaft:

- 1. Size:
  - a. 1-inch diameter.
- 2. Material: Galvanized-steel pipe rotating within pipe-bearing assembly mounted on supports at each mullion and at each end of multiple-damper assemblies.
- 3. Length and Number of Mountings: As required to connect linkage of each damper in multiple-damper assembly.

# F. Damper Hardware:

- 1. Zinc-plated, die-cast core with dial and handle made of 3/32-inch- thick zinc-plated steel, and a 3/4-inch hexagon locking nut.
- 2. Include center hole to suit damper operating-rod size.
- 3. Include elevated platform for insulated duct mounting.

# 2.7 CONTROL DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Pottorff.
  - 3. Ruskin Company.
  - 4. Young Regulator Company.
  - 5. United Enertech
- B. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
- C. Frames:
  - 1. Section:
    - a. Hat shaped.
  - 2. Material:
    - a. 20 GA 0.40-inch- thick galvanized steel .
  - 3. Corners:
    - a. Mitered-and-welded.
- D. Blades: Multiple.
  - 1. Maximum blade width:
    - a. 6 inches.
  - 2. Opposed -blade design.
  - Material:
    - a. Galvanized-steel.
  - 4. Thickness:
    - a. 20 GA 0.40-inch- thick galvanized steel
  - 5. Blade Edging: Inflatable seal blade edging, or replaceable rubber seals.
    - a. Closed-cell neoprene
- E. Blade Axles:
  - 1. Section:
    - a. 3/8-inch-square
  - 2. Material:
    - a. Galvanized steel.
  - 3. Blade-linkage hardware:
    - a. Zinc-plated steel and brass.
    - b. Ends sealed against blade bearings:
    - Operating Temperature Range: From minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
- F. Bearings:

4.

- 1. Type:
  - a. Molded synthetic.
- 2. Axles: Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or more shall have axles full length of damper blades.
- 3. Bearings: Thrust bearings at each end of every blade. Bearings at both ends of each operating shaft.

# 2.8 CONSTANT AIRFLOW REGULATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Ruskin
  - 2. American Aldes
  - Lindab
  - 4. Alnor
- B. Pre-set and factory calibrated according to airflows indicated on the schedule.
- C. Rated for use in air temperatures ranging from -25 to 140 deg F.
- D. Capable of maintaining airflow within +/- 10% of schedule airflows above 50 CFM and within +/- 15% of schedule airflows 50 CFM or less at the following S.P.:
  - 1. 0.2 to 0.8 in. w.g. differential pressure
  - 2. 0.1 to 0.42 in. w.g. on low-pressure models.
- E. Assembly:
  - 1. Round sleeve must be fitted with a lip gasket.
  - 2. Complies with UL 2043.
- F. Warranty
  - 5 years

# 2.9 FIRE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Arrow United Industries; a division of Mestek, Inc.
  - 2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 3. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 4. Pottorff.
  - 5. Ruskin Company.
  - 6. United Enertech
- B. Type:
  - 1. Dynamic.
- C. Standard: Rated and labeled according to UL 555 by an NRTL.
- D. Closing rating in ducts up to 4-inch wg static pressure class and minimum 2000-fpm velocity.
- E. Fire Rating:

- 1. 1-1/2 hours.
- F. Frame:
  - 1. Curtain type with blades outside airstream.
  - Material:
    - a. Fabricated with roll-formed galvanized steel; with mitered and interlocking corners.
    - b. Thickness:
      - 1) 20GA-0.040-inch-.
- G. Mounting Sleeve: Factory- or field-installed, galvanized sheet steel. Length to suit application.
  - 1. Minimum Thickness:
    - a. 18GA-0.05 inch. as indicated.
  - 2. Exception: Omit sleeve where damper-frame width permits direct attachment of perimeter mounting angles on each side of wall or floor; thickness of damper frame must comply with sleeve requirements.
- H. Mounting Orientation: Vertical or horizontal as indicated.
- I. Blades: Roll-formed, interlocking, galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. Thickness:
    - a. 24GA-0.024-inch-
  - 2. In place of interlocking blades, use full-length, 0.034-inch- thick, galvanized-steel blade connectors.
- J. Horizontal Dampers: Include blade lock and Type 301 constant force stainless-steel closure spring.
- K. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 212 deg F rated, fusible links.
- L. Accessories:
  - 1. Auxiliary switches for signaling:
    - a. Position indication.

# 2.10 SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Ruskin Company.
  - 5. United Enertech
- B. General Requirements: Label according to UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. <u>Smoke Detector: See electrical for smoke detector requirements.</u>
- C. Frame: Galvanized sheet steel. With or without mounting flange as required.
  - 1. Thickness:
    - a. Hat-shaped, 16GA-0.064-inch.
  - 2. Corners:

- a. Welded.
- D. Blades: Horizontal, galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. Section;
    - a. Roll-formed.
  - 2. Fit:
    - a. Interlocking.
  - 3. Thickness:
    - a. 14GA-0.079-inch.
- E. Leakage:
  - 1. Class II.
- F. Seals:
  - Blade: Inflatable silicone fiberglass material to maintain smoke leakage rating to a minimum of 450 deg F.
- G. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- H. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application with factory-furnished silicone calking.
  - 1. Minimum 17-inches long.
  - Thickness:
    - a. 0.05-inch-.
- I. Damper Motors: Damper motors to be Belimo or approved equal. Honeywell motors are not allowed.
  - 1. Action:
    - a. Two-position
  - 2. Mode: Fail close.
  - 3. Mounting: External.
- J. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - 1. Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz .
- K. Accessories:
  - 1. Auxiliary switches for signaling:
    - a. Position indication.
  - 2. Test Switch type:
    - a. Momentary test switch.
  - 3. Test Switch Mounting:
    - a. Damper.

#### 2.11 COMBINATION FIRE AND SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.

- 4. Ruskin Company.
- 5. United Enertech
- B. Type: Dynamic; rated and labeled according to UL 555 and UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. Closing rating in ducts up to 4-inch wg static pressure class and minimum velocity of:
  - 1. 4000-fpm
- D. Fire Rating:
  - 1. 1-1/2 hours.
- E. Frame: Hat shaped, galvanized sheet steel. With or without mounting flange as required.
  - Thickness:
    - a. 16GA-0.064-inch
  - Corners:
    - a. Welded.
- F. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 212 deg F rated, fusible links.
- G. Blades: Horizontal, galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. Type:
    - a. Air-foil.
  - 2. Fit:,
    - a. Interlocking.
  - 3. Thickness:
    - a. 0.063-inch-.
- H. Leakage:
  - Class I.
- I. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- J. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application with factory-furnished silicone calking.
  - 1. Thickness:
    - a. 18GA 0.05-inch-.
- K. Master control panel for use in dynamic smoke-management systems.
- L. Damper Motors: Damper motors to be Belimo or approved equal. Honeywell motors are not allowed.
  - 1. Locate outside air stream unless otherwise indicated,
  - 2. Action:
    - Two-position.
  - 3. Voltage: to match fire alarm system (coordinate).
  - 4. Listed: UL, as part of damper assembly.
  - 5. Outdoor Motors and Motors in Outside-Air Intakes:
    - a. Gaskets: O-ring gaskets designed to make motors weatherproof.
    - b. Internal heaters: Equip to permit normal operation at minus 40 deg F.
- M. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - 1. Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz.

# N. Accessories:

- 2. Auxiliary switches:
  - a. Signaling.
  - Position indication.
- 3. Test Switch type:
  - Momentary test switch.
- 4. Test Switch Mounting:
  - a. Damper.

#### 2.12 DUCT SILENCERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Industrial Acoustics Company.
  - 2. Ruskin Company.
  - 3. SEMCO Incorporated.
  - 4. Vibro-Acoustics.
- B. General Requirements:
  - 1. Factory fabricated.
  - 2. Fire-Performance Characteristics: Adhesives, sealants, packing materials, and accessory materials shall have flame-spread index not exceeding 25 and smoke-developed index not exceeding 50 when tested according to ASTM E 84.
  - 3. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.

# C. Shape:

- 1. Rectangular straight with splitters or baffles.
- 2. Round straight with center bodies or pods.
- 3. Rectangular elbow with splitters or baffles.
- 4. Round elbow with center bodies or pods.
- 5. Rectangular transitional with splitters or baffles.
- D. Rectangular Silencer Outer Casing: Galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. ASTM A 653:
    - a. G60.
  - 2. Thickness:
    - a. 22GA-0.034 inch.
- E. Round Silencer Outer Casing: Galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. ASTM A 653:
    - a. G60.
  - 2. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units up to 24 Inches in Diameter: 22GA-0.034 inch thick.
  - 3. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 26 through 40 Inches in Diameter: 20GA-0.040 inch thick.
  - 4. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 42 through 52 Inches in Diameter: 18GA-0.05 inch thick.
  - 5. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 54 through 60 Inches in Diameter: 16GA-0.064 inch thick.

- F. Inner Casing and Baffles: Galvanized sheet metal with 1/8-inch- diameter perforations.
  - 1. ASTM A 653:
    - a. G60.
  - 2. Thickness:
    - a. 22GA-0.034 inch.
- G. Special Construction:
  - 1. Suitable for outdoor use.
  - 2. High transmission loss to achieve STC 45.
- H. Connection Sizes: Match connecting ductwork unless otherwise indicated.
- I. Principal Sound-Absorbing Mechanism:
  - 1. Controlled impedance membranes and broadly tuned resonators without absorptive media
  - 2. Dissipative or Film-lined type with fill material:
    - a. Fill Material: Inert and vermin-proof fibrous material, packed under not less than 15 percent compression
    - b. Erosion Barrier: Polymer bag enclosing fill, and heat sealed before assembly.
    - c. Prohibited: Mineral wool will not be permitted as a substitute for glass fiber.
  - 3. Lining:
    - a. Material:
      - 1) Tedlar
    - b. Prohibited: Mesh, screen or corrugated perforated liner will not be acceptable as a substitute for the specified spacer.
- J. Fabricate silencers to form rigid units that will not pulsate, vibrate, rattle, or otherwise react to system pressure variations. Do not use mechanical fasteners for unit assemblies.
  - 1. Joints:
    - a. Lock formed and sealed.
  - 2. Suspended Units: Factory-installed suspension hooks or lugs attached to frame in quantities and spaced to prevent deflection or distortion.
  - 3. Reinforcement: Cross or trapeze angles for rigid suspension.
  - 4. Structural Criteria: The silencers shall not fail structurally when subjected to a differential air pressure of 8 inches water gage.
  - 5. Spot Welds: All spot welds shall be painted.
- K. Accessories:
  - 1. Integral 1-1/2-hour fire damper with access door. Access door to be high transmission loss to match silencer.
  - 2. Factory-installed end caps to prevent contamination during shipping.
  - 3. Removable splitters.
  - 4. Airflow measuring devices.

## 2.13 TURNING VANES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. METALAIRE, Inc.
  - 2. SEMCO Incorporated.
  - 3. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Metal Ducts: Curved blades of galvanized sheet steel; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.
  - 1. Fabricate single blade vanes to comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards-Metal and Flexible."
  - 2. Acoustic Turning Vanes: Fabricate airfoil-shaped aluminum extrusions with perforated faces and fibrous-glass fill.
- C. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Nonmetal Ducts: Fabricate curved blades of resin-bonded fiberglass with acrylic polymer coating; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.
- D. General Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible"; Figures 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
- E. Vane Construction:
  - 1. Single wall
- F. Vane Spacing:
  - 1. 1-1/2" spacing between turning vanes
  - 2. 3-1/4" spacing not allowed.
- G. Vane Construction: Single wall for ducts up to 36 inches wide and additional bracing for larger dimensions.

# 2.14 REMOTE DAMPER OPERATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Pottorff.
  - 2. Ruskin Company; Tomkins PLC.
- B. Cable Type:
  - 1. Description: Cable system designed for remote manual damper adjustment.
  - 2. Tubing/Sheathing: Galvinsed, Brass, Copper or Aluminum.
  - Cable: Stainless steel or Steel.
  - 4. Wall-Box Mounting: Coordinate with Architect.
  - 5. Wall-Box Cover-Plate Material: Coordinate with Architect.
- C. Activated Electric Type:
  - 1. Description: Electrically activated zone control damper for remote adjustment. When an adjustment is needed the system is powered up.
  - 2. Means: Factory mounted actuator factory wired to damper.

- 3. Portable 9 volt system. No field power requirement.
- 4. Mounting: Recessed Wall Box or Diffuser or Hand Held.
- 5. Wall-Box Cover Finish: Coordinate with Architect.
- 6. Wall-Box Porting: 1 to 6 ports or more.

## 2.15 DUCT-MOUNTED ACCESS DOORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - McGill AirFlow LLC.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
  - 5. Ruskin Company
- B. Duct-Mounted Access Doors: Fabricate access panels according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible"; Figures 7-2, "Duct Access Doors and Panels," and 7-3. "Access Doors Round Duct."
  - 1. Door:
    - a. Double wall, rectangular.
    - b. Galvanized sheet metal with insulation fill and thickness as indicated for duct pressure class.
    - c. Hinges and Latches: 1-by-1-inch butt or piano hinge and cam latches.
    - d. Fabricate doors airtight and suitable for duct pressure class.
  - 2. Frame: Galvanized sheet steel, with bend-over tabs and foam gaskets.
  - 3. Number of Hinges and Locks:
    - a. Access Doors Less Than 12 Inches Square: No hinges and two sash locks.
    - b. Access Doors up to 18 Inches Square:
      - 1) Hinges:
        - a) Two hinges and two sash locks.
    - c. Access Doors up to 24 by 48 Inches, provide outside and inside handles:
      - Hinges:
        - a) Three hinges and two compression latches.
    - d. Access Doors Larger Than 24 by 48 Inches, provide outside and inside handles:
      - 1) Hinges:
        - a) Continuous and two compression latches with outside and inside handles.

## 2.16 FLEXIBLE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  - 2. Ventfabrics, Inc.
  - 3. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Materials: Flame-retardant or noncombustible fabrics.

- C. Coatings and Adhesives: Comply with UL 181, Class 1.
- D. Metal-Edged Connectors: Factory fabricated with a wide fabric strip attached to two narrower metal strips. Provide strips of metal compatible with connected ducts.
  - 1. Wide Strip:
    - a. 3-1/2 inches.
  - 2. Narrow Strips:
    - a. 0.028-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel.
- E. Indoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with neoprene.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 26 oz./sg. vd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 530 lbf/inch in the warp and 440 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
- F. Outdoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with weatherproof, synthetic rubber resistant to UV rays and ozone.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 24 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 530 lbf/inch in the warp and 440 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 50 to plus 250 deg F.

## 2.17 DUCT SECURITY BARS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Carnes.
  - 2. KEES. Inc.
  - 3. Lloyd Industries, Inc.
  - 4. Metal Form Manufacturing, Inc.
  - 5. Price Industries.
  - 6. Titus
  - 7. Krueger
- B. Description: Factory-fabricated and field-installed duct security bars.
- C. Configuration:
  - 1. Frame: 1-1/2 by 1-1/2 by 3/16 inch angle.
  - 2. Sleeve: 3/16-inch, continuously welded steel frames with 1-1/2-by-1-1/2-by-1/8- angle frame furnished loose for field welding on other end. To be poured in place or set with concrete block or welded or bolted to wall, one side only. Duct connections on both sides.
  - 3. Horizontal Bars: 3/4 inch steel.
  - 4. Vertical Bars: 3/4 inch steel
  - 5. Bar Spacing: 6 inches.
  - 6. Mounting: Ductwork or other framing.
- D. Finish:
  - 1. White

## 2.18 FLEXIBLE DUCTS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Flexmaster U.S.A., Inc.
  - 2. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  - 3. Themaflex
  - 4. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Ducts shall conform to the requirements for Class I connectors when tested in accordance with "Standard for Factory Made Air Ducts Materials and Air Duct Connectors" (UL 181).
- C. Ducts shall also pass the 15 minute U.L. flame penetration test as specified in the UL 181 Standard.
- D. Insulated, Flexible Duct: Two-ply vinyl film supported by helically wound, spring-steel wire; fibrous-glass insulation; polyethylene or aluminized vapor-barrier film.
  - 1. Pressure Rating: 10-inch wg positive and 1.0-inch wg negative.
  - 2. Maximum Air Velocity: 4000 fpm.
  - 3. Temperature Range: Minus 10 to plus 160 deg F.
  - 4. Insulation R-value: Comply with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1.
- E. Flexible Duct Connectors:
  - 1. Clamps: in sizes 3 through 18 inches, to suit duct size.
    - a. Material: Stainless-steel band with cadmium-plated hex screw to tighten band with a worm-gear action.

## 2.19 DUCT ACCESSORY HARDWARE

- A. Instrument Test Holes: Cast iron or cast aluminum to suit duct material, including screw cap and gasket. Size to allow insertion of pitot tube and other testing instruments and of length to suit duct-insulation thickness.
- B. Adhesives: High strength, quick setting, neoprene based, waterproof, and resistant to gasoline and grease.
- C. Splitter Damper Accessories: Zinc-plated damper blade bracket; 1/4-inch, zinc-plated operating rod; and a duct-mounted, ball-joint bracket with flat rubber gasket and square-head set screw.
- D. Flexible Duct Clamps: Stainless-steel band with cadmium-plated hex screw to tighten band with a worm-gear action, in sizes 3 to 18 inches to suit duct size.

## 2.20 HIGH EFFICIENCY TAKE-OFFS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following.
  - 1. Air-Rite
  - 2. Hercules Industries

- 3. Sheet Metal Connectors, Inc.
- 4. Spiral Manufacturing Co. Inc.
- 5. Ferguson

#### B. Materials:

- 1. 24 gauge galvanized sheet metal meeting ASTM A653 and A924
- C. Take-off shall meet SMACNA third edition Section 4.8 figure 4.6 45 degree entry.
- D. Rectangular opening with flanged sides on all sides. Complete with closed cell neoprene gasket to provide a tight seal.
- E. Zeros VOC's

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 INSTALLATION

#### General

- A. Install duct accessories according to applicable details in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" for metal ducts and in NAIMA AH116, "Fibrous Glass Duct Construction Standards," for fibrous-glass ducts.
- B. Install duct accessories of materials suited to duct materials; use galvanized-steel accessories in galvanized-steel and fibrous-glass ducts, stainless-steel accessories in stainless-steel ducts, and aluminum accessories in aluminum ducts.
- C. Use the Remote Damper Operator when they are called out on the drawings or when the damper cannot be easily accessed.
- D. Install duct security bars. Construct duct security bars from 3/16-inch steel sleeve, continuously welded at all joints and 3/4-inch- diameter steel bars, 6 inches o.c. in each direction in center of sleeve. Weld each bar to steel sleeve and each crossing bar. Weld 1-1/2-by-1-1/2-by-1/8- steel angle to 4 sides and both ends of sleeve. Connect duct security bars to ducts with flexible connections. Provide 12-by-12-inch hinged access panel with cam lock in duct in each side of sleeve.
- E. Install high efficiency take-off on all branch duct take-offs. Provide take-off with balancing damper as shown on drawings. Spin-in fittings are not allowed.

## Flexible Ducts / Flexible Duct Connectors

- F. Install flexible connectors to connect ducts to equipment.
- G. Flexible duct connections from the main trunk ducts to diffuser boots shall be furnished and installed as shown on the drawings. Flexible ductwork shall only be used as indicated on the drawings.
- H. Where flexible duct is indicated, use insulated flexible duct for supply air return and exhaust air.
- I. Flexible ductwork shall be run in straight lengths.

- J. Provide support in flexible duct every three feet.
- K. Flexible ducts shall have compression fittings on both ends.
- L. Flexible ductwork is not allowed to bend 90 degrees. If a bend is needed use sheet-metal hard elbows. Hard turns, offsets, or kinks will not be allowed.
- M. Flexible ducts shall connect to trunk duct with high efficiency takeoffs.
- N. Connect flexible ducts to metal ducts with draw bands.
- O. Connect ducts to duct silencers:
  - 1. With flexible duct connectors.
- P. Connect terminal units to supply ducts:
  - 1. With maximum 12-inch lengths of flexible duct.
- Q. Do not use flexible ducts to change directions.
- R. Connect diffusers or light troffer boots to ducts:
  - With maximum 60-inch lengths of flexible duct clamped or strapped in place.

# Backdraft/Control/Pressure Relief Dampers

- S. Install backdraft dampers at inlet of exhaust fans or exhaust ducts as close as possible to exhaust fan unless otherwise indicated.
- T. Install pressure relief damper immediately upstream of main fire damper.

# Volume Damper

- U. Install volume dampers at points on supply, return, and exhaust systems where branches extend from larger ducts. Where dampers are installed in ducts having duct liner, install dampers with hat channels of same depth as liner, and terminate liner with nosing at hat channel.
  - 1. Install steel volume dampers in steel ducts.
  - 2. Install aluminum volume dampers in aluminum ducts.
- V. Set dampers to fully open position before testing, adjusting, and balancing. Exception: Pressure relief damper.
- W. A balance damper with locking quadrant will be provided downstream of take-off from trunk duct.

#### Fans And Test Holes

- X. For fans developing static pressures of 5-inch wg and more, cover flexible connectors with loaded vinyl sheet held in place with metal straps.
- Y. Install thrust limits at centerline of thrust, symmetrical on both sides of equipment. Attach thrust limits at centerline of thrust and adjust to a maximum of 1/4-inch movement during start and stop of fans.
- Z. Install duct test holes where required for testing and balancing purposes.

AA. Install test holes at fan inlets and outlets and elsewhere as indicated.

# FIRE, SMOKE AND FIRE-SMOKE DAMPERS

- BB. Install fire and smoke dampers according to UL listing.
  - Install fusible links in fire dampers.
- CC. For round ductwork 24-inch and smaller a true round fire damper with the same rating may be used.

#### Access Doors

- DD. Install duct access doors on sides of ducts to allow for inspecting, adjusting, and maintaining accessories and equipment at the following locations:
  - 1. On upstream side of duct coils.
  - 2. Upstream from duct filters.
  - 3. At outdoor-air intakes and mixed-air plenums.
  - 4. At drain pans and seals.
  - 5. Downstream from manual volume dampers, control dampers, backdraft dampers, and equipment.
  - 6. Adjacent to and close enough to fire or smoke dampers, to reset or reinstall fusible links. Access doors for access to fire or smoke dampers having fusible links shall be standard access doors and shall be outward operation for access doors installed upstream from dampers and inward operation for access doors installed downstream from dampers.
  - 7. At each change in direction and at maximum 50-foot spacing.
  - 8. Upstream from turning vanes.
  - 9. Upstream or downstream from duct silencers.
  - 10. Control devices requiring inspection.
  - 11. Elsewhere as indicated.
  - 12. On upstream side of duct reheat coils. (between Phoenix valve and reheat coil)
- EE. Install access doors with swing against duct static pressure.
- FF. Access Door Sizes:
  - 1. One-Hand or Inspection Access: 8 by 5 inches.
  - 2. Two-Hand Access: 12 by 6 inches.
  - 3. Head and Hand Access: 18 by 10 inches.
  - 4. Head and Shoulders Access: 21 by 14 inches.
  - 5. Body Access: 25 by 14 inches.
  - 6. Body plus Ladder Access: 25 by 17 inches.
- GG. Label access doors according to Section 230553 "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment" to indicate the purpose of access door.

#### 3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Operate dampers to verify full range of movement.
  - 2. Inspect locations of access doors and verify that purpose of access door can be performed.

- 3. Operate fire, smoke, and combination fire and smoke dampers to verify full range of movement and verify that proper heat-response device is installed.
- 4. Inspect turning vanes for proper and secure installation.
- 5. Operate remote damper operators to verify full range of movement of operator and damper.

# 3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust duct accessories for proper settings.
- B. Adjust fire and smoke dampers for proper action.
- C. Final positioning of manual-volume dampers is specified in Division 23 Section "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC."

# **END OF SECTION 23 3300**

# **DIVISION 26 - ELECTRICAL**

Section 26 0519	Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables
Section 26 0526	Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems
Section 26 0529	Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems
Section 26 0533	Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems
Section 26 0544	Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for Electrical Raceways and Cabling
Section 26 0553	Identification for Electrical Systems
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Section 26 2816	Enclosed Switches and Circuit Breakers

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# SECTION 260519 LOW-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL POWER CONDUCTORS AND CABLES

#### **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. Building wires and cables rated 600 V and less.
  - 2. Connectors, splices, and terminations rated 600 V and less.

## B. Related Requirements:

- Section 26 05 33 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems"
- 2. Section 26 09 23 "Lighting Control Devices"
- 3. Section 26 09 36 "Standalone Modular Preset Dimming Controls"
- 4. Section 26 09 43 "Relay-Based Lighting Controls"
- 5. Section 27 41 33 "Master Antenna Television System"
- 6. Section 27 51 17 "Networked Public Address and Paging System"
- 7. Section 27 51 19 "Sound Masking Systems"
- 8. Section 28 13 00 "Access Control"
- 9. Section 28 31 11 "Digital, Addressable Fire-Alarm System"
- 10. Section 27 00 00 "Intermountain Healthcare Networked Structured Cable & Standards" for cabling used for voice and data circuits.

## 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. Outlet Box: Electrical box used to support utilization equipment such as a receptacle or light fixture.
- B. Pull Box: Electrical box through which branch circuit or feeder conductors are run but are not spliced.
- C. Junction Box: Electrical box used for splicing branch circuit or feeder conductors.
- D. Multiwire Branch Circuit: A branch circuit as defined by the National Electrical Code that shares a grounded conductor between two of more phase conductors.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

A. Field quality-control reports.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 SINGLE CONDUCTORS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> 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. Alpha Wire Company.
  - 2. Belden Inc.
  - 3. Cerro Wire LLC.
  - 4. Encore Wire Corporation.
  - 5. General Cable; General Cable Corporation.
  - 6. Southwire Company.
  - 7. Thomas & Betts Corporation; A Member of the ABB Group.
- B. Aluminum and Copper Conductors: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658.
- C. Conductor Insulation: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658 for Type THHN/THWN-2, Type XHHW-2 and Type SO.

#### 2.2 MULTI-CONDUCTOR CABLES

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> 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. Southwire Company.
  - 2. AFC Cable Systems.
- B. Copper Conductors: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658.
- C. Conductor Insulation: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658 for Type THHN/THWN-2, Type XHHW-2 and Type SO.
- D. Multi-conductor Cable, Type AC-HCF:
  - 1. Armor: Galvanized Interlocking Steel Strip (green striped or solid green).
  - 2. Conductors: Solid Copper
  - 3. Conductor Insulation: THHN-2 with individual moisture resistant, fire retardant paper wrap on each individual conductor.
  - Grounding: 16 AWG integral bond wire and insulated green copper grounding conductor.
  - 5. Neutral(Grounded) Conductor: White for 120Y/208 volt systems and Grey 480Y/277 volt systems.
  - 6. Maximum Voltage Rating: 600 volts.
  - 7. References and Ratings:
    - a. UL 4, 83, 1479, 1581, 2556, File Reference E7330
    - b. NEC 250.118(8), 300.22(C), 392, 320, 517.13, 518, 645
    - c. Federal Specification A-A-59544 (formerly J-C-30B)
    - d. UL Classified 1, 2, and 3-hour through (Fire) penetration product, R-14141

- e. Environmental Air-Handling Space Installation per NEC 300.22(C)
- E. Other Multi-conductor Cable: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658 for Type SO with ground wire.

## 2.3 CONNECTORS AND SPLICES

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> 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. 3M.
  - 2. AFC Cable Systems; a part of Atkore International.
  - 3. Hubbell Power Systems, Inc.
  - 4. Ideal Industries, Inc.
  - 5. ILSCO.
  - 6. O-Z/Gedney; a brand of Emerson Industrial Automation.
- B. Description: Factory-fabricated connectors and splices of size, ampacity rating, material, type, and class for application and service indicated.

#### 2.4 CORD REELS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> 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. APC Group; Kitchen Leash
- B. Case (housing):
  - 1. Dimensions: 9" x 12" x 3'
  - 2. Material: Molded Polypropylene 3.175 mm thickness
  - 3. 94v-2 flammability rating
- C. Power Cord
  - 1. Conductors: 14/3 AWG copper type SJOW
  - 2. Length: 10 feet
  - 3. Rating: 200 degrees F
- D. Receptacle/Plug
  - 1. Rated: 125vac/20 amp
  - 2. Receptacle: NEMA 5-15P
  - 3. Plug: Dual Duplex rated 20 amp
- E. Mounting Bracket: Designed for installation on the ceiling type where the cord reel will be installed.

# 2.5 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

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

## 2.6 FIRE-ALARM WIRE AND CABLE

- A. General Wire and Cable Requirements: NRTL listed and labeled as complying with NFPA 70, Article 760.
- B. Signaling Line Circuits: Twisted, shielded pair, size as recommended by system manufacturer.
  - Circuit Integrity Cable: Twisted shielded pair, NFPA 70, Article 760, Classification CI, for power-limited fire-alarm signal service Type FPL. NRTL listed and labeled as complying with UL 1424 and UL 2196 for a two-hour rating.
- C. Non-Power-Limited Circuits: Solid-copper conductors with 600-V rated, 75 deg C, color-coded insulation, and complying with requirements in UL 2196 for a two-hour rating.
  - 1. Low-Voltage Circuits: No. 14 AWG, minimum, in pathway.
  - 2. Line-Voltage Circuits: No. 12 AWG, minimum, in pathway.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 CONDUCTOR MATERIAL APPLICATIONS

- A. Feeders: Copper for feeders smaller than No. 4 AWG; for feeders No. 4 AWG and larger provide copper feeders unless aluminum is specifically indicated on the one-line diagrams. Solid or stranded for No. 10 AWG and smaller; stranded for No. 8 AWG and larger.
- B. Branch Circuits: Copper. Solid or stranded for No. 10 AWG and smaller; stranded for No. 8 AWG and larger.

# 3.2 CONDUCTOR INSULATION AND MULTICONDUCTOR CABLE APPLICATIONS AND WIRING METHODS

- A. Refer to Section 26 05 33 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for raceway types and applications.
- B. Exposed Feeders: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- C. Feeders Concealed in Ceilings, Walls, Partitions, and Crawlspaces: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- D. Feeders below Slabs-On-Grade, and Underground: Type THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- E. Multiwire Circuits: may not be used for branch circuit wiring. All 120 volt and 277 volt circuits shall be provided with a dedicated grounded conductor (neutral) for each phase conductor. Up to three of these circuits may be installed in a single conduit but not more than one conductor of each phase may be installed in a single conduit.
- F. Branch Circuits Concealed in Ceilings, Walls, and Partitions: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.

- 1. Armored cable, Type AC-HCF may be installed for normal and equipment system single branch circuits concealed in walls, and partitions in lengths between outlet boxes 30' or less and not as homeruns or wiring between pullboxes or junction boxes.
- Armored cable, Type AC-HCF may be installed between the first outlet box concealed in a wall or partition and a junction box above an accessible ceiling immediately above the location where the cable exits the wall or partition framing.
- G. Branch Circuits below Slabs-on-Grade and Underground: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway. Installation of raceways within any concrete slab or composite concrete and steel deck is prohibited. NEC 517.13 (A) requires that all branch circuits serving patient care areas are provided with an effective ground-fault current path by installation in a metal raceway system, or a cable having a metallic armor or sheath assembly that qualifies as an equipment grounding conductor. Metallic raceways are not a specified raceway for branch circuits installed below slabs-on-grade. To assure compliance with the NEC requirement, both initially and when remodels occur in the future, the installation of branch circuit wiring under slabs-on-grade is limited to circuits supplying only the following rooms and area types without extension beyond the room or area to a room or area not listed here:
  - 1. Mechanical Spaces.
  - 2. Electrical Rooms.
  - Food Service.
- H. Branch circuit wiring may also be installed under slabs-on-grade to supply power for the following:
  - 1. Systems Furniture.
  - Floor Boxes.
  - 3. Direct wired equipment that is not located against a wall.
- I. Cord Drops and Portable Appliance Connections: Type SO, hard service cord with stainless-steel, wire-mesh, strain-relief device at terminations to suit application.
- J. Isolated Power System Conductors: #10 AWG, Type XHHW-2 stranded with cross-linked PE insulation and a dielectric constant of 3.5 or less, installed in EMT conduit. To limit leakage-current the branch circuit conductors must be reduced to the shortest overall length possible. Install conduits for Isolated Power System branch circuits in the most direct path between the panel and the outlet box, which is not necessarily parallel and perpendicular to the structure and framing, to reduce conductor length. Install only one circuit in per conduit. Do not use pulling compounds when installing the branch circuit conductors of Isolated Power Systems.

# 3.3 INSTALLATION OF CONDUCTORS AND CABLES

- A. Conceal cables in finished walls, ceilings, and floors unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Complete raceway installation between conductor and cable termination points according to Section 26 05 33 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" prior to pulling conductors and cables.
- C. Use manufacturer-approved pulling compound or lubricant where necessary; compound used must not deteriorate conductor or insulation. Do not exceed manufacturer's recommended maximum pulling tensions and sidewall pressure values. Do not use pulling compounds or lubricant for installation of branch circuit conductors for Isolated Power Systems.

- D. Use pulling means, including fish tape, cable, rope, and basket-weave wire/cable grips, that will not damage cables or raceway.
- E. Install exposed cables parallel and perpendicular to surfaces of exposed structural members, and follow surface contours where possible.
- F. Support cables according to Section 26 05 29 "Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems."

## 3.4 CORD REELS

- A. Coordinate location of cord reels to align with kitchen equipment supplied by the cord reel
- B. Fasten brackets to structure using minimum 3/8" threaded rod and to rigidly support the cord real. Minimum of 2 rods per bracket with addition if required to provide a rigid support.
- C. Adjust cord stopper as coordinated with owner.

## 3.5 CONNECTIONS

- A. Tighten electrical connectors and terminals according to manufacturer's published torque-tightening values. If manufacturer's torque values are not indicated, use those specified in UL 486A-486B.
- B. Make splices, terminations, and taps that are compatible with conductor material and that possess equivalent or better mechanical strength and insulation ratings than unspliced conductors.
  - 1. Use oxide inhibitor in each splice, termination, and tap for aluminum conductors.
- C. Wiring at Outlets: Install conductor at each outlet, with at least 12 inches (300 mm) of slack.
- D. Comply with requirements in Section 283111 "Digital, Addressable Fire-Alarm System" for connecting, terminating, and identifying wires and cables.

## 3.6 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify and color-code conductors and cables according to Section 26 05 53 "Identification for Electrical Systems."
- B. Identify each spare conductor at each end with panel and circuit number and identify as spare conductor.

## 3.7 SLEEVE AND SLEEVE-SEAL INSTALLATION FOR ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

A. Install sleeves and sleeve seals at penetrations of exterior floor and wall assemblies. Comply with requirements in Section 26 05 44 "Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for Electrical Raceways and Cabling."

## 3.8 FIRESTOPPING

A. Apply firestopping to electrical penetrations of fire-rated floor and wall assemblies to restore original fire-resistance rating of assembly according to Section 07 84 13 "Penetration Firestopping."

## 3.9 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and inspections:
  - 1. After installing conductors and cables and before electrical circuitry has been energized, test feeder conductors and conductors feeding the following critical equipment and services for compliance with requirements.
    - Imaging Equipment
  - 2. Infrared Scanning: After Substantial Completion, but not more than 60 days after Final Acceptance, perform an infrared scan of each splice in conductors No. 3 AWG and larger. Remove box and equipment covers so splices are accessible to portable scanner. Correct deficiencies determined during the scan.
    - a. Follow-up Infrared Scanning: Perform an additional follow-up infrared scan of each splice 11 months after date of Substantial Completion.
    - b. Instrument: Use an infrared scanning device designed to measure temperature or to detect significant deviations from normal values. Provide calibration record for device.
    - c. Record of Infrared Scanning: Prepare a certified report that identifies splices checked and that describes scanning results. Include notation of deficiencies detected, remedial action taken, and observations after remedial action.
- B. Test and Inspection Reports: Prepare a written report to record the following:
  - 1. Procedures used.
  - 2. Results that comply with requirements.
  - 3. Results that do not comply with requirements and corrective action taken to achieve compliance with requirements.
- C. Cables will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.

# **END OF SECTION**

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# SECTION 260526 GROUNDING AND BONDING FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

## **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

- Section includes grounding and bonding systems and equipment.
- B. Section includes grounding and bonding systems and equipment, plus the following special applications:
  - Installation and Bonding of Grounding Electrodes including:
    - a. Metal Underground Water Pipe
    - b. Metal Frame of the Structure
    - c. Concrete-Encased Electrodes including UFER Grounds
    - d. Ground Ring
    - e. Rod Electrodes
  - 2. Ground bonding common with lightning protection system.
  - 3. Foundation steel electrodes.
  - 4. Electrical Room Ground Bus.
- C. Installation and bonding of grounding electrodes including bonding of the metal frame of the structure, concrete-encased electrodes including UFER grounds, ground ring and rod electrodes is provided under previous bid package 3.01.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

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

#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. As-Built Data: Plans showing dimensioned as-built locations of grounding features specified in "Field Quality Control" Article, including the following:
  - Test wells.
  - 2. Grounding Electrodes
  - 3. Bonding Jumpers
  - 4. Electrical Room Grounding Bus.
  - TEC and TDR Grounding Bus.
- B. Field quality-control reports.

## 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- Operation and Maintenance Data: For grounding to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.
  - 1. In addition to items specified in Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data," include the following:
    - a. Instructions for periodic testing and inspection of grounding features at test wells based on NFPA 70B.
      - Tests shall determine if ground-resistance or impedance values remain within specified maximums, and instructions shall recommend corrective action if values do not.
      - 2) Include recommended testing intervals.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

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

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

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

#### 2.2 CONDUCTORS

- A. Insulated Conductors: Copper or tinned-copper wire or cable insulated for 600 V unless otherwise required by applicable Code or authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Bare Copper Conductors:
  - 1. Stranded Conductors: ASTM B 8.
  - Tinned Conductors: ASTM B 33.
  - 3. Bonding Cable: 28 kcmil, 14 strands of No. 17 AWG conductor, 1/4 inch (6 mm) in diameter.
- C. Electrical Room Grounding Bus: Predrilled rectangular bars of annealed copper, 1/4 by 4 inches (6.3 by 100 mm) in cross section, with 9/32-inch (7.14-mm) holes spaced 1-1/8 inches (28 mm) apart. Stand-off insulators for mounting shall comply with UL 891 for use in switchboards, 600 V and shall be Lexan or PVC, impulse tested at 5000 V. Length as required for all specified terminations plus 25% spare but not less than 20 inches.
- D. TEC and TDR Grounding Bus: Predrilled rectangular bars of annealed copper, 1/4 by 4 inches (6.3 by 100 mm) in cross section, with 9/32-inch (7.14-mm) holes spaced 1-1/8

inches (28 mm) apart. Stand-off insulators for mounting shall comply with UL 891 for use in switchboards, 600 V and shall be Lexan or PVC, impulse tested at 5000 V. Length as required for all specified terminations plus 25% spare but not less than 12 inches.

## 2.3 CONNECTORS

- A. Listed and labeled by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for applications in which used and for specific types, sizes, and combinations of conductors and other items connected.
- B. Bolted Connectors for Conductors and Pipes: Copper or copper alloy.
- C. Welded Connectors: Exothermic-welding kits of types recommended by kit manufacturer for materials being joined and installation conditions.
- D. Bus-Bar Connectors: Mechanical type, cast silicon bronze, solderless compression-type wire terminals, and long-barrel, two-bolt connection to ground bus bar.

#### 2.4 GROUNDING ELECTRODES

A. Ground Rods: Copper-clad steel; 3/4 inch by 10 feet (19 mm by 3 m).

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 APPLICATIONS

- A. Conductors: Install stranded conductors unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Underground Grounding Conductors: Install bare tinned-copper conductor, No. 4/0 AWG minimum.
  - 1. Bury at least 18 inches (600 mm) below grade.
- C. Isolated Grounding Conductors: Green-colored insulation with continuous yellow stripe. On feeders with isolated ground, identify grounding conductor where visible to normal inspection, with alternating bands of green and yellow tape, with at least three bands of green and two bands of yellow.
- D. Grounding Bus: Install in Normal Power Electrical Room, Essential Power Electrical Room, TEC and all TDR. Install bus horizontally, on insulated spacers 2 inches (50 mm) minimum from wall, 96 inches (2400 mm) above finished floor unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Conductor Terminations and Connections:
  - 1. Pipe Terminations: Bolted connectors.
  - Underground Connections: Welded connectors except at test wells and as otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Connections to Ground Rods at Test Wells: Bolted connectors.
  - Connections to Structural Steel: Welded connectors.

# 3.2 GROUNDING UNDERGROUND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM COMPONENTS

- A. Comply with IEEE C2 grounding requirements.
- B. Pad-Mounted Transformers and Switches: Install tinned-copper conductor not less than No. 4/0 AWG from equipment grounding terminals to ground ring. Bury ground ring not less 18 inches below finished grade.

## 3.3 EQUIPMENT GROUNDING

- A. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with all feeders and branch circuits.
- B. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with the following items, in addition to those required by NFPA 70:
  - 1. Feeders and branch circuits.
  - 2. Lighting circuits.
  - 3. Receptacle circuits.
  - 4. Single-phase motor and appliance branch circuits.
  - 5. Three-phase motor and appliance branch circuits.
  - 6. Flexible raceway runs.
  - 7. Armored and metal-clad cable runs.
  - 8. Busway Supply Circuits: Install insulated equipment grounding conductor from grounding bus in the switchgear, switchboard, or distribution panel to equipment grounding bar terminal on busway.
  - 9. X-Ray Equipment Circuits: Install insulated equipment grounding conductor in circuits supplying x-ray equipment.
- C. Air-Duct Equipment Circuits: Install insulated equipment grounding conductor to duct-mounted electrical devices operating at 120 V and more, including air cleaners, heaters, dampers, humidifiers, and other duct electrical equipment. Bond conductor to each unit and to air duct and connected metallic piping.
- D. Water Heater, Heat-Tracing, and Antifrost Heating Cables: Install a separate insulated equipment grounding conductor to each electric water heater and heat-tracing cable. Bond conductor to heater units, piping, connected equipment, and components.
- E. Isolated Grounding Receptacle Circuits: Install an insulated equipment grounding conductor connected to the receptacle grounding terminal. Isolate conductor from raceway and from panelboard grounding terminals. Terminate at equipment grounding conductor terminal of the applicable derived system or service unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Isolated Equipment Enclosure Circuits: For designated equipment supplied by a branch circuit or feeder, isolate equipment enclosure from supply circuit raceway with a nonmetallic raceway fitting listed for the purpose. Install fitting where raceway enters enclosure, and install a separate insulated equipment grounding conductor. Isolate conductor from raceway and from panelboard grounding terminals. Terminate at equipment grounding conductor terminal of the applicable derived system or service unless otherwise indicated.
- G. Metallic Fences: Comply with requirements of IEEE C2.
  - 1. Grounding Conductor: Bare, tinned copper, not less than No. 8 AWG.
  - 2. Gates: Shall be bonded to the grounding conductor with a flexible bonding jumper.

## 3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Grounding Conductors: Route along shortest and straightest paths possible unless otherwise indicated or required by Code. Avoid obstructing access or placing conductors where they may be subjected to strain, impact, or damage.
- B. Ground Bonding Common with Lightning Protection System: Comply with NFPA 780 and UL 96 when interconnecting with lightning protection system. Bond electrical power system ground directly to lightning protection system grounding conductor at closest point to electrical service grounding electrode. Use bonding conductor sized same as system grounding electrode conductor, and install in conduit.
- C. Ground Rods: Drive rods until tops are 2 inches (50 mm) below finished floor or final grade unless otherwise indicated.
  - Interconnect ground rods with grounding electrode conductor below grade and as otherwise indicated. Make connections without exposing steel or damaging coating if any.
- D. Test Wells: Ground rod driven through drilled hole in bottom of handhole. Handholes are shall be at least 12 inches (300 mm) deep, with cover.
  - Test Wells: Install one test well at the ground rod location indicated on the drawings.
- E. Bonding Straps and Jumpers: Install in locations accessible for inspection and maintenance except where routed through concrete footings.
  - Bonding to Structure: Bond straps directly to basic structure, taking care not to penetrate any adjacent parts.
  - 2. Use exothermic-welded connectors; if a disconnect-type connection is required, use a bolted clamp.
- F. Grounding for Steel Building Structure: Install a driven ground rod at base of each corner column and at intermediate interior and exterior columns at distances not more than 60 feet (18 m) apart.
- G. Ground Ring: Install a grounding conductor, electrically connected to each building structure ground rod.
  - 1. Install tinned-copper conductor not less than No. 4/0 AWG for bond to ground ring and for taps to building steel.
  - 2. Bury ground ring not less than 24 inches (600 mm) from building's foundation.
- H. Concrete-Encased Grounding Electrode (Ufer Ground): Fabricate according to NFPA 70; use a minimum of 20 feet (6 m) of bare copper conductor not smaller than No. 4/0 AWG.
  - 1. If concrete foundation is less than 20 feet (6 m) long, coil excess conductor within base of foundation.
  - Bond grounding conductor to reinforcing steel in at least four locations in mat footing and at four spread footing locations evenly distributed throughout building. Extend grounding conductor below grade and connect to building's grounding grid or to grounding electrode external to concrete.
- I. Grounding and Bonding for Piping:
  - Metal Water Service Pipe: Install insulated copper grounding conductors, in conduit, from building's main service equipment, or grounding bus, to main metal water service entrances to building. Connect grounding conductors to main metal

- water service pipes; use a bolted clamp connector or bolt a lug-type connector to a pipe flange by using one of the lug bolts of the flange. Where a dielectric main water fitting is installed, connect grounding conductor on street side of fitting. Bond metal grounding conductor conduit or sleeve to conductor at each end.
- 2. Water Meter Piping: Use braided-type bonding jumpers to electrically bypass water meters. Connect to pipe with a bolted connector.
- 3. Bond each aboveground portion of gas piping system downstream from equipment shutoff valve.
- J. Panelboard Bonding: To comply with NEC 517.14 panelboard bonding requirements install a minimum #10 AWG copper conductor between all branch-circuit panelboard grounding terminal buses in each electrical room. The conductor may be installed in ½" EMT conduit or may be exposed where securely fastened to the walls.

#### 3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. After installing grounding system but before permanent electrical circuits have been energized, test for compliance with requirements.
  - 2. Inspect physical and mechanical condition. Verify tightness of accessible, bolted, electrical connections with a calibrated torque wrench according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 3. Test completed grounding system at each location where a maximum ground-resistance level is specified, at service disconnect enclosure grounding conductor, at ground test wells, and at individual ground rods. Make tests at ground rods before any conductors are connected.
    - a. Measure ground resistance no fewer than two full days after last trace of precipitation and without soil being moistened by any means other than natural drainage or seepage and without chemical treatment or other artificial means of reducing natural ground resistance.
    - b. Perform tests by fall-of-potential method according to IEEE 81.
  - 4. Prepare dimensioned Drawings locating each test well, ground rod and groundrod assembly, and other grounding electrodes. Identify each by letter in alphabetical order, and key to the record of tests and observations. Include the number of rods driven and their depth at each location, and include observations of weather and other phenomena that may affect test results. Describe measures taken to improve test results.
- B. Grounding system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- C. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- D. Report measured ground resistances that exceed 3 ohms.
- E. Excessive Ground Resistance: If resistance to ground exceeds specified values, notify Architect promptly and include recommendations to reduce ground resistance.

# **END OF SECTION**

# SECTION 260529 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

#### **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. Hangers and supports for electrical equipment and systems.
  - 2. Construction requirements for concrete bases.
- B. Related Requirements:
  - Section 260548.16 "Seismic Controls for Electrical Systems" for products and installation requirements necessary for compliance with seismic criteria.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for the following:
    - a. Hangers.
    - b. Steel slotted support systems.
    - c. Nonmetallic support systems.
    - d. Trapeze hangers.
    - e. Clamps.
    - f. Turnbuckles.
    - g. Sockets.
    - h. Eye nuts.
    - i. Saddles.
    - i. Brackets.
  - 2. Include rated capacities and furnished specialties and accessories.
- B. Shop Drawings: Signed and sealed by a qualified professional engineer. For fabrication and installation details for electrical hangers and support systems.
  - 1. Trapeze hangers. Include product data for components.
  - 2. Steel slotted-channel systems.
  - 3.
  - Nonmetallic slotted-channel systems.
  - 5. Equipment supports.
  - 6. Vibration Isolation Base Details: Detail fabrication, including anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment. Include adjustable motor bases, rails, and frames for equipment mounting.
- C. Delegated-Design Submittal: For hangers and supports for electrical systems.
  - 1. Include design calculations and details of trapeze hangers.

2. Include design calculations for seismic restraints.

#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plan(s) and other details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Suspended ceiling components.
  - 2. Structural members to which hangers and supports will be attached.
  - 3. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
  - 4. Items penetrating finished ceiling, including the following:
    - a. Lighting fixtures and lighting control.
    - b. Electrical power devices
    - c. Communications devices.
    - d. Air outlets and inlets.
    - e. Speakers.
    - f. Fire sprinklers.
    - g. Access panels.
    - h. Projectors.
    - i. Fire alarm system devices.
    - j. Nurse call system devices.
- B. Seismic Qualification Certificates: For hangers and supports for electrical equipment and systems, accessories, and components, from manufacturer.
  - Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
  - 2. Dimensioned Outline Drawings of Equipment Unit: Identify center of gravity and locate and describe mounting and anchorage provisions.
  - 3. Detailed description of equipment anchorage devices on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
- C. Welding certificates.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Design: Engage a qualified professional engineer, as defined in Section 014000 "Quality Requirements," to design hanger and support system.
- B. Seismic Performance: Hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to ASCE/SEI 7.
  - 1. The term "withstand" means "the supported equipment and systems will remain in place without separation of any parts when subjected to the seismic forces specified and the system will be fully operational after the seismic event."
  - 2. Component Importance Factor: 1.5.

- C. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Comply with ASTM E 84; testing by a qualified testing agency. Identify products with appropriate markings of applicable testing agency.
  - 1. Flame Rating: Class 1.
  - 2. Self-extinguishing according to ASTM D 635.

# 2.2 SUPPORT, ANCHORAGE, AND ATTACHMENT COMPONENTS

- Steel Slotted Support Systems: Comply with MFMA-4 factory-fabricated components for field assembly.
  - 1. Material: Galvanized steel.
  - 2. Channel Width: Use 1-1/4 inches (31.75 mm) where possible and minimum 13/16 inches (20.64 mm) where necessary due to space restrictions.
  - Metallic Coatings: Hot-dip galvanized after fabrication and applied according to MFMA-4.
  - 4. Channel Dimensions: Selected for applicable load criteria.
- B. Conduit and Cable Support Devices: Steel hangers, clamps, and associated fittings, designed for types and sizes of raceway or cable to be supported.
- C. Support for Conductors in Vertical Conduit: Factory-fabricated assembly consisting of threaded body and insulating wedging plug or plugs for electrical conductors in riser conduits. Plugs shall have number, size, and shape of conductor gripping pieces as required to suit individual conductors or cables supported. Body shall be made of malleable iron.
- D. Structural Steel for Fabricated Supports and Restraints: ASTM A 36/A 36M steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.
- E. Mounting, Anchoring, and Attachment Components: Items for fastening electrical items or their supports to building surfaces include and are limited to the following:
  - 1. Powder-Actuated Fasteners: Threaded-steel stud, for use in hardened portland cement concrete, steel, or wood, with tension, shear, and pullout capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.
  - 2. Mechanical-Expansion Anchors: Insert-wedge-type, stainless steel, for use in hardened portland cement concrete, with tension, shear, and pullout capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.
  - 3. Concrete Inserts: Steel or malleable-iron, slotted support system units are similar to MSS Type 18 units and comply with MFMA-4 or MSS SP-58.
  - 4. Clamps for Attachment to Steel Structural Elements: MSS SP-58 units are suitable for attached structural element.
  - 5. Through Bolts: Structural type, hex head, and high strength. Comply with ASTM A 325.
  - 6. Hanger Rods: Threaded steel.

# 2.3 FABRICATED METAL EQUIPMENT SUPPORT ASSEMBLIES

- A. Description: Welded or bolted structural-steel shapes, shop or field fabricated to fit dimensions of supported equipment.
- B. Materials: Comply with requirements in Section 055000 "Metal Fabrications" for steel shapes and plates.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 APPLICATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for application of hangers and supports for electrical equipment and systems unless requirements in this Section are stricter.
- B. Comply with requirements for raceways and boxes specified in Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems."
- C. Maximum Support Spacing and Minimum Hanger Rod Size for Raceway: Space supports for EMTs, IMCs, and RMCs as scheduled in NECA 1, where Table 1 lists maximum spacings that are less than those stated in NFPA 70. Minimum rod size shall be 3/8 inch (9 mm) in diameter.
- D. Multiple Raceways: Install trapeze-type supports fabricated with steel slotted support system, sized so capacity can be increased by at least 25 percent in future without exceeding specified design load limits.
  - 1. Secure raceways and cables to these supports with single-bolt conduit clamps.
- E. Spring-steel clamps designed for supporting single conduits without bolts may be used for 1-1/2-inch (38-mm) and smaller raceways serving branch circuits and communication systems above suspended ceilings and for fastening raceways to trapeze supports.

#### 3.2 SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for installation requirements except as specified in this article.
- B. Raceway Support Methods: In addition to methods described in NECA 1, EMTs, IMCs, and RMCs may be supported by openings through structure members, according to NFPA 70. Only prefabricated openings in structure members may be used. Do not create openings in structure members unless directed to do so by the structural engineer of record.
- C. Cable Support Methods: Cables used for Circuits and Equipment Operating at Less Than 50 Volts and Class 1, 2 or 3 Remote-Control, Signaling and Power-Limited Circuits shall be installed in J-hooks. Where cables extend from J-hooks to equipment cables shall be supported from the structure by straps, hangers, cable ties or similar fittings designed and installed so as not to damage the cable. Do not fasten or secure cables to the raceways of the power system.
- D. Strength of Support Assemblies: Where not indicated, select sizes of components so strength will be adequate to carry present and future static loads within specified loading limits. Minimum static design load used for strength determination shall be weight of supported components plus 200 lb (90 kg).
- E. Mounting and Anchorage of Surface-Mounted Equipment and Components: Anchor and fasten electrical items and their supports to building structural elements by the following methods unless otherwise indicated by code:
  - 1. To Wood: Fasten with lag screws or through bolts.
  - 2. To New Concrete: Bolt to concrete inserts.

- 3. To Masonry: Approved toggle-type bolts on hollow masonry units and expansion anchor fasteners on solid masonry units.
- 4. To Existing Concrete: Expansion anchor fasteners.
- 5. Instead of expansion anchors, powder-actuated driven threaded studs provided with lock washers and nuts may be used in existing standard-weight concrete 4 inches (100 mm) thick or greater. Do not use for anchorage to lightweight-aggregate concrete or for slabs less than 4 inches (100 mm) thick.
- 6. To Steel: Beam clamps (MSS SP-58, Type 19, 21, 23, 25, or 27), complying with MSS SP-69.
- 7. To Light Steel: Sheet metal screws.
- 8. Items Mounted on Hollow Walls and Nonstructural Building Surfaces: Mount cabinets, panelboards, disconnect switches, control enclosures, pull and junction boxes, transformers, and other devices on 13/16 inches (20.64 mm) slotted-channel racks attached to substrate by means that comply with seismic-restraint strength and anchorage requirements.
- F. Drill holes for expansion anchors in concrete at locations and to depths that avoid the need for reinforcing bars.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION OF FABRICATED METAL SUPPORTS

- A. Comply with installation requirements in Section 055000 "Metal Fabrications" for site-fabricated metal supports.
- B. Cut, fit, and place miscellaneous metal supports accurately in location, alignment, and elevation to support and anchor electrical materials and equipment.
- C. Field Welding: Comply with AWS D1.1/D1.1M.

# 3.4 CONCRETE BASES

- A. Construct concrete bases of dimensions indicated but not less than 4 inches (100 mm) larger in both directions than supported unit, and so anchors will be a minimum of 10 bolt diameters from edge of the base.
- B. Use 3000-psi (20.7-MPa), 28-day compressive-strength concrete. Concrete materials, reinforcement, and placement requirements are specified in Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete" or Section 033053 "Miscellaneous Cast-in-Place Concrete."
- C. Anchor equipment to concrete base as follows:
  - 1. Place and secure anchorage devices. Use supported equipment manufacturer's setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
  - 2. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.
  - 3. Install anchor bolts according to anchor-bolt manufacturer's written instructions.

# 3.5 PAINTING

A. Touchup: Clean field welds and abraded areas of shop paint. Paint exposed areas immediately after erecting hangers and supports. Use same materials as used for shop painting. Comply with SSPC-PA 1 requirements for touching up field-painted surfaces.

- 1. Apply paint by brush or spray to provide minimum dry film thickness of 2.0 mils (0.05 mm).
- B. Touchup: Comply with requirements in Section 099113 "Exterior Painting", Section 099123 "Interior Painting" and Section 099600 "High-Performance Coatings" for cleaning and touchup painting of field welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas of shop paint on miscellaneous metal.
- C. Galvanized Surfaces: Clean welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas and apply galvanizing-repair paint to comply with ASTM A 780.

**END OF SECTION** 

# SECTION 260533 RACEWAYS AND BOXES FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

#### **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. Metal conduits, tubing, and fittings.
  - 2. Nonmetal conduits, tubing, and fittings.
  - 3. Metal wireways and auxiliary gutters.
  - 4. Surface raceways.
  - 5. Boxes, enclosures, and cabinets.
  - 6. Handholes and boxes for exterior underground cabling.

# B. Related Requirements:

 Section 260543 "Underground Ducts and Raceways for Electrical Systems" for exterior ductbanks, manholes, and underground utility construction.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. ARC: Aluminum Rigid Conduit.
- B. EMT: Electrical Metallic Tubing.
- C. GRC: Galvanized rigid steel conduit.
- D. IMC: Intermediate metal conduit.
- E. RTRC: Reinforced Thermosetting Resin Conduit.

## 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For color coded EMT conduit, surface raceways, wireways and fittings, floor boxes, hinged-cover enclosures, and cabinets.
- B. LEED Submittals:
  - 1. Product Data for Credit IEQ 4.1: For solvent cements and adhesive primers, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
  - Laboratory Test Reports for Credit IEQ 4: For solvent cements and adhesive primers, documentation indicating that products 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. Shop Drawings: For custom enclosures and cabinets. Include plans, elevations, sections, and attachment details.
- D. Samples: For receptacle raceways and for each color and texture specified, 12 inches (300 mm) long.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Conduit routing plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of items involved:
  - 1. Structural members in paths of conduit groups with common supports.
  - 2. HVAC and plumbing items and architectural features in paths of conduit groups with common supports.
- B. Qualification Data: For professional engineer.
- C. Seismic Qualification Certificates: For enclosures, cabinets, and conduit racks and their mounting provisions, including those for internal components, from manufacturer.
  - 1. Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
  - 2. Dimensioned Outline Drawings of Equipment Unit: Identify center of gravity and locate and describe mounting and anchorage provisions.
  - 3. Detailed description of equipment anchorage devices on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
  - 4. Detailed description of conduit support devices and interconnections on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
- D. Source quality-control reports.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 METAL CONDUITS, TUBING, AND FITTINGS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Metal conduits, tubing, and fittings shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. GRC: Comply with ANSI C80.1 and UL 6.
- C. ARC: Comply with ANSI C80.5 and UL 6A.
- D. IMC: Comply with ANSI C80.6 and UL 1242.
- E. EMT: Comply with ANSI C80.3 and UL 797. Factory applied color finish available in black, orange, green, purple, red, yellow, blue, and white. Refer to Specification Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems" for color coding of raceways.
- F. FMC: Comply with UL 1; zinc-coated steel.

- G. LFMC: Flexible steel conduit with PVC jacket and complying with UL 360.
- H. Fittings for Metal Conduit: Comply with NEMA FB 1 and UL 514B.
  - 1. Conduit Fittings for Hazardous (Classified) Locations: Comply with UL 886 and NFPA 70.
  - 2. Fittings for EMT:
    - a. Material: Steel.
    - b. Type: compression.
  - 3. Expansion Fittings: PVC or steel to match conduit type, complying with UL 651, rated for environmental conditions where installed, and including flexible external bonding jumper.
- Joint Compound for IMC, GRC, or ARC: Approved, as defined in NFPA 70, by authorities having jurisdiction for use in conduit assemblies, and compounded for use to lubricate and protect threaded conduit joints from corrosion and to enhance their conductivity.

# 2.2 NONMETALLIC CONDUITS, TUBING, AND FITTINGS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Nonmetallic conduits, tubing, and fittings shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. RNC: Type EPC-40-PVC, complying with NEMA TC 2 and UL 651 unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Continuous HDPE: Comply with UL 651B.
- D. RTRC: Comply with UL 1684A and NEMA TC 14.
- E. Fittings for RNC: Comply with NEMA TC 3; match to conduit or tubing type and material.
- F. Solvent cements and adhesive primers shall have a VOC content of 510 and 550 g/L or less, respectively, when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- G. Solvent cements and adhesive primers 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."

# 2.3 METAL WIREWAYS AND AUXILIARY GUTTERS

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

- C. Wireway Covers: Hinged type unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Finish: Manufacturer's standard enamel finish.

#### 2.4 RECEPTACLE RACEWAYS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Receptacle raceways shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Surface Metal Raceways: Aluminum with snap-on covers complying with UL. Clear anodized finish.
  - 1. Raceways for receptacles only: Wiremold AL3300 series.
  - 2. Raceways for applications where both receptacles and data devices are installed in the raceway and at all laboratory locations: Wiremold ALA4800 series two-channel and dual-cover. Satin anodized finish.
  - 3. Provide duplex receptacles at 12 inches on center in all receptacle raceways. Provide GFCI receptacles as noted on drawings.

# 2.5 BOXES, ENCLOSURES, AND CABINETS

- A. General Requirements for Boxes, Enclosures, and Cabinets: Boxes, enclosures, and cabinets installed in wet locations shall be listed for use in wet locations.
- B. Sheet Metal Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA OS 1 and UL 514A.
- C. Cast-Metal Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA FB 1, aluminum, Type FD, with gasketed cover.
- D. Nonmetallic Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA OS 2 and UL 514C.
- E. Floor Boxes and Poke-Through Devices: Refer to Specification Section 262726 "Wiring Devices" for floor boxes and poke-through devices
- F. Luminaire Outlet Boxes: Nonadjustable, designed for attachment of luminaire weighing 50 lb (23 kg). Outlet boxes designed for attachment of luminaires weighing more than 50 lb (23 kg) shall be listed and marked for the maximum allowable weight.
- G. Small Sheet Metal Pull and Junction Boxes: NEMA OS 1.
- H. Cast-Metal Access, Pull, and Junction Boxes: Comply with NEMA FB 1 and UL 1773, cast aluminum with gasketed cover.
- I. Box extensions used to accommodate new building finishes shall be of same material as recessed box.
- J. Device Box Dimensions:
  - 1. Wiring Devices other than data or communications devices: Minimum 4 inches square by 2-1/8 inches deep with switch ring as required for the device configuration and wall or ceiling surface. Where light switches are indicated at a common location provide multi-gang boxes to accommodate the quantity and type of switches indicated. Where deeper boxes are required provide masonry type boxes which do not require a separate switch ring.

- 2. Data and communications devices: Minimum 4-11/16 inches square by 3 inches deep with single-gang 5/8 inch deep (or deeper if wall or ceiling finish is deeper) ring.
- K. Pull boxes behind monitors: Minimum 6 inches square by 3-1/2 inches deep with twogang ring.
- L. Gangable boxes are prohibited.
- M. Partitions: Provide partitions to separate emergency system conductors from conductors or other systems, where voltage between adjacent switches exceeds 300 volts and where switches controlling Low Voltage Controllers for interface to Nurse Call systems are installed in common boxes with line voltage switches.
- N. Hinged-Cover Enclosures: Comply with UL 50 and NEMA 250.
  - 1. Indoor: Type 1 with continuous-hinge cover with flush latch unless otherwise indicated. Steel, finished inside and out with manufacturer's standard enamel.
  - 2. Outdoor: Type 4X with continuous-hinge cover with flush latch unless otherwise indicated. 304 stainless steel with smooth brushed finish.
  - 3. Interior Panels: Steel; all sides finished with manufacturer's standard enamel. Provide interior panels when there are control devices or power blocks located inside the enclosure.
- O. Handholes and Boxes for Exterior Underground Wiring: Refer to Specification Section 260543 "Underground Ducts and Raceways for Electrical Systems".

# 2.6 PUTTY PADS

- A. Moldable intumescent wall opening-protective pads designed for application to the back of electrical outlet boxes prior to installation of the wall finish to provide up to 2-hour fire barrier ratings and minimum Sound Transmission Class (STC) of 52 when tested in an STC-53 rated wall assembly or 59 according to ASTM E90-97.
- B. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. 3M Company.
  - 2. Hilti

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 RACEWAY APPLICATION

- A. Outdoors: Apply raceway products as specified below unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Exposed Conduit: GRC or IMC.
  - 2. Concealed Conduit, Aboveground: EMT.
  - 3. Underground Conduit for branch circuits: RNC, Type EPC-40-PVC, direct buried.
  - 4. Underground Conduit for feeders: Refer to Specification Section 260543 "Underground Ducts and Raceways for Electrical Systems".
  - 5. Raceways Embedded in slabs or composite steel and concrete decks are prohibited.
  - 6. Connection to Vibrating Equipment (Including Transformers and Hydraulic, Pneumatic, Electric Solenoid, or Motor-Driven Equipment): LFMC.

- 7. Boxes and Enclosures, Aboveground: NEMA 250, Type 4X, 304 stainless steel.
- B. Indoors: Apply raceway products as specified below unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Exposed, Not Subject to Physical Damage: EMT.
  - Exposed, Not Subject to Severe Physical Damage: EMT.
  - 3. Exposed and Subject to Severe Physical Damage: GRC or IMC. Raceway locations include the following:
    - a. Loading dock.
    - Corridors used for traffic of mechanized carts, forklifts, and pallet-handling units.
    - c. Mechanical rooms below 8 feet.
    - d. Gymnasiums.
  - 4. Concealed in Ceilings and Interior Walls and Partitions: EMT.
  - 5. Feeder Raceways under Slabs: RNC, Type EPC-40-PVC encased in not less than 2 inches of 3000 psi concrete. Change from RNC, Type EPC-40-PVC to GRC or IMC before rising above floor.
  - 6. Branch Circuit Raceways under Slabs: Refer to Specifications Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables" for allowable application of under slab raceways. RNC, Type EPC-40-PVC direct buried. Change from RNC, Type EPC-40-PVC to GRC or IMC before rising above floor.
  - 7. Raceways Embedded in slabs or composite steel and concrete decks are prohibited.
  - 8. Connection to Vibrating Equipment (Including Transformers and Hydraulic, Pneumatic, Electric Solenoid, or Motor-Driven Equipment): FMC, except use LFMC in damp or wet locations.
  - 9. Damp or Wet Locations: GRC or IMC.
  - 10. Boxes and Enclosures: NEMA 250, Type 1, except use NEMA 250, Type 4X, 304 stainless steel in kitchens and damp or wet locations.

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- C. Minimum Raceway Size: 3/4-inch (21-mm) trade size.
- D. Raceway Fittings: Compatible with raceways and suitable for use and location.
  - Rigid and Intermediate Steel Conduit: Use threaded rigid steel conduit fittings unless otherwise indicated. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.
  - 2. EMT: Use setscrew or compression, steel fittings. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.
  - Flexible Conduit: Use only fittings listed for use with flexible conduit. Comply with NEMA FB 2.20.
- E. Install nonferrous conduit or tubing for circuits operating above 60 Hz. Where aluminum raceways are installed for such circuits and pass through concrete, install in nonmetallic sleeve.
- F. Do not install aluminum conduits, boxes, or fittings in contact with concrete or earth.
- G. Install surface raceways only where indicated on Drawings.

# 3.2 INSTALLATION

A. Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for installation requirements except where requirements on Drawings or in this article are stricter. Comply with NECA 102 for aluminum conduits. Comply with NFPA 70 limitations for types of raceways allowed in specific occupancies and number of floors.

- B. Separation of Life Safety and Critical Branch Wiring: Comply with NFPA 70 Article 517.
- C. Keep raceways at least 6 inches (150 mm) away from parallel runs of flues and steam or hot-water pipes. Install horizontal raceway runs above water and steam piping.
- D. Complete raceway installation before starting conductor installation.
- E. Comply with requirements in Section 260529 "Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems" for hangers and supports.
- F. Arrange stub-ups so curved portions of bends are not visible above finished slab except where concealed in chases.
- G. Install no more than the equivalent of three 90-degree bends in any conduit run except for control wiring conduits, for which fewer bends are allowed. Support within 12 inches (300 mm) of changes in direction.
- H. Conceal conduit and EMT within finished walls, ceilings, and floors unless otherwise indicated. Install conduits parallel or perpendicular to building lines.
- I. Support conduit within 12 inches (300 mm) of enclosures to which attached.
- J. Raceways Embedded in Slabs are prohibited.
- K. Stub-ups to Above Recessed Ceilings:
  - 1. Use EMT, IMC, or RMC for raceways.
  - 2. Use a conduit bushing or insulated fitting to terminate stub-ups not terminated in hubs or in an enclosure.
- L. Threaded Conduit Joints, Exposed to Wet, Damp, Corrosive, or Outdoor Conditions: Apply listed compound to threads of raceway and fittings before making up joints. Follow compound manufacturer's written instructions.
- M. Coat field-cut threads on PVC-coated raceway with a corrosion-preventing conductive compound prior to assembly.
- N. Raceway Terminations at Locations Subject to Moisture or Vibration: Use insulating bushings to protect conductors including conductors smaller than No. 4 AWG.
- O. Terminate threaded conduits into threaded hubs or with locknuts on inside and outside of boxes or cabinets. Install bushings on conduits up to 1-1/4-inch (35mm) trade size and insulated throat metal bushings on 1-1/2-inch (41-mm) trade size and larger conduits terminated with locknuts. Install insulated throat metal grounding bushings on service conduits.
- P. Install raceways square to the enclosure and terminate at enclosures with locknuts. Install locknuts hand tight plus 1/4 turn more.
- Q. Do not rely on locknuts to penetrate nonconductive coatings on enclosures. Remove coatings in the locknut area prior to assembling conduit to enclosure to assure a continuous ground path.
- R. Cut conduit perpendicular to the length. For conduits 2-inch (53-mm) trade size and larger, use roll cutter or a guide to make cut straight and perpendicular to the length.

- S. Install pull wires in empty raceways. Use polypropylene or monofilament plastic line with not less than 200-lb (90-kg) tensile strength. Leave at least 12 inches (300 mm) of slack at each end of pull wire. Cap underground raceways designated as spare above grade alongside raceways in use.
- T. Surface Raceways:
  - 1. Install surface raceway with a minimum 2-inch (50-mm)radius control at bend points.
  - Secure surface raceway with screws or other anchor-type devices at intervals not exceeding 48 inches (1200 mm) and with no less than two supports per straight raceway section. Support surface raceway according to manufacturer's written instructions. Tape and glue are not acceptable support methods.
- U. Install raceway sealing fittings at accessible locations according to NFPA 70 and fill them with listed sealing compound. For concealed raceways, install each fitting in a flush steel box with a blank cover plate having a finish similar to that of adjacent plates or surfaces. Install raceway sealing fittings according to NFPA 70.
- V. Install devices to seal raceway interiors at accessible locations. Locate seals so no fittings or boxes are between the seal and the following changes of environments. Seal the interior of all raceways at the following points:
  - 1. Where conduits pass from warm to cold locations, such as boundaries of refrigerated spaces.
  - 2. Where an underground service raceway enters a building or structure.
  - 3. Where otherwise required by NFPA 70.
- W. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for solvent welding RNC and fittings.
- X. Expansion(Seismic)-Joint Fittings:
  - Install flexible metal conduit at all locations where conduits cross building or structure expansion joints. Allow for minimum 4 inches deflection in all directions or greater if expansion joint exceeds 4 inches. Provide droop in flexible conduit to accommodate movement. Do not loop the flexible conduit. When calculating total bend degrees in conduit runs with expansion fittings use minimum 60 degrees for each expansion-joint fitting
  - Install each expansion-joint fitting with position, mounting, and piston setting selected according to manufacturer's written instructions for conditions at specific location at time of installation. Install conduit supports to allow for expansion movement.
- Y. Flexible Conduit Connections: Comply with NEMA RV 3. Use a maximum of 72 inches (1830 mm) of flexible conduit for recessed and semi-recessed luminaires, equipment subject to vibration, noise transmission, or movement; and for transformers and motors.
  - 1. Use LFMC in damp or wet locations.
- Z. Mount boxes at heights indicated on Drawings. If mounting heights of boxes are not individually indicated, give priority to ADA requirements. Install boxes with height measured to center of box unless otherwise indicated.
- AA. Recessed Boxes in Masonry Walls: Saw-cut opening for box in center of cell of masonry block, and install box flush with surface of wall. Prepare block surfaces to provide a flat surface for a raintight connection between box and cover plate or supported equipment and box.

- BB. Horizontally separate boxes mounted on opposite sides of walls so they are not in the same vertical channel.
- CC. Locate boxes so that cover or plate will not span different building finishes.
- DD. Support boxes of three gangs or more from more than one side by spanning two framing members or mounting on brackets specifically designed for the purpose.
- EE. Fasten junction and pull boxes to or support from building structure. Do not support boxes by conduits.
- FF. Set metal floor boxes level and flush with finished floor surface.
- GG. Set nonmetallic floor boxes level. Trim after installation to fit flush with finished floor surface.

# 3.3 SLEEVE AND SLEEVE-SEAL INSTALLATION FOR ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

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

## 3.4 FIRESTOPPING AND SOUND TRANSMISSION MITIGATION

- A. Install firestopping at penetrations of fire-rated floor and wall assemblies. Comply with requirements in Section 078413 "Penetration Firestopping."
- B. Install putty pads with acoustical and firestopping capabilities on all boxes that are installed in wall or partition cavities and in gypsum board ceilings.

# 3.5 PROTECTION

- A. Protect coatings, finishes, and cabinets from damage and deterioration.
  - Repair damage to galvanized finishes with zinc-rich paint recommended by manufacturer.
  - 2. Repair damage to PVC coatings or paint finishes with matching touchup coating recommended by manufacturer.

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

#### **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:

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

## B. Related Requirements:

1. Section 078413 "Penetration Firestopping" for penetration firestopping installed in fire-resistance-rated walls, horizontal assemblies, and smoke barriers, with and without penetrating items.

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

#### B. LEED Submittals:

- 1. Product Data for Credit EQ 4.1: For sealants, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
- Laboratory Test Reports for Credit EQ 4: For sealants, documentation indicating
  that products 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 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 SLEEVES

#### A. Wall Sleeves:

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

- B. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Non-Fire-Rated Gypsum Board Assemblies: Galvanized-steel sheet; 0.0239-inch (0.6-mm) minimum thickness; round tube closed with welded longitudinal joint, with tabs for screw-fastening the sleeve to the board.
- C. PVC-Pipe Sleeves: ASTM D 1785, Schedule 40.
- D. Molded-PVC Sleeves: With nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.
- E. Molded-PE or -PP Sleeves: Removable, tapered-cup shaped, and smooth outer surface with nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.
- F. Sleeves for Rectangular Openings:
  - 1. Material: Galvanized sheet steel.
  - Minimum Metal Thickness:
    - a. For sleeve cross-section rectangle perimeter less than 50 inches (1270 mm) and with no side larger than 16 inches (400 mm), thickness shall be 0.052 inch (1.3 mm).
    - b. For sleeve cross-section rectangle perimeter 50 inches (1270 mm) or more and one or more sides larger than 16 inches (400 mm), thickness shall be 0.138 inch (3.5 mm).

## 2.2 SLEEVE-SEAL SYSTEMS

- A. Description: Modular sealing device, designed for field assembly, to fill annular space between sleeve and raceway or cable.
  - 1. Sealing Elements: EPDM rubber interlocking links shaped to fit surface of pipe. Include type and number required for pipe material and size of pipe.
  - Pressure Plates: Stainless steel.
  - 3. Connecting Bolts and Nuts: Stainless steel of length required to secure pressure plates to sealing elements.

## 2.3 SLEEVE-SEAL FITTINGS

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

## 2.4 GROUT

- A. Description: Nonshrink; recommended for interior and exterior sealing openings in nonfire-rated walls or floors.
- B. Standard: ASTM C 1107/C 1107M, Grade B, post-hardening and volume-adjusting, dry, hydraulic-cement grout.
- C. Design Mix: 5000-psi (34.5-MPa), 28-day compressive strength.
- D. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

## 2.5 SILICONE SEALANTS

- A. Silicone Sealants: Single-component, silicone-based, neutral-curing elastomeric sealants of grade indicated below.
  - 1. Grade: Pourable (self-leveling) formulation for openings in floors and other horizontal surfaces that are not fire rated.
  - 2. Sealant shall have VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 3. 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."
- B. Silicone Foams: Multicomponent, silicone-based liquid elastomers that, when mixed, expand and cure in place to produce a flexible, nonshrinking foam.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 SLEEVE INSTALLATION FOR NON-FIRE-RATED ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Comply with NEMA VE 2 for cable tray and cable penetrations.
- C. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Above-Grade Non-Fire-Rated Concrete and Masonry-Unit Floors and Walls:
  - 1. Interior Penetrations of Non-Fire-Rated Walls and Floors:
    - a. Seal annular space between sleeve and raceway or cable, using joint sealant appropriate for size, depth, and location of joint. Comply with requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants."
    - b. Seal space outside of sleeves with mortar or grout. Pack sealing material solidly between sleeve and wall so no voids remain. Tool exposed surfaces smooth; protect material while curing.
  - 2. Use pipe sleeves unless penetration arrangement requires rectangular sleeved opening.
  - 3. Size pipe sleeves to provide 1/4-inch (6.4-mm) annular clear space between sleeve and raceway or cable unless sleeve seal is to be installed or unless seismic criteria require different clearance.
  - 4. Install sleeves for wall penetrations unless core-drilled holes or formed openings are used. Install sleeves during erection of walls. Cut sleeves to length for mounting flush with both surfaces of walls. Deburr after cutting.
  - 5. Install sleeves for floor penetrations. Extend sleeves installed in floors 4 inches above finished floor level. Install sleeves during erection of floors.
- D. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Non-Fire-Rated Gypsum Board Assemblies:
  - Use circular metal sleeves unless penetration arrangement requires rectangular sleeved opening.
  - Seal space outside of sleeves with approved joint compound for gypsum board assemblies.
- E. Roof-Penetration Sleeves: Seal penetration of individual raceways and cables with flexible boot-type flashing units applied in coordination with roofing work.

- F. Aboveground, Exterior-Wall Penetrations: Seal penetrations using cast-iron pipe sleeves and mechanical sleeve seals. Select sleeve size to allow for 1-inch (25-mm) annular clear space between pipe and sleeve for installing mechanical sleeve seals.
- G. Underground, Exterior-Wall and Floor Penetrations: Install cast-iron pipe sleeves. Size sleeves to allow for 1-inch (25-mm) annular clear space between raceway or cable and sleeve for installing sleeve-seal system.

#### 3.2 SLEEVE-SEAL-SYSTEM INSTALLATION

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

#### 3.3 SLEEVE-SEAL-FITTING INSTALLATION

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

**END OF SECTION** 

## SECTION 260553 IDENTIFICATION FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

## **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. Identification for raceways.
  - 2. Identification of power and control cables.
  - 3. Identification for conductors.
  - 4. Underground-line warning tape.
  - 5. Warning labels and signs.
  - 6. Instruction signs.
  - 7. Equipment identification labels, including arc-flash warning labels.
  - 8. Miscellaneous identification products.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for electrical identification products.
- B. Samples: For each type of label and sign to illustrate composition, size, colors, lettering style, mounting provisions, and graphic features of identification products.
- C. Identification Schedule: For each piece of electrical equipment and electrical system components to be an index of nomenclature for electrical equipment and system components used in identification signs and labels. Use same designations indicated on Drawings.
- D. Delegated-Design Submittal: For arc-flash hazard study.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with ASME A13.1 and IEEE C2.
- B. Comply with NFPA 70.
- C. Comply with 29 CFR 1910.144 and 29 CFR 1910.145.

- D. Comply with ANSI Z535.4 for safety signs and labels.
- E. Adhesive-attached labeling materials, including label stocks, laminating adhesives, and inks used by label printers, shall comply with UL 969.
- F. Thermal Movements: Allow for thermal movements from ambient and surface temperature changes.
  - Temperature Change: 120 deg F (67 deg C), ambient; 180 deg F (100 deg C), material surfaces.

#### 2.2 COLOR AND LEGEND REQUIREMENTS

- A. Use the following color code for all electrical equipment that is specified to be labeled:
  - Standby Power Circuits: Black letters on red field.
  - 2. Life Safety Branch Circuits: White letters on orange Field
  - 3. Critical Branch Circuits: White letters on red Field
  - 4. Equipment System Circuits: White letters on green field.
  - 5. Normal Power Circuits: White letters on black field.
  - 6. Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS): White letters on gray field.
  - 7. Fire Alarm: Red letters on white field.
  - 8. Communications: White letters on blue field.
- B. Warning labels and signs shall include, but are not limited to, the following legends:
  - Multiple Power Source Warning: "DANGER ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD -EQUIPMENT HAS MULTIPLE POWER SOURCES."
  - 2. Workspace Clearance Warning: "WARNING OSHA REGULATION AREA IN FRONT OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT MUST BE KEPT CLEAR FOR XX INCHES" where XX is replaced by the clearance requirements of NFPA 70.
- C. Raceways:
  - 1. Labeling: Black on orange. Include system voltage and type.
  - 2. Color Coding for Raceways:
    - a. Fire Alarm: Red (BA2)

## 2.3 LABELS

- A. Vinyl Labels for Raceways Carrying Circuits at 600 V or Less: printed, flexible labels laminated with a clear, weather- and chemical-resistant coating and matching wraparound clear adhesive tape for securing label ends.
- B. Indoor Equipment Labels: Self-adhesive, engraved, laminated acrylic or melamine plastic label. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch- (13-mm-) high letters on 1-1/2-inch- (38-mm-) high label; where two lines of text are required, use labels 2 inches (50 mm) high. Color coded as indicated in Color and Legend Requirements.
- C. Outdoor Equipment: Engraved, laminated acrylic or melamine plastic label, punched or drilled for mechanical fasteners. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch- (13-mm-) high letters on 1-1/2-inch- (38-mm-) high label; where two lines of text are required, use labels 2 inches (50 mm) high. Color coded as indicated in Color and Legend Requirements.

## 2.4 BANDS AND TUBES:

A. Snap-Around, Color-Coding Bands for Cables: Slit, pretensioned, flexible, solid-colored acrylic sleeves, 2 inches (50 mm) long, with diameters sized to suit diameters of raceways or cables they identify, and that stay in place by gripping action.

## 2.5 TAPES AND STENCILS:

A. Marker Tapes: Vinyl or vinyl-cloth, self-adhesive wraparound type, with circuit identification legend machine printed by thermal transfer or equivalent process.

## 2.6 Signs

- A. Laminated Acrylic or Melamine Plastic Signs:
  - 1. Engraved legend.
  - 2. Thickness:
    - a. For signs up to 20 sq. inches (129 sq. cm), minimum 1/16-inch- (1.6-mm-).
    - b. For signs larger than 20 sq. inches (129 sq. cm), 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) thick.
    - c. Engraved legend with white letters on a dark grey background.
    - d. Punched or drilled for mechanical fasteners.
    - e. Framed with mitered acrylic molding and arranged for attachment at applicable equipment.

## 2.7 MISCELLANEOUS IDENTIFICATION PRODUCTS

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

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 PREPARATION

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

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Verify and coordinate identification names, abbreviations, colors, and other features with requirements in other Sections requiring identification applications, Drawings, Shop Drawings, manufacturer's wiring diagrams, and operation and maintenance manual. Use consistent designations throughout Project.
- B. Install identifying devices before installing acoustical ceilings and similar concealment.

- C. Verify identity of each item before installing identification products.
- D. Install identification materials and devices at locations for most convenient viewing without interference with operation and maintenance of equipment. Install access doors or panels to provide view of identifying devices.
- E. Apply identification devices to surfaces that require finish after completing finish work.
- F. Attach signs and plastic labels that are not self-adhesive type with mechanical fasteners appropriate to the location and substrate.
- G. Attach plastic raceway and cable labels that are not self-adhesive type with clear vinyl tape, with adhesive appropriate to the location and substrate.
- H. System Identification for Feeder Raceways: Each color-coding band shall completely encircle cable or conduit. Place adjacent bands of two-color markings in contact, side by side. Locate bands at changes in direction, at penetrations of walls and floors, at 50-foot (15-m) maximum intervals in straight runs, and at 25-foot (7.6-m) maximum intervals in congested areas.
- I. During backfilling of trenches, install continuous underground-line warning tape directly above cable or raceway at 6 to 8 inches (150 to 200 mm) below finished grade. Use multiple tapes where width of multiple lines installed in a common trench or concrete envelope exceeds 16 inches (400 mm) overall.

#### 3.3 IDENTIFICATION SCHEDULE

- A. Switchboards and Panelboards: Include Identification per the One-Line Diagrams and the Source Location, including the circuit number.
- B. Disconnect Switches, Enclosed Circuits Breakers and Motor Controllers. Identify the equipment that is controlled and the Source, including the circuit number.
- C. Accessible Raceways, including above accessible ceilings, for all Feeder Circuits and for Branch Circuit rated more than 30A: Identify with self-adhesive vinyl label. Install labels at 30-foot (10-m) maximum intervals.
- D. Accessible Raceways and Cables, including above accessible ceilings, within Buildings: Identify the covers of each junction and pull box of the following systems with selfadhesive vinyl labels containing the wiring system legend and system voltage. System legends shall be as follows:
  - 1. Standby Power
  - 2. Life Safety Branch
  - 3. Critical Branch
  - 4. Equipment System
  - 5. Normal Power
  - 6. UPS
  - 7. Fire Alarm
  - Communications
  - 9. Access Control
- E. Identify EMT conduits used for branch circuit wiring as follows:
  - 1. Standby Power Black
  - 2. Life Safety Branch Yellow

- 3. Critical Branch Orange
- 4. Equipment Branch Green
- 5. Normal No Color
- 6. UPS White
- 7. Fire alarm Red
- 8. Communications Blue
- 9. Access Control Purple
- F. Power-Circuit Conductor Identification, 600 V or Less: For conductors in vaults, pull and junction boxes, manholes, and handholes, use color-coding conductor tape to identify the phase.
  - 1. Grounded Systems: Color-Coding for Phase-, Neutral- and Voltage-Level Identification: Use colors listed below for feeder and branch-circuit conductors.
    - a. Colors for 208/120-V Circuits:
      - 1) Phase A: Black.
      - 2) Phase B: Red.
      - 3) Phase C: Blue.
      - 4) Feeder Neutral: White
      - 5) Branch Circuit Neutral: White with colored stripe matching the color of the phase circuit that is paired with the neutral.
    - b. Colors for 480/277-V Circuits:
      - 1) Phase A: Brown.
      - 2) Phase B: Orange.
      - 3) Phase C: Yellow.
      - 4) Feeder Neutral: Grey
      - 5) Branch Circuit Neutral: Grey with colored stripe matching the color of the phase circuit that is paired with the neutral.
  - 2. Isolated Power Systems: Color-Coding for Circuit Identification: Use colors listed below for Isolated Power conductors.
    - a. Isolated Conductor No.1: Orange with at least one distinctive colored stripe other than white, green, or grey along the entire length of the conductor.
    - b. Isolated Conductor No. 2: Brown with at least one distinctive colored stripe other than white, green, or grey along the entire length of the conductor.
  - 3. Color shall be factory applied or field applied for sizes larger than No. 8 AWG if authorities having jurisdiction permit.
    - a. Field-Applied, Color-Coding Conductor Tape: Apply in half-lapped turns for a minimum distance of 6 inches (150 mm) from terminal points and in boxes where splices or taps are made. Apply last two turns of tape with no tension to prevent possible unwinding. Locate bands to avoid obscuring factory cable markings.
  - 4. Provide a sign at each panelboard identifying the color coding scheme.
- G. Install instructional sign, including the color code for grounded and ungrounded conductors using adhesive-film-type labels.
- H. Control-Circuit Conductor Identification: For conductors and cables in pull and junction boxes, manholes, and handholes, use self-adhesive vinyl labels with the conductor or cable designation, origin, and destination.
- I. Control-Circuit Conductor Termination Identification: For identification at terminations, provide self-adhesive vinyl labels with the conductor designation.
- J. Conductors To Be Extended in the Future: Attach write-on tags to conductors and list source.

- K. Auxiliary Electrical Systems Conductor Identification: Identify field-installed alarm, control, and signal connections.
  - 1. Identify conductors, cables, and terminals in enclosures and at junctions, terminals, and pull points. Identify by system and circuit designation.
  - 2. Use system of marker-tape designations that is uniform and consistent with system used by manufacturer for factory-installed connections.
  - 3. Coordinate identification with Project Drawings, manufacturer's wiring diagrams, and operation and maintenance manual.
- L. Locations of Underground Lines: Identify with underground-line warning tape for power, lighting, communication, and control wiring and optical-fiber cable.
  - 1. Limit use of underground-line warning tape to direct-buried cables.
  - 2. Install underground-line warning tape for direct-buried cables and cables in raceways.
- M. Workspace Indication: Install floor marking tape to show working clearances in the direction of access to live parts. Workspace shall comply with NFPA 70 and 29 CFR 1926.403 unless otherwise indicated. Do not install at flush-mounted panelboards and similar equipment in finished spaces.
- N. Warning Labels for Indoor Cabinets, Boxes, and Enclosures for Power and Lighting: Self-adhesive warning labels.
  - 1. Comply with 29 CFR 1910.145.
  - 2. Identify system voltage with black letters on an orange background.
  - 3. Apply to exterior of door, cover, or other access.
  - 4. For equipment with multiple power or control sources, apply to door or cover of equipment, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - a. Power-transfer switches.
    - b. Controls with external control power connections.
- O. Arc Flash Warning Labeling: Self-adhesive thermal transfer vinyl labels.
  - 1. Comply with NFPA 70E and ANSI Z535.4.
  - Comply with Section 260574 "Overcurrent Protective Device Arc-Flash Study" requirements for arc-flash warning labels.
- P. Operating Instruction Signs: Install instruction signs to facilitate proper operation and maintenance of electrical systems and items to which they connect. Install instruction signs with approved legend where instructions are needed for system or equipment operation.
- Q. Emergency Operating Instruction Signs: Install instruction signs with white legend on a red background with minimum 3/8-inch- (10-mm-) high letters for emergency instructions at equipment used for power transfer or load shedding.
- R. Equipment Identification Labels: On each unit of equipment, install unique designation label that is consistent with wiring diagrams, schedules, and operation and maintenance manual. Apply labels to disconnect switches and protection equipment, central or master units, control panels, control stations, terminal cabinets, and racks of each system. Systems include power, lighting, control, communication, signal, monitoring, and alarm unless equipment is provided with its own identification.
  - 1. Labeling Instructions:
    - a. Elevated Components: Increase sizes of labels and letters to those appropriate for viewing from the floor.
    - b. Fasten mechanically fastened labels with appropriate mechanical fasteners that do not change the NEMA or NRTL rating of the enclosure.
  - 2. Equipment To Be Labeled:

- a. Panelboards: Typewritten directory of circuits in the location provided by panelboard manufacturer.
- b. Enclosures and electrical cabinets.
- c. Lighting control relay cabinets.
- d. Access doors and panels for concealed electrical items.
- e. Switchgear.
- f. Switchboards.
- g. Transformers: Label that includes tag designation shown on Drawings for the transformer, feeder, and panelboards or equipment supplied by the secondary.
- h. Emergency system boxes and enclosures.
- i. Motor-control centers.
- Enclosed switches.
- k. Enclosed circuit breakers.
- I. Enclosed controllers.
- m. Variable-speed controllers.
- n. Push-button stations.
- o. Power-transfer equipment.
- p. Contactors.
- q. Remote-controlled switches, dimmer modules, and control devices.
- r. Battery-inverter units.
- s. Battery racks.
- t. Power-generating units.
- u. Monitoring and control equipment.
- v. UPS equipment.
- w. Communications Equipment Racks.
- x. Fire Alarm System.
- y. Access Control System.
- z. Overhead Paging System.
- aa. Nurse Call System.

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## SECTION 262726 WIRING DEVICES

## **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. Receptacles, receptacles with integral GFCI, and associated device plates.
  - 2. Twist-locking receptacles.
  - 3. USB charger devices.
  - 4. Isolated-ground receptacles.
  - 5. Hospital-grade receptacles.
  - 6. Tamper-resistant receptacles.
  - 7. Weather-resistant receptacles.
  - 8. Snap switches and wall-box dimmers.
  - 9. Floor service outlets (floor boxes) and poke-through assemblies.
  - 10. Pendant Cord Connector Devices (Drop Cords).
  - 11. Cord Reels

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. EMI: Electromagnetic interference.
- B. GFCI: Ground-fault circuit interrupter.
- C. Pigtail: Short lead used to connect a device to a branch-circuit conductor.
- D. RFI: Radio-frequency interference.

## 1.4 ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Coordination:
  - 1. Receptacles for Owner-Furnished Equipment: Match plug configurations.
  - 2. Cord and Plug Sets: Match equipment requirements.

## 1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

## 1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

Field quality-control reports.

#### 1.7 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For wiring devices to include in all manufacturers' packing-label warnings and instruction manuals that include labeling conditions.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. <u>Eaton (Arrow Hart)</u>.
  - 2. Hubbell Incorporated; Wiring Device-Kellems.
  - 3. Leviton Manufacturing Co., Inc.
  - 4. Pass & Seymour/Legrand (Pass & Seymour).
- B. Source Limitations: Obtain each type of wiring device and associated wall plate from single source from single manufacturer.

## 2.2 GENERAL WIRING-DEVICE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Wiring Devices, Components, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with NFPA 70.
- C. All devices must be manufactured for use with modular plug-in connectors, shall comply with UL 2459 and shall be made with stranded building wire. Devices shall comply with the requirements in this Section.

#### 2.3 STRAIGHT-BLADE RECEPTACLES

- A. Hospital-Grade, Tamper Resistant, Duplex Convenience Receptacles, 125 V, 20 A: Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498 Supplement sd, and FS W-C-596.
  - Description: Single-piece, rivetless, nickel-plated, all-brass grounding system. Nickel-plated, brass mounting strap. Mechanical shutter system to help prevent insertion of foreign objects. Labeled shall comply with NFPA 70, "Health Care Facilities" Article, "Pediatric Locations" Section.
- B. Isolated-Ground, Duplex Convenience Receptacles, 125 V, 20 A: Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498, and FS W-C-596.
  - Description: Straight blade; equipment grounding contacts shall be connected only to the green grounding screw terminal of the device and with inherent

electrical isolation from mounting strap. Isolation shall be integral to receptacle construction and not dependent on removable parts.

- C. Tamper-Resistant Convenience Receptacles, 125 V, 20 A: Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498 Supplement sd, and FS W-C-596.
  - Description: Labeled shall comply with NFPA 70, "Health Care Facilities" Article, "Pediatric Locations" Section.

## 2.4 GFCI RECEPTACLES

- A. General Description:
  - 1. Straight blade, non-feed-through type.
  - Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6, UL 498, UL 943 Class A, and FS W-C-596
  - 3. Include indicator light that shows when the GFCI has malfunctioned and no longer provides proper GFCI protection.
- B. Tamper-Resistant GFCI Convenience Receptacles, 125 V, 20 A:
- C. Hospital-Grade, Tamper Resistant, Duplex GFCI Convenience Receptacles, 125 V, 20 A: Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498 Supplement sd, and FS W-C-596.

#### 2.5 TWIST-LOCKING RECEPTACLES

A. Provide NEMA configurations as indicated on drawings.

## 2.6 PENDANT CORD-CONNECTOR DEVICES

- A. Description:
  - 1. Matching, locking-type plug and receptacle body connector.
  - NEMA WD 6 Configurations L5-20P and L5-20R, heavy-duty grade, and FS W-C-596.
  - 3. Body: Nylon, with screw-open, cable-gripping jaws and provision for attaching external cable grip.
  - 4. External Cable Grip: Woven wire-mesh type made of high-strength, galvanizedsteel wire strand, matched to cable diameter, and with attachment provision designed for corresponding connector.

## 2.7 CORD REELS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Kitchen Leash by APC Group
- B. Description:
  - 1. Molded Polypropylene Housing.
  - 2. Retracting cord with adjustable stop.
  - 3. SJOW Power cord, 10 foot; rated 200 degrees.
  - 4. Receptacles Dual Duplex NEMA 5-20R unless noted otherwise.

- 5. Impact: UL746C
- 6. Hose Down: CSA 6.8.2
- 7. Strain Relief: CSA 6.4
- 8. Flame Retardant: UL 94-94V-2
- 9. Mounting Bracket for ceiling mount.

## 2.8 CORD AND PLUG SETS

#### A. Description:

- 1. Match voltage and current ratings and number of conductors to requirements of equipment being connected.
- 2. Cord: Rubber-insulated, stranded-copper conductors, with Type SOW-A jacket; with green-insulated grounding conductor and ampacity of at least 130 percent of the equipment rating.
- 3. Plug: Nylon body and integral cable-clamping jaws. Match cord and receptacle type for connection.

#### 2.9 TOGGLE SWITCHES

- A. Comply with NEMA WD 1, UL 20, and FS W-S-896.
- B. Switches, 120/277 V, 20 A:
  - 1. Single Pole and Three Way:
    - a. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
      - 1) Eaton (Arrow Hart).
      - 2) Hubbell Incorporated; Wiring Device-Kellems.
      - 3) Leviton Manufacturing Co., Inc.
      - 4) Pass & Seymour/Legrand (Pass & Seymour).
- C. Key-Operated Switches, 120/277 V, 20 A:
  - 1. Description: Single pole, with factory-supplied key in lieu of switch handle.
- D. Momentary Contact Switches: 2-Button, Single Pole, Low-voltage switch, mounts in standard single gang ring.
- E. Key-Operated, Single-Pole, Double-Throw, Momentary-Contact, Center-off Switches: 120/277 V, 20 A; for use with mechanically held lighting contactors, with factory-supplied key in lieu of switch handle.

#### 2.10 WALL-BOX DIMMERS

- A. Dimmer Switches: Modular, full-wave, solid-state units with integral, quiet on-off switches, with audible frequency and EMI/RFI suppression filters.
- B. Control: Continuously adjustable slider; with single-pole or three-way switching. Comply with UL 1472.
- C. Incandescent Lamp Dimmers: 120 V; control shall follow square-law dimming curve. On-off switch positions shall bypass dimmer module for off.

- 1. These shall be used to control power modules driving large quantity of LED drivers using 0-10VDC control signals. This interface shall operate either 120 or 277 volt circuits, 200 ma rating.
- D. LED Dimmer Switches: Modular; compatible with LED drivers; trim potentiometer to adjust low-end dimming used where "LR" is shown, otherwise full range of 1% to 100% light or as noted. This dimmer shall operate either 120 or 277 volt circuits, 28 ma minimum rating.

## 2.11 WALL PLATES

- A. Single and combination types shall match corresponding wiring devices.
  - 1. Plate-Securing Screws: Metal with head color to match plate finish.
  - 2. Material for Finished Spaces, except Operating Rooms and Food Service Kitchen: Smooth, high-impact thermoplastic.
  - 3. Material for Operating Rooms and Food Service Kitchen: 0.035-inch- (1-mm-) thick, satin-finished, Type 302 stainless steel.
  - 4. Material for Unfinished Spaces: Galvanized steel.
  - 5. Material for Damp Locations: Cast aluminum with spring-loaded lift cover, and listed and labeled for use in wet and damp locations.
- B. Wet-Location, Weatherproof Cover Plates: NEMA 250, complying with Type 3R, weather-resistant, die-cast aluminum with lockable, weatherproof-in-use cover.

## 2.12 FLOOR SERVICE FITTINGS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - 1. Wiremold / Legrand.
- B. Type: Modular, flush-type, dual- or multi- service units suitable for wiring method used.
- C. Compartments: Barrier separates power from voice and data communication cabling.
- D. Service Plate: Round, die-cast aluminum with satin finish.
- E. Power Receptacle: NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, gray finish, unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Voice and Data Communication Outlet: Two modular, keyed, color-coded, RJ-45 jacks for UTP cable complying with requirements in owner's Section 270000 requirements.
- G. Description by Device Type:

FB1	Flush, Dual Service, Furniture Feed. One .75" conduit for power and	Legrand EFBFF
	One 2" conduit for data cabling. See plans for circuits and data	Hubbell CFB2G30/2GCFFCVR
	drops. Finish selected by architect.	
FB4	Flush, Dual Service, one piece finish flange. Four gang capacity.	Legrand EFG45S
	One .75" conduit for power and one 2" conduit for data cabling. See	Hubbell CFB2G30/24GCCVR
	plans for circuits and data drops. Finish selected by architect.	
FB6	Flush, Dual Service, one piece finish flange. Six gang capacity. One	Legrand EFB6S Evolution
	.75" conduit for power and one 2" conduit for data cabling. See	Hubbell CFB6G30/610GCCVR

	plans for circuits and data drops. Finish selected by architect.	
FB8	Flush, Dual Service, one piece finish flange. Eight gang capacity.	Legrand EFB8S Evolution
	One .75" conduit for power and one 2" conduit for data cabling. See	
	plans for circuits and data drops. Finish selected by architect.	
FB10	Flush, Dual Service, one piece finish flange. Ten gang capacity.	Legrand EFB10S Evolution
	One .75" conduit for power and one 2" conduit for data cabling. See	Hubbell CFB10G30/610GCCVR
	plans for circuits and data drops. Finish selected by architect.	
FB11	Flush single service floor box suitable for the wiring method used.	Legrand 880MS(CS)/817/828
	NEMA 5-20R duplex receptacle with brushed aluminum flange and	Hubbell B2431/S3825
	cover plate. Hinged receptacle covers. Housing material shall be	
	stamped steel above grade and cast iron at grade. Provide	
	appropriate carpet and tile flanges.	

## 2.13 POKE-THROUGH ASSEMBLIES

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - 1. Wiremold / Legrand.
- B. Description:
  - 1. Factory-fabricated and -wired assembly of below-floor junction box with multichanneled, through-floor raceway/firestop unit and detachable matching floor service-outlet assembly.
  - 2. Comply with UL 514 scrub water exclusion requirements.
  - 3. Size: Selected to fit cored holes in floor and matched to floor thickness.
  - 4. Fire Rating: Unit is listed and labeled for fire rating of floor-ceiling assembly.
  - 5. Closure Plug: Arranged to close unused cored openings and reestablish fire rating of floor.
- C. Description by Device Type:

PT1	Flush, Dual Service, 4" Diameter Furniture Feed Poke-Thru. One	Legrand 4FFATC
	piece finish flange. One .75" conduit for power, One 1.5" conduit	Hubbell
	for data cabling. See plans for circuits and data drops. Finish	PT73FFS/FRF3
	selected by architect.	
PT2	Flush, Dual Service Capable, 4"Diameter Poke-Thru. One .75"	Legrand 4AT Evolution
	conduit for power, one 1.5" conduit for data cabling. Two Gang	Hubbell S1R4PT
	Capacity. See plans for circuits and data drops. Receptacles	
	shall be NEMA 5-20R, Finish selected by architect.	
PT3	Flush, Dual Service Capable, 6"Diameter Poke-Thru. One .75"	Legrand 6AT Evolution
	conduit for power, one 1.5" conduit for data cabling. Three Gang	Hubbell S1R6PT
	Capacity. See plans for circuits and data drops. Receptacles	
	shall be NEMA 5-20R, Finish selected by architect.	
PT5	Flush, Dual Service Capable, 8"Diameter Poke-Thru. One .75"	Legrand 8AT Evolution
	conduit for power, one 2" conduit for data cabling. Five Gang	Hubbell S1R8PT
	Capacity. See plans for circuits and data drops. Receptacles	
	shall be NEMA 5-20R, Finish selected by architect.	
PT8	Flush, Dual Service Capable, 10"Diameter Poke-Thru. One .75"	Legrand 10AT
	conduit for power, one 2" conduit for data cabling. Eight Gang	Evolution
	Capacity. See plans for circuits and data drops. Receptacles	Hubbell S1R10PT
	shall be NEMA 5-20R, Finish selected by architect.	
PT11	Flush single service floor box suitable for the wiring method used.	Legrand RC7CTC
	NEMA 5-20R duplex receptacle with brushed aluminum flange	Hubbell PT7FS/FRF
	and cover plate. Hinged receptacle covers.	

## 2.14 FINISHES

#### A. Device Color:

- Wiring Devices Connected to Normal Power System: Gray in Food Service Kitchen. As selected by Architect in other finished spaces unless otherwise indicated or required by NFPA 70 or device listing.
- 2. Wiring Devices Connected to Essential Power System: Red.
- 3. Isolated-Ground Receptacles: Orange.
- B. Wall Plate Color: For plastic covers, match device color.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 INSTALLATION

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

## C. Conductors:

- 1. Do not strip insulation from conductors until right before they are spliced or terminated on devices.
- Strip insulation evenly around the conductor using tools designed for the purpose. Avoid scoring or nicking of solid wire or cutting strands from stranded wire
- 3. The length of free conductors at outlets for devices shall meet provisions of NFPA 70, Article 300, without pigtails.
- 4. Existing Conductors:
  - a. Cut back and pigtail, or replace all damaged conductors.
  - b. Straighten conductors that remain and remove corrosion and foreign matter.
  - c. Pigtailing existing conductors is permitted, provided the outlet box is large enough.

## D. Device Installation:

- 1. Replace devices that have been in temporary use during construction and that were installed before building finishing operations were complete.
- 2. Keep each wiring device in its package or otherwise protected until it is time to connect conductors.
- 3. Do not remove surface protection, such as plastic film and smudge covers, until the last possible moment.
- 4. Connect devices to branch circuits using pigtails that are not less than 6 inches (152 mm) in length.

- 5. When there is a choice, use side wiring with binding-head screw terminals. Wrap solid conductor tightly clockwise, two-thirds to three-fourths of the way around terminal screw.
- Use a torque screwdriver when a torque is recommended or required by manufacturer.
- 7. When conductors larger than No. 12 AWG are installed on 15- or 20-A circuits, splice No. 12 AWG pigtails for device connections.
- 8. Tighten unused terminal screws on the device.
- 9. When mounting into metal boxes, remove the fiber or plastic washers used to hold device-mounting screws in yokes, allowing metal-to-metal contact.

## E. Receptacle Orientation:

- 1. Install ground pin of vertically mounted receptacles up, and on horizontally mounted receptacles to the right.
- 2. Install hospital-grade receptacles in patient-care areas with the ground pin or neutral blade at the top.
- F. Device Plates: Do not use oversized or extra-deep plates. Repair wall finishes and remount outlet boxes when standard device plates do not fit flush or do not cover rough wall opening.

#### G. Dimmers:

- 1. Install dimmers within terms of their listing.
- 2. Install unshared neutral conductors on line and load side of dimmers according to manufacturers' device listing conditions in the written instructions.
- 3. Install 0-10VDC control wiring in conduit with power wiring. Use conductors with insulation equivalent to insulation of power wiring.
- H. Arrangement of Devices: Unless otherwise indicated, mount flush, with long dimension vertical and with grounding terminal of receptacles on top. Group adjacent switches under single, multigang wall plates.
- I. Adjust locations of floor boxes and pokethroughs to suit arrangement of partitions and furnishings.

## 3.2 GFCI RECEPTACLES

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

## 3.3 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Comply with Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems."
- B. Identify each receptacle with panelboard identification and circuit number. Use hot, stamped, or engraved machine printing with black-filled lettering on face of plate, and durable wire markers or tags inside outlet boxes.

## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:

- 1. In healthcare facilities, prepare reports that comply with recommendations in NFPA 99.
- 2. Test Instruments: Use instruments that comply with UL 1436.
- 3. Test Instrument for Convenience Receptacles: Digital wiring analyzer with digital readout or illuminated digital-display indicators of measurement.
- B. Tests for Convenience Receptacles:
  - 1. Line Voltage: Acceptable range is 105 to 132 V.
  - 2. Percent Voltage Drop under 15-A Load: A value of 6 percent or higher is unacceptable.
  - 3. Ground Impedance: Values of up to 2 ohms are acceptable.
  - 4. GFCI Trip: Test for tripping values specified in UL 1436 and UL 943.
  - 5. Using the test plug, verify that the device and its outlet box are securely mounted.
  - 6. Tests shall be diagnostic, indicating damaged conductors, high resistance at the circuit breaker, poor connections, inadequate fault current path, defective devices, or similar problems. Correct circuit conditions, remove malfunctioning units and replace with new ones, and retest as specified above.
- C. Test straight-blade convenience outlets in patient-care areas for the retention force of the grounding blade according to NFPA 99. Retention force shall be not less than 4 oz. (115 g).
- D. Wiring device will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

**END OF SECTION** 

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## SECTION 262816 ENCLOSED SWITCHES AND CIRCUIT BREAKERS

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

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- NC: Normally closed.
- B. NO: Normally open.
- C. SPDT: Single pole, double throw.

## 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Seismic Performance: Enclosed switches and circuit breakers shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to ASCE/SEI 7.
  - The term "withstand" means "the unit will remain in place without separation of any parts from the device when subjected to the seismic forces specified and the unit will be fully operational after the seismic event."

## 1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of enclosed switch, circuit breaker, accessory, and component indicated. Include dimensioned elevations, sections, weights, and manufacturers' technical data on features, performance, electrical characteristics, ratings, accessories, and finishes.
  - 1. Enclosure types and details for types other than NEMA 250, Type 1.
  - Current and voltage ratings.
  - 3. Short-circuit current ratings (interrupting and withstand, as appropriate).
  - 4. Include evidence of NRTL listing for series rating of installed devices.
  - 5. Detail features, characteristics, ratings, and factory settings of individual overcurrent protective devices, accessories, and auxiliary components.

6. Include time-current coordination curves (average melt) for each type and rating of overcurrent protective device; include selectable ranges for each type of overcurrent protective device.

## 1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: For qualified testing agency.
- B. Seismic Qualification Certificates: For enclosed switches and circuit breakers, accessories, and components, from manufacturer.
  - 1. Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
  - 2. Dimensioned Outline Drawings of Equipment Unit: Identify center of gravity and locate and describe mounting and anchorage provisions.
  - 3. Detailed description of equipment anchorage devices on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
- C. Field quality-control reports.
  - 1. Test procedures used.
  - 2. Test results that comply with requirements.
  - 3. Results of failed tests and corrective action taken to achieve test results that comply with requirements.
- D. Manufacturer's field service report.

## 1.7 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For enclosed switches and circuit breakers to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals. In addition to items specified in Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data," include the following:
  - 1. Manufacturer's written instructions for testing and adjusting enclosed switches and circuit breakers.
  - 2. Time-current coordination curves (average melt) for each type and rating of overcurrent protective device; include selectable ranges for each type of overcurrent protective device.

## 1.8 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: Member company of NETA or an NRTL.
  - Testing Agency's Field Supervisor: Currently certified by NETA to supervise onsite testing.
- B. Source Limitations: Obtain enclosed switches and circuit breakers, overcurrent protective devices, components, and accessories, within same product category, from single source from single manufacturer.
- C. Product Selection for Restricted Space: Drawings indicate maximum dimensions for enclosed switches and circuit breakers, including clearances between enclosures, and adjacent surfaces and other items. Comply with indicated maximum dimensions.

- D. 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.
- E. Comply with NFPA 70.

## 1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Rate equipment for continuous operation under the following conditions unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Ambient Temperature: Not less than minus 22 deg F (minus 30 deg C) and not exceeding 104 deg F (40 deg C).
  - 2. Altitude: Not exceeding 6600 feet (2010 m).
- B. Interruption of Existing Electric Service: Do not interrupt electric service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary electric service according to requirements indicated:
  - 1. Notify Owner no fewer than 2 weeks days in advance of proposed interruption of electric service.
  - Indicate method of providing temporary electric service.
  - 3. Do not proceed with interruption of electric service without Owner's written permission.
  - 4. Comply with NFPA 70E.

## 1.10 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate layout and installation of switches, circuit breakers, and components with equipment served and adjacent surfaces. Maintain required workspace clearances and required clearances for equipment access doors and panels.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 FUSIBLE SWITCHES

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Eaton.
  - 2. General Electric Company.
  - 3. Siemens Industry, Inc.
  - 4. Square D; by Schneider Electric.
- B. Type HD, Heavy Duty, Single Throw, 240, 600-V ac, 1200 A and Smaller: UL 98 and NEMA KS 1, horsepower rated, with clips or bolt pads to accommodate indicated fuses, lockable handle with capability to accept three padlocks, and interlocked with cover in closed position.
- C. Accessories:
  - 1. Equipment Ground Kit: Internally mounted and labeled for copper and aluminum around conductors.

- 2. Neutral Kit: Internally mounted; insulated, capable of being grounded and bonded; labeled for copper and aluminum neutral conductors.
- 3. Auxiliary Contact Kit: Two NO/NC (Form "C") auxiliary contact(s), arranged to activate before switch blades open.
- 4. Class R Fuse Kit: Provides rejection of other fuse types when Class R fuses are specified.
- 5. Lugs: Mechanical type, suitable for number, size, and conductor material.
- 6. Service-Rated Switches: Labeled for use as service equipment.
- 7. Accessory Control Power Voltage: Remote mounted and powered; 120-V ac.

## 2.2 NONFUSIBLE SWITCHES

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Eaton.
  - 2. General Electric Company.
  - 3. Siemens Industry, Inc.
  - 4. Square D; by Schneider Electric.
- B. Type HD, Heavy Duty, Single Throw, 240, 600-V ac, 1200 A and Smaller: UL 98 and NEMA KS 1, horsepower rated, lockable handle with capability to accept three padlocks, and interlocked with cover in closed position.
- C. Accessories:
  - 1. Equipment Ground Kit: Internally mounted and labeled for copper and aluminum ground conductors.
  - 2. Neutral Kit: Internally mounted; insulated, capable of being grounded and bonded; labeled for copper and aluminum neutral conductors.
  - 3. Auxiliary Contact Kit: Two NO/NC (Form "C") auxiliary contact(s), arranged to activate before switch blades open.
  - 4. Lugs: Mechanical type, suitable for number, size, and conductor material.
  - 5. Accessory Control Power Voltage: Remote mounted and powered; 120-V ac.

## 2.3 MOLDED-CASE CIRCUIT BREAKERS

- A. <u>Manufacturers:</u> Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Eaton.
  - 2. General Electric Company.
  - 3. <u>Siemens Industry, Inc.</u>
  - Square D; by Schneider Electric.
- B. General Requirements: Comply with UL 489, NEMA AB 1, and NEMA AB 3, with interrupting capacity to comply with available fault currents.
- C. Thermal-Magnetic Circuit Breakers: Inverse time-current element for low-level overloads and instantaneous magnetic trip element for short circuits. Adjustable magnetic trip setting for circuit-breaker frame sizes 250 A and larger.
- D. Adjustable, Instantaneous-Trip Circuit Breakers: Magnetic trip element with front-mounted, field-adjustable trip setting.

- E. Electronic Trip Circuit Breakers: Field-replaceable rating plug, rms sensing, with the following field-adjustable settings:
  - 1. Instantaneous trip.
  - 2. Long- and short-time pickup levels.
  - 3. Long- and short-time time adjustments.
  - 4. Ground-fault pickup level, time delay, and I<sup>2</sup>t response.
- F. Current-Limiting Circuit Breakers: Frame sizes 400 A and smaller, and let-through ratings less than NEMA FU 1, RK-5.
- G. Integrally Fused Circuit Breakers: Thermal-magnetic trip element with integral limiterstyle fuse listed for use with circuit breaker and trip activation on fuse opening or on opening of fuse compartment door.
- H. Ground-Fault, Circuit-Interrupter (GFCI) Circuit Breakers: Single- and two-pole configurations with Class A ground-fault protection (6-mA trip).
- I. Ground-Fault, Equipment-Protection (GFEP) Circuit Breakers: With Class B ground-fault protection (30-mA trip).
- J. Features and Accessories:
  - 1. Standard frame sizes, trip ratings, and number of poles.
  - Lugs: Mechanical type, suitable for number, size, trip ratings, and conductor material.
  - 3. Application Listing: Appropriate for application; Type SWD for switching fluorescent lighting loads; Type HID for feeding fluorescent and high-intensity discharge lighting circuits.
  - 4. Shunt Trip: Trip coil energized from separate circuit, with coil-clearing contact.
  - 5. Undervoltage Trip: Set to operate at 35 to 75 percent of rated voltage without intentional time delay.

#### 2.4 ENCLOSURES

- A. Enclosed Switches and Circuit Breakers: NEMA AB 1, NEMA KS 1, NEMA 250, and UL 50, to comply with environmental conditions at installed location.
  - 1. Indoor, Dry and Clean Locations: NEMA 250, Type 1.
  - 2. Outdoor Locations: NEMA 250, Type 3R.
  - 3. Kitchen Wash-Down Areas: NEMA 250, Type 4X, stainless steel.
  - 4. Other Wet or Damp, Indoor Locations: NEMA 250, Type 4.
  - Imaging Rooms: Flush Mount.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine elements and surfaces to receive enclosed switches and circuit breakers for compliance with installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- Install individual wall-mounted switches and circuit breakers with tops at uniform height unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Comply with mounting and anchoring requirements specified in Section 260548.16 "Seismic Controls for Electrical Systems."
- C. Temporary Lifting Provisions: Remove temporary lifting eyes, channels, and brackets and temporary blocking of moving parts from enclosures and components.
- D. Install fuses in fusible devices.
- E. Comply with NECA 1.

## 3.3 IDENTIFICATION

- Comply with requirements in Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems."
  - 1. Identify field-installed conductors, interconnecting wiring, and components; provide warning signs.
  - 2. Label each enclosure with engraved metal or laminated-plastic nameplate.

## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
  - Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
- B. Acceptance Testing Preparation:
  - 1. Test insulation resistance for each enclosed switch and circuit breaker, component, connecting supply, feeder, and control circuit.
  - 2. Test continuity of each circuit.
- C. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Perform each visual and mechanical inspection and electrical test stated in NETA Acceptance Testing Specification. Certify compliance with test parameters.
  - 2. Correct malfunctioning units on-site, where possible, and retest to demonstrate compliance; otherwise, replace with new units and retest.
  - 3. Perform the following infrared scan tests and inspections and prepare reports:
    - a. Initial Infrared Scanning: After Substantial Completion, but not more than 60 days after Final Acceptance, perform an infrared scan of each enclosed switch and circuit breaker. Remove front panels so joints and connections are accessible to portable scanner.
    - b. Follow-up Infrared Scanning: Perform an additional follow-up infrared scan of each enclosed switch and circuit breaker 11 months after date of Substantial Completion.
    - c. Instruments and Equipment: Use an infrared scanning device designed to measure temperature or to detect significant deviations from normal values. Provide calibration record for device.
  - 4. Test and adjust controls, remote monitoring, and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.

- D. Enclosed switches and circuit breakers will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports, including a certified report that identifies enclosed switches and circuit breakers and that describes scanning results. Include notation of deficiencies detected, remedial action taken, and observations after remedial action.

## 3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust moving parts and operable components to function smoothly, and lubricate as recommended by manufacturer.
- B. Set field-adjustable circuit-breaker trip ranges as specified in Section 260573 "Overcurrent Protective Device Coordination Study."

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## **DIVISION 27 - COMMUNICATIONS**

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## **SECTION 270000**

#### COMMON GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR COMMUNICATIONS

#### **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, and other documents as designated, apply to this Document.
- B. See Division 7 and section 270100 Part 3 for additional requirements

### 1.2 **RELATED SECTIONS**

- A. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this section, and this section is directly applicable to them.
  - 1. All Division 27 Sections
  - 2. Requirements of the following Division 26 sections apply to this section
    - a. Basic electrical requirements
    - b. Basic electrical materials and methods
    - c. Grounding, earthing, and bonding
  - 3. Numbered Sections such as:
    - a. Fire stopping
    - b. Grounding
    - c. Bonding
    - d. Earthing
    - e. And other sections by other trades as listed in the appendices.
  - 4. Items such as boxes, enclosures, and other non-Division 27 shall be included and installed by the normally designated trade.
  - 5. Named sections requiring special attention by their designated trades are HVAC, including building automation and control, fire sprinkler, and plumbing.

## 1.3 **SUMMARY**

- A. The work on many processes in this section are not part of the Division 27 contract. The respective trades shall include their portions, and administration topics that are applicable to all Division 27 Sections in their proposal.
- B. This document is based upon the 2012 Construction Specification Institute (CSI) Master Format numerical and title indicators for sections within Division 27: Communications
- C. Where IT or Owner representation is stipulated in this Division, it shall be provided by the Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cabling team, and Intermountain Medical Group as applicable.

## 1.4 **SUBMITTALS**

- A. Product data shall be supplied for any equipment that does not the specified part number.
- B. Shop drawings
  - 1. Labeling schedules and layouts in owner designated electronic format
  - 2. Cabling administrative drawings

## 1.5 **CONDITIONS**

- A. Specifications, Guidelines, Details, appendices, and Tables for all Division 27 sections can be accessed on the manufacturer's web site: http://siemon.com/us/
- B. Drawings and General provisions of the contract, including Uniform General Conditions, Supplementary General Conditions, architectural plans and specifications, requirements of Division 1, electrical, mechanical, plumbing, audio visual, security and telecommunications specifications and plans apply to the communications section, and shall be considered a part of this section. The Contractor shall read all sections in their entirety and apply them as appropriate for work in this section.

#### C. Conflicts:

- 1. Drawings and specifications are to be used in conjunction with one another and to supplement one another. In general, the drawings determine the nature and quality of the installation, materials, and tests. The quantities are derived from the drawings, details, listings, and manufacturer's directions.
  - a. Final order counts and distances are the contractor's responsibility.
- 2. If there is an apparent conflict between the drawings and specifications, or between specification sections, the items with the greater quality or quantity shall be submitted, estimated, and installed.
- 3. Clarification with the Owner and/or Owner's Representative about these items shall be made prior to the ordering and installation.

## D. OWNER / CONTRACTOR

1. The facility will submit appropriate scope of work information that will allow the contractor to appropriately plan and bid the project.

#### E. CONTRACTOR

- 1. Furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment and services for the installation described herein. Provide add/deduct unit pricing for all components as part of the bid response. Base fixed price add/deduct units on an average cable length of 175 linear feet.
- 2. The Contractor shall procure and maintain for the duration of this agreement, insurance against claims.
- 3. The Contractor and its employees will respect and protect the privacy and confidentiality of the Owner, its employees, clients, patients, processes, products, project information, project documents, and intellectual property to extent necessary, consistent with the legal and policy responsibilities of the Owner. Contractors and their employees shall sign a non-disclosure confidentiality agreement and abide by the requirements to keep confidential all information as outlined above.

- 4. Use of Subcontractors: Successful bidder shall inform the Owner's contact and/or General Contractor in writing about the intention to use Subcontractors and the scope of work for which they are being hired. The Owner or Owner's designated contact must approve the chosen Subcontractors in writing prior to the Subcontractor's hiring and start of any work. The low voltage Subcontractor must be approved and certified to the satisfaction of the DCO representative. Refer to the listing in appendix 7.
- 5. The Contractor's designated project manager will be recognized as the single point of contact. The Project manager shall oversee all work performed to ensure compliance with specifications as outlined in bid documents (which includes all specifications and drawings) to ensure a quality installation.

## 1.6 **SCOPE OF WORK**:

- A. This establishes a communications infrastructure to be used as signal pathways for voice, high-speed data transmission, and other low voltage services. Contractor shall:
  - 1. Comply with all Master Specifications documents and the following requirements for a complete project installation.
  - Provide a structured cabling system as described hereafter that includes, but is not limited to, supplying, installing, labeling and testing of: fiber backbone, fiber and voice riser cable; data copper, fiber, and voice copper horizontal cabling, cable connectors, communications outlets and terminations, patch cables, and equipment racks/cabinets for networking hardware and patch panels.
  - 3. All requirements and specifications will be enforced. Cable pathways and runs to individual outlets are not shown in their entirety but shall be provided as if shown in their entirety.
  - Coordinate with electrical tradespersons to verify conduit routing does not cause cabling to exceed allowable link length.
  - 5. Follow industry standard installation procedures, including BICSI Installation Standard and guidelines as well as specified manufacturers standard recommended procedures and installation practices for communications cable to
  - 6. assure that the mechanical and electrical transmission characteristics of this cable plant and equipment are maintained.
  - 7. The Division 27 work shall be performed by an approved, certified installer.
  - 8. The low voltage communications Subcontractor shall complete non-concealed work.

## 1.7 **REFERENCE STANDARDS**:

- A. The latest published edition of a reference shall be applicable to this Project unless identified by a specific edition date.
- B. All reference amendments adopted prior to the effective date of the Contract shall be applicable to this Project.
- C. The publications listed below form a part of this specification. The publications are referred to in the text by basic designation only.
- D. Specific reference in specifications to codes, rules, regulations, standards, manufacturer's instructions, or requirements of regulatory agencies shall mean reference to the latest printed edition of each in effect at the date of contract.
- E. Codes and Standards (Most recent editions with addenda/TSB, etc.) All materials, installation and workmanship shall meet or exceed the applicable requirements and standards addressed within the references listed in **Appendix 04**.

## 1.8 **DEFINITIONS**:

A. Definitions and Abbreviations are listed in **Appendix 05**:

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 PRODUCTS AND WORK NOT included BY DIVISION 27 (NIC):

- A. Others shall separately purchase and/or provide certain equipment and miscellaneous items that will be installed during the installation process. Such items may not be indicated in the documents. Contractor shall coordinate with the Owner and his suppliers when considering:
  - 1. Provision and installation of phone systems, computer hardware, and related networking software and equipment.
  - 2. Provision and installation of multi-port routers, hubs in communications rooms.
    - a. TDR UPS by Div. 27 DCO
  - 3. Communications grounding bus bars and grounding wires connecting to the main building electrode system by Division 26.
  - 4. Dedicated power panels, ground bus bars, circuits and utility outlets.
  - 5. Installation and finishing of fire-rated plywood backboards.
  - 6. Building mechanical ductwork, cooling/heating system, and environmental control sensors.
  - 7. Communication pathway devices such as, conduits, conduit sleeves, back boxes, and penetrations in walls and floors. Including, but not limited to concealed work, office spaces and open areas.
  - 8. Provision and installation of modular furniture and millwork.

## **PART 3 - PENETRATIONS**

- 3.1 The work in this section is in the Division 7 contract; and verified complete at project turnover.
  - A. Wall Penetrations Fire Smoke Sound
    - 1. All fire, smoke, and sound wall penetrations must be correctly made to protect the safety of patients and employees. A facility is designed/architected and built with fire integrity that must not be lost as the building is modified over its lifetime.
    - 2. The items listed often penetrate 1 and 2 hour fire-resistance-rated (FRR) assemblies. General requirements for filling the space between the item in question and the wall are found in NFPC 101® Section 8.2.3.2.4.2. There is the option to either fill the space with appropriately rated fire-stop material or protect the space with an approved device designed to maintain the fire resistance of the wall.
    - 3. If a sleeve is used around the item that transverses the wall, the sleeve must be installed into the wall without any opening between the sleeve and the wall. The open space within the sleeve must then be filled with appropriately rated fire stop.
  - B. All items listed in 1 through 2 must have penetrations in fire-resistance-rated assemblies filled to maintain the integrity of the fire barrier.
    - 1. Conduits
      - a. When conduit passes through a wall that is either rated or must be fire-stopped due to lack of sprinklers in the compartment, it is essential to fill any gap around the conduit as described above.
    - 2. Cables/Wires
      - a. Sometimes cables or wires are passed through a penetration contained in a fire wall as a single installation. This often happens in a health care organization with communication cables. Even in these cases, the penetration must be patched appropriately.
    - 3. NOTE: Fire, smoke, and sound wall penetrations are also governed by local and state building codes.
    - 4. NOTE: This requirement applies to any and all departments, organizations, employees, and/or vendors who perform structured cable work in the facilities for:

- 5. Telephony and Computer networks, fire, smoke, and sound wall penetrations, alarm systems, security systems, HVAC Control or sensors, patient entertainment systems, announcing systems, nurse call, telemetry, RFID, etc.
- 6. NOTE: While this document is written specifically for low voltage wiring, the JCAHO standards apply for any fire or smoke wall penetration. As you perform work in the facility, if you note any existing penetrations that are not up to standard, please notify the construction Project Manager immediately.
- 7. While Facility Engineering has the overall responsibility, each department, organization, employee, and/or vendor has the responsibility to follow the process in obtaining a permit from facility engineering before work is started and to follow the guidelines to maintain the fire/smoke wall integrity.

## C. Process:

- 1. NOTE: This process applies to any person, group, and/or vendor who perform low voltage cable installations at any Intermountain facility or clinic.
  - a. Fire/Smoke Walls
    - Any Vendor, department, and/or person needing to do any cable work that involves wall penetrations, adding to existing or new, are required to obtain a "Low Voltage Cable Work Permit" from Facility Engineer.
  - b. Above Ceiling Work
    - 2) Any Vendor, department, and/or person needing to do any cable work above the ceiling tiles, adding to existing or new, are required to obtain a "Low Voltage Cable Work Permit" from Facility Engineering.

#### 2. Permit

- a. The permit requires detail information as to what work is being done, where the work will be done. The permit will also state the current approved sealing compound for the facility and specific requirements for conduits etc.
- b. There may also be specific rules regarding how work may be conducted areas of the hospital.
  - NOTE: Different manufacturer's sealing products can NOT be used in the same penetration. Therefore, if an additional cable is added to an existing penetration, and you don't have the same brand of caulk, you must remove all the caulk, and re-do the seal completely.

### 3. Quality of Work

- Only the ceiling tiles to be removed are where the work is being worked done.
  Only two or three tiles can be removed at a time. New or existing damage to the ceiling tiles, support, or grid will be reported to Facility Engineering.
- b. Cables must be properly suspended and not left lying on the ceiling tiles or grid. Facility Engineering will provide guidance on how cables should be supported and the support structure available for use.
- c. Old cable must be completely removed where possible.
  - 1) Old unused cable adds weight to the suspension system and difficulty identifying specific cable runs.
- d. A work area cannot be left unattended with tools, ladders, or ceiling tiles being removed. This is for the safety of the patients and families with little children.
- e. The low voltage permit is a large Red tag that is to be tied to the ladder the vendor / person will be using. The tag is visible enough that anyone walking by can see the tag and know that the work has been approved by engineering to be done. If the tag is not present employees are to notify engineering that unauthorized work is being done.
- f. Equipment, ladders, supplies, cable, etc. will NOT be placed near self-closing fire doors in a way that will interfere with the normal operation of the doors in the event of a fire.
- g. Closets TDR's, TEC's, similar, and datacenters will be treated with the same respect as public areas in the facility. Trash, extra wire, wire ends, zip tie pieces,

- packing material, metal filings, and sheetrock dust must be removed from the data closets and datacenter areas.
- h. Facility Management or the prime contractor will inspect the penetration and remove the tag upon successful inspection.
  - NOTE: In addition to complying with the fire/smoke wall standards, all computing cabling will comply with the Division 27 standards outlined else ware in this document.

#### 3.2 MEASUREMENT PROCEDURES:

#### A. The Contractor shall

- 1. Coordinate supports, adjacent construction, and fixture locations to ensure actual dimensions correspond to established dimensions.
- 2. Verify dimensions in areas of installation by field measurements before fabrication and indicate measurements and scale on shop drawings.
- 3. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the work.
- 4. Where field measurements cannot be made without delaying the work, establish dimensions and coordinate with the General Contractor.
- 5. When approved, proceed with fabricating units without field measurements.

## 3.3 **CHANGES**

## A. ALTERNATES:

- 1. If an alternate material is proposed that is equal to or exceeds specified requirements, Contractor shall provide manufacturers' specifications in writing for Owner approval prior to purchase and installation.
- 2. Substitutions of material by the Contractor shall be in writing complete with written manufacturers' specifications. The material substituted shall not void, alter or change manufacturers' structured cabling system warranty.
- Contractor shall:
  - a. Provide a complete cabling infrastructure according to these written specifications and drawings. If the Owner changes the scope of work to be performed by the Contractor, it shall be in writing.
  - b. Promptly respond to these changes with a complete material list, including pricing, labor, and taxes in writing presented to the Owner for approval. Also include unit pricing.
  - c. Not proceed with any additional scope of work without a signed approval by the
- 4. Owner will not pay for additional work performed by the Contractor without signed approval of these changes. Contractor will submit a copy of signed change order upon billing.
- 5. The Owner's Infrastructure Cable team will be the final judge of acceptability, with review by Owner's Representative and the distribution of the acceptance by the Architect. No substitute shall be ordered, installed or utilized without the Architect's prior written verification of acceptance from the Owner's Infrastructure Cable team.

## B. SUBSTITUTION PROCEDURES

- 1. Substitution may be considered when a product becomes unavailable through no fault of the Contractor.
- 2. Document each request with complete data substantiating compliance of proposed substitution with Contract Documents. Include in each request for substitution:
  - a. Product identification, manufacturer's name and address.
  - b. Product Data: Description, performance and test data, reference standards, finishes and colors.
  - c. Samples: Finishes

- d. Complete and accurate drawings indicating construction revisions required (if any) to accommodate substitutions.
- e. Data relating to changes required in construction schedule.
- f. Cost comparison between specified and proposed substitution.
- 3. Substitutions will not be considered when they are indicated or implied on shop drawing or product data submittals, without separate written request, or when acceptance will require revision to the Contract Documents.
- 4. The Owner will be the final judge of acceptability, with review by Owner's Representative and the distribution of the acceptance by the Architect. No substitute shall be ordered, installed or utilized without the Architect's prior written verification of acceptance from the Owner's Infrastructure Cable team.

## **PART 4 - EXECUTION**

## 4.1 **QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- A. Regulatory Requirements:
  - 1. Contractor shall supply all city, county, and state telecommunication cabling permits required by appropriate governing agency.
  - 2. Prior to commencing work, the Contractor and staff shall secure all required Intermountain Healthcare permits including, but not limited to; facility sign in, ceiling work permits, hot work permits, and confined space permits.
  - 3. Contractor shall be city, county, and state-licensed and/or bonded as required for communications/low voltage cabling systems work.

#### B. Certifications:

- 1. Contractor shall submit an up-to-date and valid certification verifying qualifications of the Contractor and installers to perform the work specified herein at time of bid submission.
- 2. Contractor shall have a complete working knowledge of low voltage cabling applications such as, but not limited to data, voice and video network systems.
- 3. Contracting firm shall have installed similar-sized systems in at least ten (10) other projects in the last five years prior to this bid and be regularly engaged in the business of installation of the types of systems specified in this document. Certification shall include, but not be limited to, items such as name and location of project contacts and numbers, total square footage, total number of cables/drops, types of media, etc.
- 4. Contractor shall provide certificates for the appropriate insurance coverage as defined in contract documents.
- 5. All installer personnel that will be assigned to this project shall be listed in a qualification document. 50% of the personnel working on the job site shall have a minimum of 3 years' experience in the installation of the types of systems, equipment, and cables specified in this document. Any personnel substitutions shall be noted in writing to Owner's Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cabling representative prior to commencement of work.
- 6. BICSI ITS Cabling Installation Program Installer Level 1 or 2 or Technician certifications may be substituted in lieu of the 3-year requirement. All cabling installers shall be trained and certified by the cable manufacturer for communication cabling installations and maintenance of said materials.
- 7. Refer also to General Conditions.
- C. Administrative Requirements and Coordination:

- 1. The Contractor shall:
  - a. Provide a specified contact person (name and contact number) for coordination to attend project meetings with the communication consultant, the Owner and others.
  - b. Coordinate work of this section with Owner's system specifications, workstations, equipment suppliers, and installers.
  - c. Coordinate installation work with other crafts (examples include ceiling grid contractors, HVAC and sheet metal contractors, etc.) under the direction of the General Contractor to resolve procedures and installation placement for cable trays and cable bundle pathways. The goal of this coordination will
  - d. be to establish priority pathways for critical data/voice network cable infrastructure, materials, associated hardware, as well as mitigate delays to the project and to allow service access for communications and HVAC components. Damage by Contractor to the craftwork of others will be remedied at the Contractor's expense in a timely manner.
  - e. Exchange information and agree on details of equipment arrangements and installation interfaces. Record agreements reached in meetings and distribute record to other participants, Owner and communication consultant.
  - f. Arrangement, layout, and locations of distribution frames, patch panels, and cross-connect blocks in equipment rooms and racks to accommodate and optimize arrangement and space requirements of any service provider equipment, telephone system, and LAN equipment as directed by Data Center Operations. Tasks shall be coordinated with the Owner's Data Center Operations team, and other trades' installation representatives.
  - g. Where installed, confirm exact locations and method of mounting outlets in modular furniture. Follow furniture manufacturers' written instructions for installing cable and devices in modular partitions. Obtain modular furniture and power pole locations from the General Contractor. Wiring locations noted in plans along walls for modular furniture are approximate and will have to be determined by Contractor at time of installation. Field condition adjustments for installation may have to be made and coordination efforts with the mechanical and electrical contractor for pathway must take place early in the project to comply with maximum 40% conduit fill factor requirements.
  - h. When requested by Owner or Owner's representative, furnish extra materials that match specified products and that are factory packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents. Unit pricing shall apply.

#### D. Contract Administration:

- 1. Change orders shall be submitted to the Owner/Project Manager complete with price breakdown and description for approval before any work is done.
- 2. Owner's Data Center Operations Representative will provide job field reports upon inspection of Contractor's installation, materials, supporting hardware, coordination with other trades and progress to schedule to the Owner's project manager.
- 3. Job Field Report outline:

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- b. General installation progress in relation to scheduled work made by the Contractor up to that date.
- c. All deficiencies noted in the cable installation to be corrected by the Contractor.
- E. Pre-Installation Meetings Contractor shall:
  - 1. Attend and/or arrange a scheduled pre-installation conference prior to beginning any work of this section.
    - a. Agenda: This venue is to ask and clarify questions in writing related to work to be performed, scheduling, coordination, etc. with consultant and/or project manager/and Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cabling representative.
    - b. Attendance: Communications project manager/supervisor shall attend meetings arranged by General Contractor, Owner's Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cabling representatives, and other parties affected by work of this document.

c. All individuals who will be installers of communication cables and equipment in an on-site supervisory capacity shall be required to attend the pre-installation conference. Individuals who do not attend the conference will not be permitted to supervise the installation of, or install, terminate, or test communications cables on the project. This includes supervisors, project managers, and lead installers of this project.

## F. Request for Change (RFC)

- 1. A Request for Change shall be opened and approved by the Change Approval Board prior to any modifications, attachments, or other activities that may affect production systems.
  - a. Policy and details available through the Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cable Representative.

## G. Post-Installation Meetings:

- 1. At the time of substantial completion, or shortly thereafter, the low voltage Sub-Contractor shall call and arrange for a post-installation meeting to present and review all submittal documents to include, but not limited to as-built drawings, test reports, warranty documentation, etc. Attendees shall be Owner staff, Owner's Representative, General Contractor, and others that the General Contractor deems appropriate.
- 2. At this meeting the Contractor shall present and explain all documentation, including test results, and ask for feedback on its completeness. Any discrepancies or deviations noted by and agreed to by participants shall be remedied by Contractor and resubmitted within one week of meeting.

## 4.2 **DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING:**

- A. Coordination with delivery companies, drivers, site address, and contact person(s) will be the responsibility of the Contractor.
- B. Contractor Shall:
  - 1. Be responsible for prompt material deliveries to meet contracted completion date.
  - 2. Coordinate deliveries and submittals with the General Contractor to ensure a timely installation.
  - 3. No equipment materials shall be delivered to the job site more than three weeks prior to the commencement of its installation.
  - 4. Equipment shall be delivered in original packages with labels intact and identification clearly marked.
  - 5. Materials shall not be damaged in any way and shall comply with manufacturer's operating specifications.
  - 6. Equipment and components shall be protected from the weather, humidity, temperature variations, dirt, dust, or other contaminants. Equipment damaged prior to system acceptance shall be replaced at no cost to the Owner.
  - 7. Material Contractor shall be responsible for all handling and control of equipment. Material Contractor is liable for any material loss due to delivery and storage problems.
- C. Owner/General Contractor shall supply a list of security requirements for Contractor to follow.

## 4.3 **PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS**

- A. For all environmental recommendations, refer to master Architectural section.
- B. For all security recommendations, refer to related Division 01.
- C. After completing system installation, including outlet fittings and devices, inspect exposed finish. Contractor will remove burrs, dirt, and construction debris. If applicable, the Contractor will repair damaged finishes, including chips, scratches, and abrasions.
- D. Contractor shall provide daily a clean work environment, free from trash/rubbish accumulated during and after cabling installation.
- E. Food and drink are not permitted in work areas. They shall be stored, prepared, and consumed only in designated break or cafeteria areas.

F. Contractor shall keep all liquids (drinks, sodas, etc.) off finished floors, carpets, and tiles. If any liquid or other detriment (cuts, soils, stains, etc.) damages the above finishes, Contractor shall provide professional services to clean or repair scratched/soiled finishes, at Contractor's expense.

#### 4.4 **CLEANING**

- A. Work areas will be kept in a broom clean condition throughout the duration of the installation process.
- B. Remove all unnecessary tools and equipment, unused materials, packing materials, and debris from each area where work has been performed daily, unless designated for storage.
- C. The Contractor will damp clean all surfaces prior to final acceptance by Owner.

#### **OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS**

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

#### A. INTRODUCTION

1. The layer 1 committee working with the communications subcommittee is providing this document as a guideline that has been approved by the enterprise architecture review board (EARB). To make the approval of such a large topic possible, the subcommittee broke the structured cable topic into its sub components and each subcomponent was completed, reviewed, and approved in turn. The result is this comprehensive guideline that should provide adequate guidance on this topic.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCT**

#### 2.1 KEY POINTS

- A. Category 6A shielded foil over unshielded twisted pair (F/UTP) is the only approved standard for cabling.
  - 1. Specifically, Siemon category CAT6A F/UTP (foil over unshielded twisted pair) cable and associated patch panels, wall plates and jacks; for data centers, and all clinical and hospital campus'.
  - 2. Only Siemon certified contractors or certified Intermountain Healthcare facility staff will install structured cable at Intermountain Healthcare facilities.

### 2.2 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- A. CAT6A F/UTP provides more head-room over CAT5e. Specifically, 500Mhz bandwidth vs 100Mhz bandwidth.
- B. CAT6A F/UTP provides superior cross-talk and external noise immunity, with CAT6A F/UTP providing better immunity to external noise.
- C. CAT6A F/UTP provides additional application of 10gig throughput at 100 meters.
- D. CAT6A F/UTP provides substantial "future proofing" by cost when compared with fiber or the proposed CAT7a shielded cable.
- E. CAT6A F/UTP reduces POE losses due to reduced Voltage drop
- F. CAT6A F/UTP provides improved heat dissipation for POE routes.
- G. CAT6A F/UTP utilizes the RJ-45 footprint, thus making it backward compatible.

#### 2.3 IMPLEMENTATION

A. This guide is to be used for New Construction and Remodels. These standards will be implemented over time in existing cabling environments as rework is performed.

- B. If there is a current need to connect servers at 10GBaseT and the <u>only</u> option was copper, CAT6A F/UTP is recommended. New Server connections shall be a minimum OM4.
- C. Installations already in place are not required to remove or replace existing cabling CAT5e or newer. All new cabling shall follow the recommendation to use CAT6A F/UTP cabling.

## 2.4 STANDARD PRODUCT

- A. The Approved cable type for horizontal cabling is dependent on the type, location and port requirements of the Work Area.
  - The Approved Standard Manufacturer for Intermountain's horizontal cabling is: Siemon Company USA 101 Siemon Company Drive Watertown. CT 06795
  - 2. Approved Suppliers of Siemon cable, patch panels, jacks, and parts are listed in Appendix 06:

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 HORIZONTAL CABLING

- A. The Horizontal Subsystem is the portion of the communications cabling system that extends from the work area communications outlet/connector to the Floor Distributor (FD)/Horizontal Cross-connect (HC) in the communications room (TDR). It consists of the communications outlet/connector, the horizontal cable, optional consolidation point, and that portion of the cross-connect in the telecommunications room serving the horizontal cable. Each floor of a building should be served by its own Floor Distributor/Horizontal (FD/HC) Subsystem located in the Communications Room. (TDR)
  - NOTE: Cable installers have rigorous requirements to be certified for Siemon cables and products. Validation of certification is required prior to accepting a bid.
  - Current Siemon Approved/Certified Cable Installers for Siemon Network are listed in Appendix 07.
- B. Reliability of the horizontal cabling system is critical to the operation of IS equipment throughout a facility. Installing the cable is extremely labor intensive and there are several learned skills used to correctly install the cable. Cable installers are certified, and installers must demonstrate the ability to install the cable correctly to be certified. If the cable is installed by a certified installer and is installed in accordance with the manufactures guidelines, the manufacturer will warranty the cable installation.

C. The manufacturer also requires the cables to be individually labeled and 100%

tested and certified. Cable testing and certification equipment is usually expensive and is not commonly available at the facility or many telecom installers. Certified Installer companies are required by the manufacturer to be knowledgeable in the use of "Qualified" Field Testing equipment and provide test results for warranty registration. Contractor is to verify with the manufacturer the current "Qualified" tester manufacturers and the current operating software. Contractors will provide test results in the operating software format (not PDF, text or Word) to Intermountain Healthcare upon completion.

D. Much of the cable is installed in walls and in the ceiling and usually lasts the lifespan of the building. As with most technology, the lifespan of cable is its usability and applicability to its use on future computing technology.

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### **WARRANTY PRODUCT AND SYSTEMS**

### 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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 **STANDARD WARRANTY**

- A. Upon Completion of the project, the Siemon Registration form along with all test results, copper and fiber must be submitted to the Siemon Company for approval. After approval by the Siemon Company, Intermountain Healthcare must receive the Full Warranty Documentation from The Siemon Company before final retention funds are released to the General Contractor, Electrical Contractor and the Certified Installer Subcontractor.
- B. Contractor shall provide a minimum one (1) year warranty on installation and workmanship PLUS an Extended Product Warranty and System Assurance Warranty for this wiring system and shall commit to make available local support for the product and system during the Warranty period.
- C. System Certification: Upon successful completion of the installation and subsequent inspection, the customer shall be provided with a numbered certificate, from the manufacturer, registering the installation.
- D. Either a permanent link or channel model configuration may be applied to the horizontal and/or backbone sub-systems of the structured cabling system. Applications assurance is only applied to a channel model configuration. All channels are to be qualified for linear transmission performance up to 500 MHz to ensure that high-frequency voltage phase and magnitude contributions do not prove cumulative or adversely affect channel performance.

## 2.2 EXTENDED WARRANTY

A. The manufacturer of passive telecommunications equipment used in a manner not associated with the Systems Warranty must have a minimum five (5) year Component Warranty on all its product. The Products Warranty covers the components against defects in material or workmanship under normal and proper use.

- 1. Special Project Warranty: A full end-to-end written warranty mutually executed by manufacturer and the principal Installer, agreeing to replace and install voice/data distribution system components that fail in materials or workmanship, or do not meet manufacturer's official published specifications and performance criteria within the special Project warranty period specified below. This shall cover applications assurance, cable, and connecting hardware including both labor and materials. This warranty shall be in addition to, and not a limitation of, other rights and remedies the Owner may have against the Contractor under the Contract Documents
- B. A twenty (20) year warranty available for the Category 6A Z-MAX copper structured cabling system shall be provided for an end-to-end channel model installation which covers applications assurance, cable, connecting hardware and the labor cost for the repair or replacement thereof. If a fiber warranty is requested/required it will be an XGLO twenty (20) year warranty, which is based on using 50/125μm, laser optimized multi-mode fiber as minimum.
  - 1. Performance claims based on worst case testing and channel configurations
  - 2. Special Project Warranty Period: 20 years minimum, beginning on the date of Substantial Completion.
  - 3. Siemon Certified Warranty Requirements:
    - a. The Siemon Pre-Registration form must be filled out and sent to Siemon before work is to begin. IHC must also have the Pre-Registration Letter from The Siemon Company before work is to begin.
    - b. Upon Completion of the project, Intermountain Healthcare must receive the Full Warranty Documentation from The Siemon Company before final retention funds are released to the general contractor, electrical contractor and structured cabling subcontractor if applicable.

### 2.3 MAINTENANCE

- A. Support Availability: The Contractor shall commit to make available local support for the product and system during the Warranty or Extended Warranty period.
- B. Many Intermountain Healthcare facilities operate 24/7/365.

#### FIELD TESTING AND REPORTING

## **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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.

#### 1.2 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Owner reserves the right to be present during any or all testing.
- B. The objective of this project is to provide a complete communications cabling infrastructure system installation including, but not limited to: fiber backbone, riser system, horizontal data and voice cabling with associated terminations, mounting equipment, cable pathway and management systems, testing and other items/materials, as specified in drawings, these specifications, and contract documents.
- C. The Contractor's BICSI Registered Communications Distribution Designer (RCDD) supervisor shall review, approve and stamp all documents prior to submitting. The Contractor's RCDD shall warrant in writing that 100% of the installation meets the requirements specified herein upon completion of all work.
- D. Product Certificates shall be signed by manufacturers of cables, connectors, and terminal equipment certifying that products furnished comply with requirements.
- E. Contractor shall submit the required Field Test Reports in the format and media specified, upon completion of testing the installed system.
- F. Contractor shall deliver manufacturer's signed long-term Warranty of installed cabling system to include all components that comprise the complete cabling system. Delivery to be affected within two weeks of the time of final punch list review. Failure of any component to pass system component tests shall be promptly corrected, repaired or replaced to meet standards compliance. Contractor shall coordinate with manufacturer for warranty paperwork and procedures prior to the start of the project.

## 1.3 PREFERRED OWNER INSPECTION & TEST CHECKPOINTS

- A. DCO & ICT Inspection Milestones & Responsibilities need to be coordinated into master project plan to allow the GC to make timely arrangements. All are per floor and/or phase.
  - 1. ICT & DCO = Framing, during and/or after boxes & conduits are in place; prior to sheetrock.
  - 2. ICT = When cable basket is starting to be installed
  - 3. ICT = When cable basket is ready, but prior to starting to pull cable
  - 4. ICT & DCO = When TDR's are ready for racks and ladders

- 5. When TDR environmental requirements are ready, room is dust free, and securable.
  - a. TDR's should be high on the build list to allow sufficient time to complete
- 6. DCO = When anchoring racks and laying out equipment
- 7. ICT = When trim and testing are in progress
- 8. For mechanical systems punch list walks.
- 9. OTHERS
  - a. Depending on project, the manufacturer will inspect 1 or 2 times.
  - b. DCO or ICT = When problems or questions arise.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 SITE TESTS & INSPECTIONS

- A. Prior to pulling cable, the cabling contractor shall schedule an inspection of the pathways with a member of the Data Center Operations Infrastructure cabling team.
- B. Upon completion of the communications infrastructure systems, including all pathways and grounding, the Contractor shall test the system.
  - 1. Cables and termination modules shall be affixed, mounted or installed to the designed/specified permanent location prior to testing.
  - 2. Any removal and reinstallation of any component in a circuit, including faceplates, shall require retesting of that circuit and any other disturbed or affected circuits.
  - 3. Cable/jack shall be affixed, mounted or installed to the designed/specified permanent location prior to testing. Any removal and reinstallation of any component in the circuit shall require retesting of that circuit.
  - 4. Approved instruments, apparatus, services, and qualified personnel shall be utilized.
  - 5. If tests fail, Contractor shall correct as required to produce a legitimate passing test.
  - 6. Manipulation of tester parameters on a failing test in order to achieve a passing test is unacceptable.
- C. These specifications will be strictly enforced. The Contractor must verify that the requirements of the specifications are fully met through testing with an approved tester (rated for testing the cable type in use), and documentation as specified below. This includes confirmation of requirements by demonstration, testing and inspection. Demonstration shall be provided at final walk-through in soft copy and printed test data.
- D. Notification of the likelihood of a cable exceeding standardized lengths must be made prior to installation of the cable. Without contractor's prior written notice and written approval by the Owner, testing that shows some or all pairs of cable not meeting specifications, shall be replaced at Contractor's expense (including respective connectors).
- E. With the Owner's written approval, the over-length cable(s) shall be excluded from requirements to pass standardized tests and shall be explicitly identified.

F. Testing is still required for non-compliant cabling. The tests shall be for wire-mapping, opens, cable-pair shorts, and shorts-to-ground. The test results must be within acceptable tolerances and shall be submitted with the Owner's acceptance document.

#### 2.2 CABLE TESTING PLAN

- A. The Contractor shall:
  - Provide a complete and detailed test plan for approval of the cabling system specified herein, including a complete list of test equipment for copper and fiber optic components and accessories prior to beginning cable testing. The following minimal items shall be submitted for review:
    - a. All testing methods that clearly describes procedures and methods.
    - b. Product data for test equipment
    - c. Certifications and qualifications of all persons conducting the testing.
    - d. Calibration certificates indicating that equipment calibration meets National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) standards and has been calibrated at least once in the previous year of the testing date.
    - e. Examples of test reports, including all graphs, tables, and charts necessary for display of testing results.
  - 2. Include validation, and testing. Owner will require that the telecommunications cabling system installed by the Contractor be fully certified to meet all necessary requirements to be compliant with referenced IEEE and TIA specifications and vendor's warranty.
  - 3. Will determine the source/cause of test failure readings and correct malfunctioning component and/or workmanship within each channel or permanent link and retest to demonstrate compliance until corrected failure produces a passing result.

## 2.3 CABLE TESTING REPORTS

- A. The Contractor shall submit cable test reports as follows:
  - 1. Submit certified test reports of Contractor-performed tests.
    - a. The tests shall clearly demonstrate that the media and its components fully comply with the requirements specified herein.
    - b. Three (3) set(s) of electronic and hardcopy versions of test reports shall be submitted together and clearly identified with cable identification.
    - c. Cable inventory data shall be submitted for all fiber, copper, and coaxial cabling and termination equipment. Submit data electronically on CD-ROM or Flash Drive, listing products furnished, including:
      - a) Manufacturer's name.
      - b) Manufacturer's part numbers.
      - c) Cable numbers.
      - d) Location and riser assignments.
      - e) Product Data:
  - 2. Equipment and materials shall be standard products of a manufacturer regularly engaged in the manufacture of telecommunications cabling.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 TEST EQUIPMENT

- A. All transmission testing of balanced twisted-pair cables shall be performed with an approved Level III balance twisted pair tester found on the Siemon Ally Website. The latest version of software shall be installed prior to performing testing. Refer to the Siemon Warranty Documents for proper testing requirements of associated cable and components.
- B. All balanced twisted-pair field testers shall be factory calibrated each calendar year by the field test equipment manufacturer as stipulated by the manuals provided with the field test unit. The calibration certificate shall be provided for review prior to the start of testing
- C. Auto test settings provided in the field tester for testing the installed cabling shall be set to the default parameters
- D. Test settings selected from options provided in the field testers shall be compatible with the installed cable under test.

## 3.2 TEST METHOD / CRITERIA

## A. Copper Testing

- 1. Testing of all newly installed cable channels shall be performed prior to system cutover.
  - a. Visually inspect F/UTP and optical fiber cable jacket materials for NRTL certification markings. Inspect cabling terminations in communications equipment rooms for compliance with color-coding for pin assignments and inspect cabling connections for compliance with TIA/EIA-568-C.1.
  - b. Visually confirm Category 6A marking of outlets, cover plates, outlet/connectors, and patch panels.
  - c. Visually inspect cable placement, cable termination, grounding and bonding, equipment and patch cords, and labeling of all components.
  - d. Test F/UTP copper cabling for DC loop resistance, shorts, opens, intermittent faults, and polarity between conductors. Test operation of shorting bars in connection blocks. Test cables after termination but not cross-connection.
  - e. Test instruments shall meet or exceed applicable requirements in TIA/EIA-568-C, and those required by manufacturer to validate and start warranty.
- 2. Copper Testing All 500 MHz category 6A field-testing shall be performed with an approved level 111e balanced twisted-pair field test device, that complies with performance requirements in "Test Instruments (Normative)" Annex, complying with measurement accuracy specified in "Measurement Accuracy (Informative)" Annex (Level IIe or IIIe balanced twisted pair field test device). Use only test cords and adapters that are qualified by test equipment manufacturer for channel or link test configuration.
- 3. All installed 500 MHz category 6A channels shall perform equal to or better than the minimum requirements as specified below:

- a. Category 3, balanced twisted-pair backbone cables, whose length does not exceed 90 m (295 ft) for the permanent link, and 100 m (328 ft) for the channel shall be 100 percent tested according to ANSI/TIA/EIA-568-C.1. Test parameters include wire map plus F/UTP (ScTP) shield continuity (when present), insertion loss, length and NEXT loss (pair-to-pair). NEXT testing shall be done in both directions.
- b. All balanced twisted-pair backbone cables exceeding 90 m (295 ft) or 100 m (328 ft) shall be 100% tested for continuity if applications assurance is not required.
- c. 500 MHZ Category 6A balanced twisted-pair horizontal and backbone cables,
- d. whose length does not exceed 90 M (295 FT) for the permanent link, and 100 M (328 FT) for the channel shall be 100 percent tested.

## 4. F/UTP Performance Tests

- a. Wire map.
- b. Length (physical vs. electrical, and length requirements).
- c. Insertion loss.
- d. Near-end crosstalk (NEXT) loss.
- e. Power sum near-end crosstalk (PSNEXT) loss.
- f. Equal-level far-end crosstalk (ELFEXT).
- g. Power sum equal-level far-end crosstalk (PSELFEXT).
- h. Return loss.
- i. Propagation delay.
- j. Delay skew.
- k. F/UTP Shield continuity.
- 5. Final Verification Tests: Perform verification tests for F/UTP systems after the complete communications cabling and workstation outlet/connectors are installed.
- 6. Document data for each measurement. Data for submittals shall be printed in a summary report that is formatted similar to Table 10.1 in BICSI TDMM, or transferred from the instrument to the computer, saved as text files, and printed and submitted.
- 7. End-to-end cabling will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- 8. Prepare and submit test and inspection reports.

## B. Horizontal Fiber Testing

- 1. Fiber horizontal cables shall be 100% tested for insertion loss and length.
- Insertion loss shall be tested at 850 nm or 1300 nm for 50/125μm and 62.5/125μm multimode cabling in at least one direction using the Method B (1jumper) test procedure as specified in ANSI/TIA/EIA-526-14A.
- 3. Length shall be tested using an OTDR, optical length test measurement device or sequential cable measurement markings.
- 4. The horizontal link performance guarantees are based on an optical fiber calculation for the appropriate fiber solution. Optical fiber calculations shall be determined using the Siemon Fiber Loss Calculator found on the Siemon Ally Website.

## C. Backbone Fiber Testing

1. Fiber backbone cables shall be 100% tested for insertion loss and length.

- 2. Insertion loss shall be tested at both 850 nm and 1300 nm for 50/125μm and 62.5/125μm multimode cabling and both1310 nm and 1550 nm for 8.5/125μm single mode cabling and in at least one direction using the Method B (1-jumper) test procedure as specified in ANSI/TIA/EIA-526-14A.
- Insertion loss shall be tested at 1310 and 1550 for single-mode cabling in at least one direction using the Method A.1 (1-jumper) test procedure as specified in ANSI/TIA/EIA-526-7.
- 4. Length shall be tested using an OTDR, optical length test measurement device or sequential cable measurement markings.
- 5. The backbone link performance guarantees are based on an optical fiber calculation for the appropriate fiber solution. Optical fiber calculations for any fiber cable greater than 90m (295 ft.) shall be determined using the Siemon Fiber Loss Calculator found on the Siemon Ally Website.

## 3.3 DEMONSTRATION

A. Include training for appropriate IT staff in numbering system and documentation system methods and record keeping.

## SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA & SAMPLES

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

# 1.1 SUBMITTALS

#### A. The Contractor:

- 1. Shall not perform any portion of the work requiring submittal and review of shop drawings, product data, or samples until Owner has approved the respective submittal. Such work shall be in accordance with approved submittals.
  - a. Shop drawings as required by the owner or as a minimum to include a minimum of two sets of a plan view and elevations of all work to be installed. The Contractor shall make any corrections required by the owner or the owner's representative or consultant team, file with him two corrected copies and furnish such other copies as may be needed. The consultant's approval of such drawings or schedules shall not relieve the Contractor from responsibility for deviations from drawings or specifications, unless he has in writing called the Architect's attention to such deviations at the time of submission, nor shall it relieve him from responsibility for errors of any sort in shop drawings or schedules.
- 2. Shall not perform any portion of the work requiring approval of the System Assurance Warranty manufacturer's warranty registration qualification procedures that would disqualify any part or all of the wiring system from that warranty qualification.
- B. The Contractor shall provide a copy of the Certified Test Data Sheet, available from the delivering distribution warehouse for either a full run or cut piece from the Master Reel of the fiber cable to be installed
  - The Certified Test Data Sheet shall include the Master Reel number, cable description, a
    passing test result with details, test equipment description, date certified, and a certificate
    of compliance stamp, and shall be included in the O&M Manual as a component of the
    final deliverables submittal package.
- C. The Contractor shall provide the appropriate documentation from the certifying manufacturer showing the project is registered and qualified for the System Assurance Warranty. All subsequent work shall be in accordance with approved submittals.

## 1.2 DRAWINGS

# A. Shop Drawings

- 1. The Contractor shall:
  - a. Submit catalogue cut-sheets that include manufacturer, trade name, and complete model number for each product specified. Model number shall be handwritten, marked with an arrow or underlined to indicate exact selection.
  - b. Identify applicable specification section reference for each product performance for each component specified for approval prior to purchase and installation.
  - c. Submit for approval diagrams showing room layouts, rack layouts (including elevations), riser layouts, etc.

## B. Record Drawings

- Drawings for the cabling system infrastructure elements shall be maintained and kept on file by the Siemon Certified Installer (Company) for the entire term of the warranty. Drawings shall include:
  - a. Horizontal cable routing and terminations
  - b. Telecommunications outlets/connectors
  - c. Backbone cable routing and terminations
  - d. Telecommunication Spaces (TS)
- C. Samples

- For workstation outlet connectors, jack assemblies, housings and faceplates for color selection and evaluation of technical specifications and requirements. Confirm with Architect, interior designer, and Owner representative for color before purchasing materials. Face plates shall match electrical face plates in color and material type.
- 2. Upon request, provide samples for workstation outlets, jacks, jack assemblies, in specified finish, one for each size and outlet configuration
- 3. Sample mock-up rooms may be required in some areas to ensure proper equipment placement and fit.

#### D. Qualifications:

1. The Contractor shall provide the appropriate documentation to comply with the requirements set forth in Section 014323 Qualifications, included with, and at the time of, bid submittal.

## PART 2 - SUSTAINABLE DESIGN RECORDS AND REPORTS

#### 2.1 DRAWINGS

- A. Closeout Submittals (As-built Drawings):
  - 1. Communications Design drawings are to be supplied to the Architect to prepare the master "As-Built" drawings.
  - 2. As-Built drawings shall be in AutoCAD format, same version as used by Architect and consultant. Dimensions and scale of the drawing sheets submitted shall match the size of the drawing used for the contract documents and shall include the cable numbers labeled in accordance with this document.
  - 3. Utilize normal recognized drafting procedures that match AutoCAD standards, Architect and consultant guidelines and methodology.
  - 4. The As-Built drawings shall incorporate all changes made to the building identified in, but not limited to, addendum, change notices, site instructions or deviations resulting from site conditions.

## B. Contractor shall:

- 1. Clearly identify any resubmitted drawing sheets, documents or cut sheets either by using a color to highlight or cloud around resubmitted information.
- 2. Maintain drawing numbering or page/sheet scheme consistency as per previously issued drawings/documents.
- 3. Provide dimensioned plan and elevation views of networking components, showing:
- 4. All communications data/voice outlet locations complete with outlet/cable labeling.
- 5. Cable routing paths of communications cables to identified infrastructure pathways.
- 6. All rack and cabinet locations and labeling thereof.
- 7. One-line diagram of equipment/device interconnecting data/voice cabling of the data and voice systems.
- 8. Standard or typical installation details of installations unique to Owner's requirements.
- Graphic symbols and component identification on detail drawing shall conform to the latest ANSI/TIA 568-C, ANSI/TIA 569-B, ANSI/TIA 606-A and ANSI/NECA/BICSI 607-A conventions.
- 10. Submit one soft (compatible with Microsoft software) and hard copy with project deliverables within three weeks subsequent to substantial completion.
- 11. Hard copy of floor plans for record shall be plotted to a standard, saleable, identified drawing scale.

## 2.2 RECORDS AND REPORTS

- All records shall be created by the installation contractor and turned over at the completion of work.
  - 1. The format shall be computer based
    - a. Soft copies and hard copies shall be part of the As-built package.
      - 1) Soft copies shall be in a Fluke Link Ware compatible database format
    - b. The minimum requirements include:
      - 1) Cable records must contain the identifier, cable type, termination positions at both ends, splice information as well as any damaged pairs/conductors.
      - Connecting hardware and connecting hardware position records must contain the identifier, type, damaged position numbers, and references to the cable identifier attached to it.
  - 2. Test documentation on all cable types shall be included as part of the As-built package.
    - a. Soft copies and hard copies shall be part of the As-built package.
- B. All Siemon Pre-Warranty and Warranty Registration documents shall be included.
- C. All reports shall be generated from the computer-based program used to create the records above. These reports should include but not limited to:
  - 1. Cable Reports
  - 2. Cross-connect Reports
  - 3. Connecting Hardware Reports

## **PART 3 - EXISTING CONDITIONS SITE SURVEY**

#### 3.1 SITE SURVEY

A. Prior to placing any cable pathways or cable, the contractor shall survey the site to determine job conditions will not impose any obstructions that would interfere with

the safe and satisfactory placement of the cables. The arrangements to remove any obstructions with the Project Manager need to be determined at that time.

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#### RESPONSIBILITY AND WORKMANSHIP OF CONTRACTOR

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

- A. Contractor shall be obligated to exercise the highest standard of care in performing its obligations as defined in a request for proposal. All work shall be done in a workman like fashion of the highest standards in the telecommunications industry.
- B. All equipment and materials are to be installed in a neat and secure manner, while cables are to be properly dressed in accordance with standards recommendation for a specific type of media (i.e. UTP vs. F/UTP @ 10 Gigabit)
- C. Workers must clean any debris and trash at the close of each job and workday.
- D. Contractor acknowledges that Intermountain Healthcare will rely on contractor's expertise, ability and knowledge of the system being proposed and shall be obligated to exercise the highest standard of care in performing contractual obligation as defined in the Scope of Work.
- E. Contractor must submit The Siemon warranty, Cable Records, As Built Drawings and Test Results at the completion of work. Note: Intermountain Healthcare reserves the right to withhold final payments until all registration documents are approved by the Siemon Company and received by Intermountain Healthcare.

#### 1.2 **CONTRACTOR AND EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITY**

- A. Contractors, their employees, and installers will attend annually Intermountain Healthcare required Infection Control training.
- B. Contractors, their employees, and installers will attend Intermountain Healthcare required site and job specific orientation.
- C. Contractors, their employees, and installers will maintain Intermountain Healthcare required immunizations.
- D. Contractors, their employees, and installers will keep their Intermountain Healthcare required confidentiality agreements current.
- E. Contractors, their employees, and installers agree to follow all of Intermountain Healthcare Policies and procedures and wear the appropriate ID at all times while on any of Intermountain properties.
- F. Contractor will determine with Owner the appropriate level of Environmental Containment precautions to utilize for each work location. Infection Control Risk Assessments and permits will be performed as required.
- G. Upon request, provide qualification data for all qualified layout technicians, installation supervisors, and field inspector
  - 1. Siemon issued qualification badges shall be readily available for this purpose.

## 1.3 **EXAMINATION**

- A. Field Measurements: Verify dimensions in areas of installation by field measurements before fabrication and indicate measurements on shop drawings. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the work.
- B. Established Dimensions: Where field measurements cannot be made without delaying the work, establish dimensions and proceed with fabricating units without field measurements. Coordinate supports, adjacent construction, and fixture locations to ensure actual dimensions correspond to established dimensions.

#### 1.4 **PREPARATION**

- A. Contractor's on-site RCDD supervisor shall review, approve and stamp all shop drawings, coordination drawings, As-Built Drawings, and submittal documents.
- B. Pre-installation inspection
  - The Contractor shall visually inspect all cables, cable reels, and shipping cartons to detect possible cable damage incurred during shipping and transport. Visibly damaged goods are not acceptable and shall be replaced by the contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.

## 1.5 MISCELLANEOUS CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Contractor will maintain unobstructed egress in work areas.
- B. Contractor will keep an access for all Emergency Services.
- C. Contractor will maintain training for Personnel in alternate exits if needed.
- D. Contractor will maintain Temporary construction partitions, as required, that are smoke tight and built of non-combustible materials.
- E. Additional Fire Extinguishers may be required and will be properly maintained and inspected.
- F. Construction site will be maintained clean and orderly.
- G. Contractor will observe Intermountain Healthcare's Tobacco use Policy. (All forms of tobacco use are strictly prohibited)
- H. All Electrical Extension cords will be grounded, and in good condition and, plugged into approved GFI Receptacles.
- I. Construction site will be restricted. (Approved personnel Only)
- J. Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) will be worn as required. (ie: hard hats, safety glasses, safety shoes, fluorescent vest, in accordance with general contractor's safety policy)
- K. Tools will be unplugged, and power secured at the end of each working day.
- L. All employees and contractors will understand how to obtain MSDS sheets.
- M. Contractor will notify proper personnel of any fire system shut down. A 48-hour notification is required.
- N. Contractor will address all vibration concerns with Intermountain Healthcare and general contractor's staff.
- O. Contractor will address all Noise Issues with Intermountain Healthcare and general contractor's staff.
- P. Contractor will fill out a Hot Work permit and keep it on site daily as needed.
- Q. Contractor will fill out an Above Ceiling Work Permit and keep it on site daily as needed.
- R. Contractor will obtain a Confined Space Permit, when required, and keep it on site.
- S. Contractor shall notify Information Systems 72 hours in advance of any shut down or known interruption of required environmental services. Follow up by notifying the Service Desk

### **GENERAL PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 **ACCEPTANCE**

- A. Once all work has been completed, test documentation has been submitted, and Owner is satisfied that all work is in accordance with contract documents, the Owner shall notify Contractor in writing of formal acceptance of the system.
  - 1. Horizontal cabling system shall comply with transmission standards in ANSI/TIA/EIA-568-C, when tested according to test procedures of this standard.
- B. Contractor must warrant in writing that 100% of the installation meets the requirements specified herein (Standards Compliance & Test Requirements).
- C. Acceptance shall be subject to completion of all work, successful post-installation testing which yields 100% PASS rating, and receipt of full documentation soft and hard copies as describe herein.
  - 1. PASS\* ratings are not considered a PASS rating.

## **PART 2 - GENERAL APPLICATIONS SUPPORTED**

## 2.1 APPLICATIONS SUPPORTED

A. Existing and future applications supported for a channel model warranty include those approved by the Institute of Electronic and Electrical Engineers (IEEE), the Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) Forum, the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) or the International Organization of Standards (ISO) that specify compatibility with the cable referenced herein.

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### QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIRED TRAINING FOR CONTRACTOR AND INSTALLER

#### PART 1 - GENERAL INSTALLLER QUALIFICATIONS

#### 1.1 ENTITIES

- A. Communications contractors
  - 1. The Communications Contractor shall at a minimum possess the following qualifications:
    - a. Contractor shall be a Siemon Certified Contractor with valid up to date contract certification and in good standing with the Siemon Company.
    - b. Siemon Certified Contractor and associated Siemon Certified Designer/Installer must have a physical office within the state that any proposed contract work is to be completed.
    - c. Be in business a minimum of five (5) years.
    - d. Contractor shall demonstrate satisfaction of sound financial condition and can be adequately bonded and insured if the project deems necessary.
    - e. Possess those licenses/permits required to perform telecommunications installations in the specified jurisdiction.
    - f. Use personnel knowledgeable in local, state, province and national codes and regulations. All work shall comply with the latest revision of the codes or regulations. When conflict exists between local or national codes or regulations, the most stringent codes or regulations shall be followed.
  - 2. Contractor must possess current liability and workers compensation insurance certificates.
  - 3. Contractor must be registered with BICSI and have at least one RCDD on staff.
    - a. or ITS Cabling Installer Program Technician certification and Installer Level 1 & 2 for a minimum of 75 percent of staff
  - 4. Must have personnel fluent in the use of Computer Aided Design and possess and operate CAD software using .DWG or .DXF format.
- B. Installers
  - 1. For small projects, (rework, moves, adds, or changes in existing areas), facility staff can be trained and certified for Siemon cable installation. Certification insures continuity and consistency in installation methodology and does not invalidate the Siemon warranty.
- C. Demolition
  - Demolition of low voltage cabling shall be performed by the Low Voltage installation contractor.
    - a. To prevent accidental removal of in-use circuits
    - b. To allow for re-use of circuits where practical.

## 1.2 TRAINING

- A. The Contractor shall be fully conversant and capable in the cabling of low voltage applications such as, but not limited to data, voice and imaging network systems. The Contractor shall at a minimum possess the following qualifications:
  - Personnel trained and certified in the design of the Siemon Cabling System®.
  - 2. Personnel trained and certified to install the Siemon Cabling System®.
  - 3. The Designer and Installer shall show proof of current certification of the Siemon Cabling System® via an updated certificate given after attending the CI-301 training course or an on-line re-certification class given every two years.
  - 4. Provide references of the type of installation provide in this specification.

- 5. Personnel trained and certified in the installation of copper cable and in the use of Level IIIe Copper Transmission Performance testers, fiber optic cabling, splicing, termination and testing techniques. Personnel must have experience using an optical light source and power meter plus an OTDR.
- 6. Personnel trained in the installation of pathways and supports for housing horizontal and backbone cabling.

### COMMON WORK RESULTS FOR COMMUNICATIONS

#### 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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000 and all other Division 27 Sections.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCT**

## 2.1 SUMMARY

- A. This section covers general work results for all Communications Division detail subsections.
- B. Work of the following sections cover a complete installation of both permanent and channel links for a data and voice communications network utilizing copper and fiber transmission media.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. Includes, but is not limited to the following.
  - 1. The Contractor shall:
    - a. Provide and install fabric and/or either plenum, PE or PVC Innerduct, rated appropriately for the installation environment; in accordance with all applicable codes and ordinances.
    - b. Provide, install, terminate, test, label and document all fiber backbone, fiber and copper riser cable.
    - c. Provide, install, terminate, test, and document all fiber, copper voice, and data horizontal cable.
      - 1) CAT6A UTP and CAT6A F/UTP shall not be mixed on the same campus.
    - d. Provide and place all termination devices such as, but not limited to, modular patch panels, termination blocks, information outlets (jacks and plates), phone jacks, fiber distribution panels, bulkheads, connectors, and fiber fan out kits.
    - e. Provide in quantities specified interconnect components such as, but not limited to, copper patch cords, fiber patch cables and data station cables.

- f. Provide and place horizontal and vertical cable support devices such as, but not limited to, rack and wall-mounted horizontal and vertical cable management, cable runway, communications cable runway, and all required mounting hardware, unless otherwise noted.
- g. Provide and install all equipment mounting racks, cabinets and/or brackets.
- h. Provide and install UL-approved fire stopping systems in all communication pass-thru, conduits and cable trays, and ceiling, wall and floor penetrations in coordination with General Contractor.
- i. Provide all appropriate consumable items required to complete the installation.
- Grounding and bonding in MC and TR rooms to grounding bus provided by Division 26.
- k. Provide complete documentation and demonstration of work.
- I. Completion of all punch list deficiencies within 10 working days.
- m. Provide indexed and organized complete Test Results of all copper and fiber cable and their components.
- n. Provide Submittals as outlined below.
- Conduct a final document handover meeting with client, consultant, and PM to review, discuss and educate the Owner on the test results and As-Built Drawings.
- p. Provide a Manufacturer's Extended Product Warranty and System Assurance Warranty for this wiring system.

#### **GROUNDING AND BONDING FOR COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. This work shall be provided by Division 26
  - 1. Division 26 shall provide and install the communications system grounding bus bar,
  - 2. Systems other than the voice/data system shall be bonded by their respective installers or Division 26.
  - 3. Exception: Division 27 shall bond racks, ladders, and other conductive IT equipment and enclosures as required.
- B. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- C. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.
- D. Requirements of the following Division 26 Sections apply to this section:
  - 1. Basic Electrical Requirements
  - 2. Basic Electrical Materials and Methods
  - 3. Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes methods and materials for grounding and bonding Communications systems
- B. All grounding / earthing and bonding shall be done to applicable codes and regulations. It is recommended that the requirements of IEC/TR3 61000-5-2 Ed. 1.0, ANSI-J-STD-607-A, or both be observed throughout the entire cabling system.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 CONDUCTORS

- A. Insulated Conductors: Copper wire or cable insulated for 600 V unless otherwise required by applicable Code or authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Bare Copper Conductors:
  - 1. Solid Conductors: ASTM B 3.
  - 2. Stranded Conductors: ASTM B 8.
  - 3. Bonding Cable: 28 kcmil, 14 strands of No. 17 AWG conductor, 1/4 inch (6 mm) in diameter.

### 2.2 CONNECTORS

A. Listed and labeled by a nationally recognized testing laboratory acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for applications in which used, and for specific types, sizes, and combinations of conductors and other items connected.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70 (NEC), Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for intended use.
- B. Comply with UL 467 for grounding and bonding materials and equipment.

#### 3.2 APPLICATIONS

- A. Conductors: Install solid conductor for No. 8 AWG and smaller, and stranded conductors for No. 6 AWG and larger, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Conductor Terminations and Connections:
  - 1. Connections to Structural Steel: Bolted connectors.

#### 3.3 EQUIPMENT GROUNDING

- A. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with the following items in addition to those required by NFPA 70 (NEC).
  - 1. Computer and Rack Mounted Electronic Equipment Circuits: Install insulated equipment grounding conductor in branch circuit runs from equipment area power panels and power distribution units.
  - Signal and Communication Equipment: For telephone, alarm, voice and data, and other communication equipment, provide No. 4 AWG minimum insulated grounding conductor in raceway from grounding electrode system to each service location, terminal cabinet, wiring closet, and central equipment location.
  - Terminal Cabinets: Terminate grounding conductor on cabinet grounding terminal.

## 3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Grounding Conductors
  - 1. Route along shortest and straightest paths possible, unless otherwise indicated or required by Code.
  - 2. Avoid obstructing access or placing conductors where they may be subjected to strain, impact, or damage.
    - a. Jumper across all tray junctions use two-hole lugs to prevent loosening of ground connections over time.
    - b. Per BICSI TDMM Chapter 17 "Grounding, Bonding and Electrical Protection":
      - 1) Grounding and bonding connectors should be one of the following: Tin plated copper, copper or copper alloy
      - Connections should be made using bolt or crimp connectors, clamps or lugs OR exothermic welding. Where possible compression type connectors and two-hole lugs should be used
    - c. Per TIA/EIA 607-A the TBB (Telecommunications Bonding Backbone) connections "shall be made using irreversible compression-type connectors, exothermic welding or equivalent."

#### PATHWAYS FOR COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Main pathways for communications systems shall be the responsibility of the Division 27 low voltage contract.
  - 1. Includes, but is not limited to, hangars, supports, J-hooks, cable tray
  - 2. Sections 270536, 270539, and 270543\_46, are supplemental clarifications that are additions to this section. The appropriate section(s) shall added for the material used.
- B. Conduits, pathways, and boxes which are embedded within building finishes for communications systems shall be the responsibility of the Division 26 electrical contractor
- C. Requirements of the following Division 26 sections apply to this section
  - 1. Basic electrical requirements
  - 2. Basic electrical materials and methods
  - 3. Grounding, earthing, and bonding for electrical systems

## 1.2 SUMMARY

A. Contractor shall install work following specifications, drawings, manufacturer's instructions and approved submittal data.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 CABLE PATHWAYS

- A. Comply with TIA/EIA-569-B.
- B. Pathways shall be designed and installed to meet applicable local and national building and electrical codes or regulations.
  - 1. All materials shall be UL- and/or CSA and/or ETL-approved and labeled in accordance with NEC for all products where labeling service normally applies.
  - 2. NRTL labeled for support of Category 6A cabling, designed to prevent degradation of cable performance and pinch points that could damage cable
  - 3. Materials and equipment requiring UL 94, 149 or 1863 listing shall be so labeled. Modification of products that nullifies UL labels are not permitted.
  - 4. The installed systems shall not generate, nor be susceptible to any harmful electromagnetic emission, radiation, or induction that degrades, or obstructs any equipment.
- C. Pathways consist of conduit, cable tray/basket tray/ladder rack, J-hooks and surface mounted raceway and power poles.
  - 1. Cable / basket tray shall be utilized for distribution pathways
    - a. Provides proper support and load distribution along pathways.
    - Flexibility, scalability, and accessibility
    - Ladder rack shall be used in data rooms.
  - 2. Conduits may be utilized where cable tray is not viable, providing the cross-sectional area of the conduit is greater than the cross-sectional area of the cable tray.
  - 3. J-hooks are the minimum pathway device required for all low voltage contractors for use in ceiling distribution. J-hooks shall not be spaced further than 5 ft. (1.5 m) apart with a recommendation of 3 ft. (1 m) spacing. Note: Construction may require distances to

exceed the maximum and are considered an exception requiring approval of project manager or building engineer. As a minimum, J-hooks must be installed without exception; free flight of cables in ceiling space is not acceptable.

- a. Ensure all J-hooks and support products meet plenum requirements where applicable.
- a. J-hooks shall not be utilized for main pathways.
  - A main pathway is where the contained cable bundle will have more than one additional branch
- 4. Note: Surface mounted raceway and power poles should be installed only when other pathway choices are not feasible.

## 2.2 EQUIPMENT

## A. Compatibility

- All material and equipment as provided should be the standard Commercial-Off-The-Shelf (COTS) products of a manufacturer engaged in the manufacturing of such products. All shall be typical commercial designs that comply with the requirements specified. All material and equipment shall be readily available through manufacturers and/or distributors.
  - a. All equipment shall be standard catalogued items of the manufacturer and shall be supplied complete with any optional items required for proper installation.
  - b. Coordinate the features of materials and equipment so they form an integrated system. Match components and interconnections for optimum future performance and backward compatibility
- 2. Expansion Capability: Unless otherwise indicated, provide spare positions in patch panels, cross connects, and terminal strips, and space in cable pathways and backboard layouts to accommodate 20% future increase in campus distribution and active workstations.
- Backward Compatibility: The provided solution shall be backward compatible with lower category ratings such that if higher category components are used with lower category components, the basic link and channel measures shall meet or exceed the lower channel's specified parameters.
- 4. Component Compliance: The provided solution's components shall each meet the minimum transmission specifications listed herein such that no individual component will be less than specifications for permanent link and channel, although tests for link and channel ultimately meet required specifications.
- 5. In the event of a breach of the representations and warranties contained herein, the Contractor, at their own expense, shall take all measures necessary to make the cabling system work and comply with the applicable manufacturer written technical recommendations and standards.
- B. Horizontal cables shall be installed in "clean, dry" locations that provide protection from moisture levels above the intended operating range of inside plant (ISP) cables. "Slab-on-Grade" building designs wherein pathways are installed underground on/in the poured concrete slabs that are in direct contact with the soil are considered wet locations and hence are not permitted.
  - Comply with requirements in Division 09 Section "Interior Painting" for painting backboards.
    - a. For fire-resistant plywood, do not paint over manufacturer's label.
    - b. For cables, their pathways, boxes, and accessories; MASK and prevent any contact or overspray.
  - 2. Cable pathways shall be installed to provide protection from the elements (i.e. moisture) and other hazards.
  - 3. Cables and cable pathways shall be protected from detritus elements such as paints, adhesives, ands cleaners.
    - a. In case of contamination, cables shall be replaced. Cleaning is not acceptable.

- 4. Pathways shall not have exposed sharp edges that may come into contact with telecommunications cables. Cables exiting the pathway will be routed over a bend delimiter (waterfall) designed by the tray manufacturer for that purpose.
- C. Pathways shall not be located in elevator shafts.
- D. Grounding / Earthing and bonding of pathways shall comply with applicable codes and regulations. It is recommended that the requirements of IEC/TR3 61000-5-2 Ed. 1.0, ANSI-J-STD-607-B, or both be observed throughout the entire cabling system.

#### 2.3 SURFACE MOUNTING

- A. Surface Mount Cable Runs and Faceplate Boxes
  - 1. Surface mounting of cable pathway runs and/or boxes for outlets/faceplates are only authorized as a last resort and exception to running cables through the wall and above the ceiling.
  - 2. If surface mount cable runs are used:
    - a. Burrs will be removed from the inside of the plastic or metal surface mount cable runs to prevent damage to cables pulled through the run.
    - b. Raceway manufacturer plastic bushings shall be installed at all outlet openings in raceway to prevent damage to cable.
    - c. "T", Splice, and corner pieces will be used to join runs. Runs will not be butted together without the appropriate joining pieces.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 HORIZONTAL PARAMETERS

- A. Allowable Cable Bend Radius and Pull Tension:
  - 1. In general, communications cable cannot tolerate sharp bends or excessive pull tension during installation.
    - a. Bend radius for 4 pair UTP and F/UTP under no load (no pulling tension) shall not exceed four (4) times the outside diameter of the cable and eight (8) times the outside diameter of the cable under load (110N/25lbf). Note: Cable bend radius and pulling tensions for cables other than 4 pair cable increase with the diameter and type of cable refer to the manufacturer's recommendations for specific requirements.
  - 2. After installation, exposed cable and other surfaces must be cleaned free of lubricant residue. Use only lubricants specifically designed for cable installation.
- B. Pull Strings:
  - 1. Horizontal and Vertical Pathways
    - a. The pathway installer shall:
      - 1) Provide pull strings in all new conduits, including all conduits with cable installed as part of this contract.
      - 2) Provide pull strings in all new cable trays
      - 3) Pull string shall have a rated average breaking strength of 200 pounds.
      - 4) Data and video cables can be pulled in tandem with pull strings. During pulling sessions, pull strings must move freely to prevent cable jacket/cable damage.
      - 5) Free moving pull strings shall be provided in all locations where they are utilized as part of this contract.
- C. Conduit Fill:
  - 1. Reference manufacturer's Design Installation Guidelines manual.
  - 2. Comply with requirements of NFPA 70 (NEC)

- 3. The number of cables placed in a pathway shall not exceed manufacture specifications, nor, will the geometric shape of a cable be affected.
  - a. Conduit pathways shall have a maximum fill ratio of 40% to allow for proper pulling tension and lay of the CAT6A F/UTP cable. A minimum of a 1" diameter conduit is recommended for new construction. Existing conduits will require the reduction of the number of cables placed in the conduit to meet the required fill ratio.

#### 3.2 INTRA-BUILDING CABLE ROUTING

### A. Pathways

- 1. The backbone subsystem shall include cable installed in a vertical manner between floor telecommunications rooms and the main or intermediate cross-connect in a multi-story building and cable installed horizontally between telecommunications rooms and the main or intermediate cross-connect in a long single-story building.
- 2. Adequate riser sleeve/slot space shall be available with the ability to ingress the area later in all telecommunications rooms, such that no drilling of additional sleeves/slots is necessary. Proper fire stopping is required for all sleeves/slots per national and local codes. Install fire stop material designed specifically for the building construction conditions and to meet the existing fire stop material as directed by the building engineer.
- 3. Backbone pathways shall be installed or selected such that the minimum bend radius of backbone cables is kept within manufacturer specifications both during and after installation.
- 4. Where redundant paths are required, they shall be separated by a minimum of 24".
  - a. Separate innerducts are required for each leg of the redundant path.
  - b. Separate physical routing for each path shall be utilized where possible.
- 5. Building backbone cables shall be installed in "dry" locations that provide protection from moisture levels above the intended operating range of inside plant (ISP) cables. "Slabon-Grade" building designs wherein pathways are installed underground on/in the poured concrete slabs that are in direct contact with the soil are considered wet locations and hence are not permitted.

### B. Media

- 1. The backbone cables shall be installed in a hierarchical star topology, emanating from the Campus Distributor/Main Cross-connect (CD/MC) to each Floor Distributor/Horizontal Cross-connect (FD/HC) in all telecommunication rooms. Building Distributor/Intermediate Cross-connects (BD/IC) may be present between the Campus Distributor/Main Cross-connect (CD/MC) and the Floor Distributor/Horizontal Cross-connect (FD/HC).
- 2. Unless otherwise recommended by the manufacturer, all fiber cables will be run in innerduct.
  - a. Armored fiber optic cable shall not require innerduct except where exposed to hard service, or additional space may be required in the future through the same path.
- 3. Fibers will be terminated in the telecommunications rooms using SC and LC connectors in wall mounted interconnect centers or rack mounted panels equipped with sufficient ports, slack storage space and splice trays if required to terminate and secure all fibers. ST connectors are no longer recommended in the TIA 568-C.3 standard but may be used in legacy installations.
- 4. All fiber splicing and connections shall be fusion type. Hand Polished joints are not acceptable.
- 5. At least one 4-pair balanced twisted-pair hybrid/bundled or multi-pair cable should be run for each Intra-building/Building backbone segment. Optical fiber shall be installed for any backbone segment greater than 90 m (295 ft.). If the Intra-building/Building Backbone segment is less than 90 m (295 ft), and fiber is not installed, then a balanced twisted-pair cable of CAT6A F/UTP cable shall be installed for each known application.
- 6. Minimum structured cable shall be Siemon CAT6A F/UTP.

### HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS

### **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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 APPROVED PRODUCT

- A. The J-hooks shall meet or exceed the below characteristics of construction and features
  - 1. Provide broad based support for cabling to aid in maintaining overall system performance.
  - 2. Be available in 50.8mm (2") and 101.6mm (4") options
  - 3. Come equipped with a cable retention clip
  - 4. Offers a full line of mounting accessories.

### 2.2 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS

- A. Siemon
- B. Ericson / Caddy
- C. B-Line
- D. CTS
- E. Stiffv

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 J-HOOKS AND OTHER SUPPORTS SHALL BE INSTALLED SUCH THAT THEY:

- A. Shall be supported with devices designed for this purpose and shall be installed independently of any other structural component. J-Hooks shall not use the suspended ceiling support wires or lighting fixture support wires.
- B. The number of cables placed into the J-hooks shall be limited to a number that will not cause a change to the geometric shape of the cables.

- 1. Limit to a 40% fill in new construction.
- C. J-hooks shall not be spaced farther than 1.5 meters (5 ft.) apart, with a recommendation that they be space at 1 meter (3 ft.) apart. Note: Construction may require distances to exceed the maximum and are considered an exception requiring approval of project manager or building engineer.
- D. J-hooks or better must be installed without exception.

### 3.2 UNACCEPTABLE INSTALLATIONS

- A. Free flight of cables
- B. Resting or attaching of cables on pipes, conduits, HVAC duct work
- C. Resting on or attached to fire sprinkler systems
- D. Resting on ceiling tile grid in ceiling space is not acceptable.

### **CONDUITS AND BACK BOXES**

### 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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.
- C. Division 26 Electrical work

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 APPROVED PRODUCT

- A. Conduits and Back boxes shall meet the construction requirements of the NEC for the type of structure and space in which they are installed and will be of the diameter and size to provide adequate fill, bend radius and connector space. Refer to section 270528.
- B. Coordinate with Division 26 for the exact required conduit size and back box dimensions as they relate to the specific telecommunication cable and connectors.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 CONDUIT SIZING

- A. Conduit size shall be based on the type of cable installed and the required fill ratio and bend radius associated with the type of cable specified.
  - 1. Minimum conduit size to back box for CAT6A F/UTP shall be 1 inch
- B. Conduit and installation shall be provided by Division 26.
- C. All conduit stubs shall be installed with plastic bushings appropriate for the size of conduit used.
- D. Conduits that stub to accessible ceiling shall be installed in the direction to provide the shortest path to the TDR, complete with pull string.

### 3.2 BACK BOX SIZING

- A. New work back boxes for CAT6A F/UTP shall be a minimum of trade size 4-11/16" x 4-11/16" x 3" (depth) plus a 5/8" plaster ring to allow for proper bend radius and connector termination/installation. Side knockouts shall be avoided.
- B. Back boxes for rework shall meet the same specification as for new work.
  - If existing back boxes or back boxes that are smaller due to construction restrictions, then devices such as extension rings, bezels or faceplates shall be used to modify the back box to insure proper bend radius and connector termination/installation.
    - a. Verification and approval of the size change must have DCO Infrastructure Cabling and engineering approval.

### 3.3 BACK BOX COMPOSITION

- A. All back boxes for IT systems shall be UL/CSA listed and approved for the purpose.
  - 1. Non-metal back boxes shall not be used for any interior IT related device.

### 3.4 SPECIAL CONDITIONS – LEAD LINED WALLS FOR RADIATION CONTROL

A. Refer to the complete IT Lead Lined Wall Procedure – Attachment to Appendix

### IDENTIFICATIO FOR LOW-VOLTAGE CABLES AND LABELING

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 **NOT USED**

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 **LABELING**

- Α. Structured cabling shall be labeled in accordance with ANSI/TIA 606-B standards.
- B. A unique identifier shall be marked on each faceplate to identify it as connecting hardware.
- C. Each port in the faceplate shall be labeled with its identifier.
- D. A unique identifier shall be marked on each piece of connecting hardware to identify it as connecting hardware.
- E. Each port on the connecting hardware shall be labeled with its identifier.
- F. Cable Labeling
  - 1. Label System
    - Labels Identification (Labeling) System:
      - 1) Bradv
      - 2) Dvmo
      - Hellerman-Tyton 3)
      - 4) Panduit
      - Acceptable alternate 5)
        - Approval from Data Center Operations Infrastructure Cabling team member required prior to bid
  - 2. Cable Labels
    - Self-adhesive vinyl or vinyl-cloth wraparound tape markers, machine printed with alphanumeric cable designations. Plastic, self-adhesive labels are not acceptable.
    - Each end of the Horizontal cables shall be labeled with a mechanically generated b. label within 300mm (12 in) of the end of the cable jacket with the link identifier which shall be a unique configuration determined by owner. This also applies to the Backbone Cables.
  - 3. Flat-surface labels
    - Self-adhesive vinyl or vinyl-cloth labels, machine printed with alphanumeric cable designations
  - 4. Contractor shall:
    - Provide transparent plastic label holders, and 4-pair marked colored labels. a.
    - Install colored labels according to the type of field as per ANSI/TIA 606-B.1 b. color code designations.

### G. **PALLETTE**

- Use the owners color-code guidelines for voice, data, cross-connect, riser, and backbone fields. Otherwise, use the ANSI/TIA 606-B designation strip color-code guidelines for voice, data, cross-connect, riser, and backbone fields. Color designations for F/UTP cable:
  - Intermountain Healthcare Standard Wiring Palettes for Horizontal Cabling a.

	Color
Data & IP Phones	Blue
Analog Phone	Blue
Security Card Readers	Grey
IP Security Cameras	Blue
	Analog Phone Security Card Readers

b.

5)	Fire Systems	Red
6)	TV Coax	Black
7)	Public Address	White
8)	Clinical Engineering –	Orange
	a) Monitoring, Bed Systems	Orange
	b) Nurse Call (5e)	Orange
	c) Real time patient data	Orange
9)	Wireless	Yellow
10)	Foreseer (Belden 1422)	Red

Outlet/Jack/Faceplate Icons/labeling will match the color of the cable attached to the back side H. of the outlet/jack.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 **GENERAL IDENTIFICATION**

- A. Installer shall label all cable, regardless of length.
- B. Identify system components, wiring, and cabling complying with TIA/EIA-606-B. Comply with requirements for identification specified in Division 26 Section "Identification for Electrical Systems."
- Color-code cross-connect fields. Apply colors to voice and data service backboards, C. connections, covers, and labels.
- D. Using cable management system software specified in Part 2, develop Cabling Administration Drawings for system identification, testing, and management. Use unique, alphanumeric designation for each cable and label cable, jacks, connectors, and terminals to which it connects with same designation. At completion, cable and asset management software shall reflect as-built conditions.
- E. Comply with requirements in Division 09 Section "Interior Painting" for painting backboards. For fire-resistant plywood, do not paint over manufacturer's label.
- F. Cable Schedule: Post in prominent location in each equipment room and wiring closet. List incoming and outgoing cables and their designations, origins, and destinations. Protect with rigid frame and clear plastic cover. Furnish an electronic copy of final comprehensive schedules for Project.
- G. Cabling Administration Drawings: Show building floor plans with cabling administration-point labeling. Identify labeling convention and show labels for telecommunications rooms, backbone pathways and cables, entrance pathways and cables, terminal hardware and positions, horizontal cables, work areas and workstation terminal positions, grounding buses and pathways, and equipment grounding conductors. Follow convention of TIA/EIA-606-B. Furnish electronic record of all drawings, in software and format selected by Owner

### 3.2 **CONCEALED ENDS**

Jacks, connectors, terminations, and similar that are located in concealed locations such as Α. above grid ceilings, shall have additional labeling. The additional label shall be on the face of the grid in a visible location, immediately adjacent to the termination location.

### CABLE AND WIRE IDENTIFICATION 3.3

Label each cable visibly within 4 inches of each termination and tap, where it is accessible in a Α. cabinet or junction or outlet box, and elsewhere as indicated.

- B. Each wire connected to building-mounted devices is not required to be numbered at device if color of wire is consistent with associated wire connected and numbered within panel or cabinet.
- C. Label each terminal strip and screw terminal in each cabinet, rack, or panel.
  - Individually number wiring conductors connected to terminal strips and identify each cable or wiring group being extended from a panel or cabinet to a building mounted device shall be identified with name and number of particular device as shown.
  - Label each unit and field within distribution racks and frames.
- D. Labels shall be preprinted or computer-printed type with printing area and font color that contrasts with cable jacket color but still complies with requirements in TIA/EIA-606-B

### **HORIZONTAL CABLING**

### 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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.
- C. Section 270528 Pathways for Communications Systems
- D. Requirements of the following Division 26 Sections apply to this section:
  - 1. Basic Electrical Requirements
  - 2. Basic Electrical Materials and Methods
  - 3. Grounding

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes requirements and guidelines for the installation of F/UTP, ScTP, and Fiber horizontal cabling.
  - Horizontal cable and its connecting hardware provide the means of transporting signal between the telecommunications outlet/connector and the horizontal cross-connect located in the communications termination room This cabling and its connecting hardware are called "permanent link," a term that is used in the testing protocols.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 HORIZONTAL CABLE

### A. Quantity

- 1. Two horizontal cables shall be routed to each work area. Cable connected to information outlets shall be CAT6A F/UTP, 4-pair,  $100\Omega$  balanced twisted-pair.
  - a. A work area is approximately 100 sq. ft. and includes the components that extend from the telecommunications outlet/connectors to the station equipment.
  - b. Two (2) standard cables shall be run to each wireless access point location per current best practice.

- c. Three (3) standard horizontal cables shall be routed to each work area at IMG Reception Areas:
- d. One (1) standard horizontal cable may be run to the following locations:
  - 1) IMG Exam Rooms: Three horizontal cables shall be routed to each exam room. Two for the charting system, and the other near the exam table for possible future attachment of medical equipment.
  - 2) Each building control system enclosure as directed by the building controls vendor.
  - 3) Spaces dedicated to the storage, charging, and up/down loading of data for a single unit of medical equipment shall only require one horizontal cable
  - 4) Each IP Video Surveillance Camera at each of the designated locations.
- 2. For voice or data applications, 4-pair balanced twisted-pair or fiber optic cables shall be run using a star topology from the telecommunications room serving that floor to every individual information outlet. The customer prior to installation of the cabling shall approve all cable routes.
- 3. Installation interfaces shall be T568B wiring standards,

## B. Maximum Length

- 1. All horizontal cables, regardless of media type, shall not exceed 90 m (295 ft.) from the telecommunications outlets in the work area to the Floor Distributor/Horizontal Cross connect (FD/HC) located in the Telecommunication Room.
- 2. The combined length of jumpers, patch cords inclusive of equipment cables in the Floor Distributor/Horizontal Cross-connect shall not exceed 5m (16 ft.).
- 3. The maximum length of Work Area equipment cables shall be 5m (16 ft.) If a MuTOA (Multiple User Telecommunication Outlet) environment exists, then the maximum equipment cable shall not exceed 20m (66 ft.) (Lake Park Facility)
- 4. Terminate all conductors; no cable shall contain un-terminated elements. Make terminations only at indicated outlets, terminals, cross-connects, and patch panels

### C. Minimum Length

- 1. It is recommended that a minimum horizontal cable distance of 15m (49 ft.) shall be maintained between the telecommunications room and the work area. This will provide adequate Insertion Loss/Attenuation for applications over 1 Gig.
- For installations with consolidation points, a minimum horizontal cable distance of 15m (49 ft.) shall be maintained between the telecommunications room and consolidation point, and 5m (16 ft.) between the consolidation point and the work area. This will provide adequate Insertion Loss/Attenuation for applications over 1 Gig.

# D. Splice Free

- 1. Each run of balanced twisted-pair cable between Floor Distributor/Horizontal Cross-connect in the telecommunication room and the information outlet at the Work Area shall not contain splices.
- 2. Bridged taps and splices shall not be installed in the horizontal cabling

### E. Protection

- 1. Horizontal distribution cables shall not be exposed in the work area or other locations with public access.
- 2. Horizontal distribution cables shall not be run in under slab raceways that are damp or wet locations unless suitably rated for the environment.

a. Under slab conduits that are outside of the building are considered wet locations.

### 3.2 SEPARATION

- A. Separation from EMI sources
  - 1. Installation shall comply with BICSI TDMM and TIA/EIA-569-B for separating unshielded copper voice and data communication cable from potential EMI sources, including electrical power lines and equipment.
  - 2. Separation between open communications cables or cables in nonmetallic raceways and unshielded power conductors and EMI Source shall be as follows:
    - a. EMI Source Rating Less Than 2 kVA: A minimum clearance of 5 inches.
    - b. EMI Source Rating between 2 and 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 12 inches.
    - c. EMI Source Rating More Than 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 24 inches.
  - 3. Separation between communications cables in grounded metallic raceways and unshielded power lines or EMI Source shall be as follows:
    - a. EMI Source Rating Less Than 2 kVA: A minimum clearance of 2-1/2 inches.
    - b. EMI Source Rating between 2 and 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 6 inches.
    - c. EMI Source Rating More Than 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 12 inches.
  - 4. Separation between communications cables in grounded metallic raceways and power lines and EMI Source located in grounded metallic conduits or enclosures shall be as follows:
    - a. EMI Source Rating Less Than 2 kVA: A minimum clearance of 2 inches.
    - b. EMI Source Rating between 2 and 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 3 inches.
    - c. EMI Source Rating More Than 5 kVA: A minimum clearance of 6 inches.
  - 5. Separation between Communications Cables and Electrical Motors and Transformers, 5 kVA or HP and Larger: A minimum clearance of 48 inches.
  - 6. Separation between Communications Cables and Fluorescent Fixtures: A minimum clearance of 5 inches

### B. Other Clearances

- 1. Horizontal pathways used for telecommunications cabling shall be dedicated for telecommunications use and not shared by other building services.
  - a. Note: For cables of different categories (i.e. CAT5e, CAT6 & CAT6A UTP) running 10GBaseT applications it is necessary to separate those cables within the cable tray/raceway/wireway to protect against PSANEXT and PSANEXTFE coupling.
- 2. In a false ceiling environment, a minimum of 75 mm (3 in) shall be observed between the cable supports and the false ceiling.

### 3.3 PATHWAY

### A. Materials

- 1. J-hooks are the minimum pathway device requirement by all low voltage contractors for use in open ceiling distribution. J-hooks shall not be spaced further than 5 ft. (1.5 m) apart with a recommendation of 3 ft. (1 m) spacing.
  - Note: Construction may require distances to exceed the maximum and are considered an exception requiring approval of the DCO Infrastructure Cabling Team.

- b. J-hooks must be installed without exception. <u>Free flight of cables in ceiling space is not acceptable.</u>
- 2. Continuous conduit runs installed by the contractor should not exceed 30.5 m (100 ft.) or contain more than two (2) 90-degree bends without utilizing appropriately sized pull boxes.
- 3. Cable Tie Wraps
  - a. Cable Tie Wraps are not permitted as a pathway device or support
  - b. Tie wraps shall only be used to provide strain relief at termination points.
  - c. Tie wraps shall not be over tightened to the point of deforming or crimping the cable sheath.

### B. Constraints

- 1. All horizontal pathways shall be designed, installed and grounded to meet applicable local and national building and electrical codes and ordinances.
- 2. Horizontal cables shall be installed in "dry" locations that provide protection from moisture levels above the intended operating range of inside plant (ISP) cables. "Slab-on-Grade" building designs wherein pathways are installed underground on in the poured concrete slabs that are in direct contact with the soil are considered wet locations and hence are not permitted.
- 3. Horizontal pathways shall be installed or selected such that the minimum bend radius of horizontal cables is kept within manufacturer specifications both during and after installation.
- 4. A minimum of a 1" diameter conduit is recommended for new construction. Existing conduits will require the reduction of the number of cables placed in the conduit to meet the required fill ratio.
  - a. The Contractor shall observe the bending radius and pulling strength requirements of the 4-pair balanced twisted-pair and fiber optic cable during handling and installation.
    - 1) 4-Pair UTP, F/UTP, S/FTP bend radius = 4 times outside diameter of cable under no-load conditions. 8 times the outside diameter under load (pulling 110 N/25 lbf.) conditions.
    - 2) Multi-pair or Hybrid cable bend radius = 10 times the outside diameter under all conditions.
    - 3) 2-Fiber and 4 Fiber cables bend radius = 25mm (1 in.) under no-load conditions. 50mm (2 in.) under load (pulling 222 N 50 lbf)
- 5. Cable shall not be run through structural members or in contact with pipes, ducts, or other potentially damaging items.
- 6. Horizontal cabling shall contain no more than one transition point or consolidation point between the horizontal cross-connect and the telecommunications outlet/connector.
- 7. Do not install bruised, kinked, scored, deformed, abraded cable or otherwise damaged cable. Do not splice cable between termination, tap, or junction points. Remove and discard cable if damaged during installation and replace it with new cable.
- 8. During Cold-Weather Installation, bring cable to room temperature before dereeling. Heat lamps shall not be used for heating.
- C. Capacity

- 1. The number of horizontal cables placed in a cable support or pathway shall be limited to the number of cables that will not alter the geometric shape of the cables.
- 2. Maximum pathway (cable tray/basket tray/wireway) capacity shall not exceed a calculated fill ratio of 50% to a maximum of 75 mm (3 in) inside depth.
- 3. Maximum conduit pathway capacity shall not exceed a 40% fill. However, perimeter and furniture fill are limited to 60% fill for move and changes. A 40% fill ratio is the maximum fill for CAT6A F/UTP cables.
- 4. All unused cables shall be removed
  - a. Or labeled at both ends designating future purpose and locations of each end

### **FACEPLATES AND CONNECTORS**

### 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.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.

### 1.2 PALLETTE

- A. Shall be white in color, with jacks that match the cable color that feed them.
- B. Exception: Match face plate colors as specified in Division 26 if specifically called out in contract documents.

### 1.3 DEFINITION

- A. Work-Area Cabling
- B. The work area is comprised of work area outlet/connectors, faceplates, outlet boxes and equipment cords. It acts as the interface to the horizontal cabling from the horizontal cross-connect (HC) to telephone, network equipment, wireless access points (WAP) and VOIP devices.

### 1.4 SUMMARY

A. This Section covers approved F/UTP cable types

### **PART 2 - PRODUCT**

### 2.1 APPROVED PRODUCT

- A. OUTLETS
  - 1. Part #:
    - a. Refer to Appendix #8 for current approved part numbers
    - b. Siemon F/UTP part #'s: Z6A-S(xx)
  - 2. Performance
    - a. All 500 MHz CAT6A F/UTP information outlets designed for termination of 4pair balanced twisted-pair CAT6A F/UTP copper cable must possess the following characteristics at the minimum:
      - 1) Exceed CAT6A F/UTP component compliance through the frequency range of 1 to 250 MHz with usable bandwidth to 500 MHz.
  - 3. Features

- a. Provide full integration of cable shielding through the termination process of the outlet.
- b. Universal design allows the same outlet to be mounted in a flat or angled orientation.
  - 1) Intermountain standards require that all outlets be installed in the angled position.
- c. Be backwards compatible to allow lower performing categories of cables or connecting hardware to operate to their full capacity.
- d. Allow installation from the front or rear of the faceplate and allow for the jack to pass through the faceplate without re-termination.
- e. Have, as an option, an outlet, which can be mounted into an IEC 60603-7 compliant opening (keystone).

### **B. FACEPLATES**

- Part #:
  - a. Refer to Appendix #8 for current approved part numbers
  - b. Siemon part #'s: 10GMX Faceplates preferred. Three ports maximum per box.
    - 1) 10GMX-FPS-(02)-02 (2-port)
    - 2) MX-FP-S-03-02
      - a) Consult with Intermountain Healthcare for port count in (xx) field.
- 2. All faceplates installed, as part of this specification shall have these minimum features listed below:
  - a. Be applicable to both fiber and copper applications.
  - b. Allow module outlet/connectors to be removed from the front of the faceplate.
  - c. Allow module outlet/connector to pass through faceplates even after termination.
  - d. Have write on designation labels for circuit identification together with a clear plastic cover.
  - e. Have optional modular furniture adapters available.
  - f. Have surface mount boxes and standoff rings available for both single and double gang faceplates
  - g. Be manufactured using UV resistant, high impact thermoplastic to prevent color fading and provide additional durability.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 WORK AREA TERMINATION

- A. All balanced twisted-pair cables wired to the telecommunications outlet/connector, shall have 4-pairs terminated in eight-position modular outlets in the work area. All pairs shall be terminated.
- B. Outlet/connector back boxes shall be a minimum 4-11/16 square box (4-11/16" x 4-11/16" x 2 7/8") for new construction to accommodate the CAT6A connectors. Existing back boxes will require a faceplate stand-off and/or a faceplate that can accommodate a bezel to extend the CAT6A jack out to allow the installation of the CAT6A connectors.
- C. The telecommunications outlet/connector shall be securely mounted at planned locations.

D. The height of the telecommunications faceplates shall be to applicable codes and regulations.

### 3.2 PHYSICAL STRESS

- A. The maximum cable bend radii and pulling tensions shall not exceed manufacturer's specifications.
  - 4-Pair F/UTP, S/FTP bend radius = 4 times outside diameter of cable under noload conditions. 8 times the outside diameter under load (pulling 110 N/25 lbf.) conditions.
- B. Multi-pair or Hybrid cable bend radius = 10 times the outside diameter under all conditions. Manufacturer pulling tensions shall be used.
  - 1. 2-Fiber and 4 Fiber cables bend radius = 25mm (1 in.) under no-load conditions. 50mm (2 in.) under load (pulling 222 N 50 lbf)

### 3.3 SLACK - SERVICE LOOP - ROUTING

- A. In the work area, a minimum of 300 mm (12 in) should be left for balanced twisted-pair cables, while 1 m (3 ft) be left for fiber cables.
- B. In telecommunications rooms a minimum of 3m (10 ft) of slack should be left for all cable types. This slack must be neatly managed on trays or other support types.

### **PATCH CABLES**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This section is issued as a guide for patch cable installations in the Data Center, wiring closets (TDR) and user areas where patch cables are required for connectivity to IP and TDM phones, and IP data connectivity needs for Intermountain Healthcare. All patch cables will support voice, data, and imaging applications within the Intermountain Healthcare Enterprise.
- B. The integrity of the installed cabling plant must be insured by using matching and quality patch cables. All patch cables shall be included in the low voltage contract and will be required to match or exceed the existing level of the installed structured cabling system.
- C. Factory Terminated patch cords are required. These use pneumatic termination tools ensuring consistent quality and are tested and guaranteed to be matched and tuned for performance within the specified category cabling channel.
- D. Patch cables in data rooms (TDR) shall not be less than CAT6A F/UTP stranded.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 APPROVED PRODUCT

- A. Part #:
  - 1. Siemon F/UTP part #: ZM6A-S (XX)-(XX)
    - a. Color of cords are to match corresponding cable. Use 1st (xx) to Specify length. Use 2nd (xx) for color.

### B. Performance

- 1. All Category 6A modular equipment cords shall conform to the flowing minimum performance standards:
  - a. Be factory assembled and 100% transmission tested with laboratory grade network analyzers for proper performance up to 500MHz.
  - b. Be augmented category 6 component compliant out to 250 MHz with operational bandwidth to 500 MHz.

### C. Features

- 1. Be backwards compatible with lower performing categories
- 2. Be equipped with modular 8-position plugs on both ends, wired straight through with standards compliant wiring.
- 3. Have a boot that features an ultra slim design for high density applications and snag free operation.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 PALLETTE

- A. Patch Cable Color Codes
  - 1. The Intermountain Healthcare Enterprise standard for patch cable color is in Section 270553.
  - 2. The patch cable color shall match the feed cable color to identify the service provided.
  - 3. Exception: Patch cables between devices at work stations optionally may be Black in color.
- B. Patch Cord Labeling Requirements
  - 1. Patch cords/Equipment cords shall be labeled the same as the Horizontal cable with a mechanically generated label within 300mm (12 in) of each end of the patch cord. Label configuration to be determined by Intermountain Healthcare.
- C. Contractor furnished
  - 1. The quantity of patch cords to be provided shall be specified in the plans.
    - a. If not included, count 1 for each data jack, 1 for each closet port, 1 for each telephone set

### **APPENDIX 01 – DEVIATION REQUEST PROCESS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 DEFINITIONS

- A. Cable Plant Deviation
  - 1. A business need to not fully comply with the requirements of the "Division 27 Communications and Structured Cabling Specification document"
- B. Cable Plant Deviation Request form.
  - 1. The document is available from the Facilities Planning team, the Data Center Ops team, or the Infrastructure Cabling team.
  - 2. Usage:
    - a. The deviation request form shall be used if there is a business need to not comply with the requirements of the "Division 27 Communications and Structured Cabling Specification document"
    - b. The deviation request form should also be used to propose a change to that document. Always verify that you are using the current version of the Standard before requesting a modification.

### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Specifications throughout all Divisions of the Project Manual are directly applicable to this Section, and this Section is directly applicable to them, including but not limited to the listing found in Section 270000.
- C. Will soon be available in the IS service Catalog.

### **PART 2 - PROCESS**

### 2.1 STANDARDS MODIFICATION

A. Check the box and explain why the standard should be modified.

### 2.2 ALTERNATE PRODUCT

A. The deviation form must be completed, submitted through channels, and approved prior to any deviation from the specifications. This includes issuing change orders.

### 2.3 AUTHORIZED SIGNATURES

A. Both the Standards Holder and the Operations Manager are required for a deviation to be valid.

### 2.4 DEVIATION REVIEW PROCESS STEPS

A. First be sure that there is an actual need. Then be certain that your manager, supervisor, or project manager agrees with the requested deviation. Be sure to state this or obtain their

- signature on the deviation form. By doing so you are confirming that your supervisor or project manager has approved.
- B. The requestor will then complete sections 1, 2, and 3 of the deviation form.
  - 1. The requestor should then digitally sign in the designated location at the end of Section 3. Do not write in the sections below 3.
- C. Forward the saved copy of this form to the Standards Holder via email. If the word "Deviation" is the first word in the message subject line, we'll try to give it high priority.
  - 1. Mail to: melissa.lopez2@imail.org
- D. The Standards Holder will then review and evaluate the request. The requestor should be prepared to provide plans, specifications, and competitive bids if requested. Any email threads or meeting discussions regarding the issue will be taken into consideration.
- E. The Standards Holder will then cast an Approve or Deny vote and forward the request to the Operations Management for a decision.
- F. When the decision has been made by the Operations Manager, the Standards Holder will then notify the requestor by returning the completed and signed form via email.
- G. An approved deviation will have the final disposition button 'Approved' and be signed by at least 2 people. One will be from the Standards Holder, and the other from the Operations Director or above. Other signatures may be required for specific features and areas such as Safety, Security, Print, Medical group, etc.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 POST DECISION EXECUTION

- A. DENIED
  - 1. If the requester is not satisfied with the decision, they may file an appeal with the Data Center Operations manager (shawn.folkman@imail.org), who will then escalate the issue to the appropriate business leaders as needed. The decision from the appeal is final.
- B. APPROVED
  - 1. If a deviation is approved for contracted material, labor, or method; the facilities project manager will arrange for fulfillment or contract adjustment as needed via appropriate contract channels such as change orders.

### **APPENDIX 02- DOCUMENT REFRESH PROCESS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 NOT USED

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 APPROVED PRODUCT

- A. The purpose of this section is to help ensure a current standards document.
- B. The product delivered will be a current revision or version of the Cable Plant Standards Document.
- C. All changes must be approved by Enterprise Infrastructure Cabling team.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 REVIEWS AND UPDATES

### A. Minor updates

- 1. The Enterprise Infrastructure Cabling Manager will review the document at least quarterly.
  - a. Changes that do not significantly affect scope of work, or contract pricing will be made, and the Rev number will be updated. (i.e. updated part numbers, etc.)
  - b. Significant changes will be made and added to the Change Log for review and approval of the Plant Cabling Initiative Team.
    - 1) When approved, they will be submitted to the EARB for approval; and then implemented in the new Version.

### B. Major updates

- 1. The Plant Cabling Initiative Team will review the entire document at least once every three years.
  - a. This review will coincide with the release of new versions of NFPA70 (National Electrical Code) (2014, 2017, etc. to be completed by the end of each designated year))
  - b. The review will cover standards adjustments that may be deemed necessary and ensure compliance with applicable codes and standards.
- 2. Upon completion of the reviews and updates, the standards document will be submitted for approval by the EARB.

# SECTION 276003 APPENDIX 03 – DEVICE DENSITY REFERENCE STANDARD

Environment	Function	Recommended Density
Patient Services	Patient Room, Nurses Stations	High
	Administration, Registration, Library	Med
	Family Lounge, Waiting Room, Consultation	Low
Caregiver	Nurse Station	High
	Clean Utility, Nourishment, Charting, Workroom, Galley, Read Room	Medium
	Exam Room, Soiled Utility	Low
Diagnostic & Treatment	MRI, Simulation, Linear Accelerator, CT Scan & control rooms, Procedure and Operating Rooms, Lab	High
	Fluoroscopy, Radiograph, X-Ray, Radiation Processing	Low
Surgery, Procedure, Operating Rooms	Intensive Care Rooms, Operating Room	High
	Anesthesia, Patient Prep, Holding and Recovery	Medium
	Sterile and sub-sterile Zone	Low
Emergency	Observation, Procedure Rooms	High
	Evaluation, Exam Rooms	Medium
	Ambulance Bay	Low
Critical Care	ICU, Neonatal ICU, Recovery	High
Ambulatory	Out-Patient Surgery Rooms	High
Care	Procedure Rooms, Mammography, Exam Rooms	Medium
	Biopsy, X-Ray, Patient Holding	Low
Women's	Labor / Delivery Room, Infant Bays	High
Health/ Maternity	Nursery	Medium
	Ultrasound Lactation	Low
Service/ Support	Anesthesia Area	High
	Blood Bank Area, Pharmacy Area	Medium
Facilities	Security Office Command Center	High
	Fire Command	Medium
	Janitor, Electrical, Communication, Building Utility, Elevator Machine, Mechanical, Specialty Storage	Low
Operations	Admin, Conf Room, Food Service, Central Sterile	Medium
	General, Cafeteria, Locker, Showers Laundry, Lounge, On Call Suite,	Low

TIA-1170 Healthcare Facility Telecommunications Infrastructure Standard includes recommended telecommunication outlet/connector densities at the work areas for different healthcare environments. Within the various environments, the TIA-1170 recommended outlet density varies depending on the function performed at that location, as shown in the table below. TIA-1170 defines outlet/connector densities in ranges, which are significantly broader in scope than commercial cacling standards. Since adding outlets after initial construction can be complex and disruptive to a healthcare facility, the standard recommends that designers select a number between the midpoint and upper end of the range if no other guidance or direction is provided. The outlet density ranges are as follows:

- Low—2 to 6 outlets in each area.
- Medium—6 to 14 outlets in each area
- High—greater than 14 outlets in each area

### **APPENDIX 04 - REFERENCE STANDARDS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. Codes and Standards (Most recent editions with addenda/TSB, etc.) All materials, installation and workmanship shall meet or exceed the applicable requirements and standards addressed within the references listed below:
  - 1. ANSI/TIA-568-C.0 and addenda" Generic Telecommunications Cabling for Customer Premises Part 1: General Requirements"
  - 2. ANSI/TIA-568-C.1 and addenda" Commercial Building Telecommunications Cabling Standard Part 1: General Requirements
  - 3. ANSI/TIA-568-C.2 and addenda" Commercial Building Telecommunications Cabling Standard Part 2: Balanced Twisted-Pair"
  - 4. ANSI/TIA-568-C.3 and addenda" Commercial Building Telecommunications Cabling Standard Part 3: Optical Fiber Cabling and Components Standard"
  - 5. ANSI/TIA/EIA-569-B and addenda" Commercial Building Standard for Telecommunications Pathways and Spaces"
  - 6. ANSI/TIA/EIA-606-B-1 and addenda" Administration Standard for the Telecommunications Infrastructure of Commercial Buildings"
  - 7. ANSI-J-STD-607-B and addenda" Commercial Building Grounding and Bonding Requirements for Telecommunications"
  - 8. IEEE 803.3at PoE Plus and Next Gen PoE CFI March 2013 and IEEE P802.3ba latest draft revision and amendments.
  - 9. "Media Access Control Parameters, Physical Layers and Management Parameters for 40 Gbp/s and 100 Gbp/s Operation".
  - 10. ANSI/TIA/EIA-526-7" Measurement of Optical Power Loss of Installed Single-Mode Fiber Cable Plant"
  - 11. ANSI/TIA/EIA-526-14A" Optical Power Loss Measurements of Installed Multimode Fiber Cable Plant"
  - 12. ANSI/TIA-758-A, "Customer-Owned Outside Plant Telecommunications Infrastructure Standard"
  - 13. ANSI/TIA-942-A Data Center Standard Incorporate TIA-942 Addendum 1 (coaxial cables and E1, T1, E3, T3 circuit distances) Incorporate TIA-942 Addendum 2 (RF interference, lighting levels, revised temperature & humidity, addition of Cat 6A, revised Tiering) and ONVIF 2.0 Profiling concept.
  - 14. ANSI/TIA 1179 "Healthcare Facility Telecommunications Infrastructure Standard"
  - IEC/TR3 61000-5-2 Ed. 1.0 and amendments "Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 5: Installation and mitigation guidelines - Section 2: Earthing and cabling"
  - 16. ISO/IEC 11801:2010 Ed2.0 and amendments" Information technology Generic cabling for customer premises"
  - 17. CENELEC EN 50173:2000 and amendments" Information Technology Generic cabling systems"
  - 18. AIA Guidelines for Hospital Telecommunication Facilities
  - 19. Construction Specification Institute Master Format

- 20. BICSI: Comply with the most current editions of the following BICSI manuals:
  - a. BICSI Telecommunications Distribution Methods Manual
  - b. BICSI Installation Transport Systems Information Manual
  - c. BICSI Network Design Reference Design Manual
  - d. BICSI Outside Plant Design Reference Manual
  - e. BICSI Wireless Design Reference Manual
  - f. BICSI -Electronic Safety and Security Design Reference Manual
  - g. Info COMM/BICSI AV Design Reference Manual
- 21. Underwriters Laboratories (UL) Cable Certification and Follow-Up Program.
- 22. National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)
- 23. American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM)
- 24. National Electrical Code (NEC) NFPA70 2011
- 25. National Electrical Safety Code (NESC) 2009
- 26. Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)
- 27. UL Testing Bulletin
- 28. Building Industry Consulting Services International (BICSI) Information Transport Systems Methods Manual (ITSMM)
- 29. Local, county, state and federal regulations and codes in effect as of date of installation.
- 30. Equipment of foreign manufacture must meet U.S. codes and standards. It shall be indicated in the proposal the components that may be of foreign manufacture, if any, and the country of origin.

### **APPENDIX 05 – DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS**

### **RELATED TERMS**

- A. Codes and Standards (Most recent editions with addenda/TSB, etc.) All materials, installation and workmanship shall meet or exceed the applicable requirements and standards addressed within the references listed below:
  - 1. Basket Cable Tray: A fabricated structure consisting of wire mesh bottom and side rails.
  - 2. BICSI: Building Industry Consulting Service International.
  - 3. CBC: Coupled Bonding Conductor
  - 4. CFCI: Customer Furnished Customer Installed
  - 5. Cable Run A single cable to a single location
  - 6. Cable Drop Two cables to a single location
  - 7. Cable Tri Drop Three cables to a single location
  - 8. CT Coupler A type of wall connector made by the Siemon Company
  - 9. DCO: Data Center Operations
  - 10. Div.1: Division 1 General and Performance Requirements
  - 11. Div. 23: Division 23 Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning
  - 12. Div. 22: Division 22 Plumbing
  - 13. Div. 26: Division 26 Electrical
  - 14. Div. 27: Division 27 Communications and Audio Visual
  - 15. Div. 28: Division 28 Electronic Safety and Security
  - 16. E.E.: Electrical Engineer
  - 17. EMI: Electromagnetic Interference
  - 18. F/UTP: Foil over Unshielded Twisted Pair. Individual pairs are unshielded.
  - 19. GC: General Contractor
  - 20. GE: Ground Equalizer
  - 21. Horizontal Cabling: The cable and connecting hardware utilized to transport communications signals
  - 22. ICT: Infrastructure Cabling Team
  - 23. IDF: Intermediate Distribution Frame (Horizontal Distribution)
  - 24. LAN: Local Area Network
  - 25. MDF: Main Distribution Frame
  - 26. MDR: Main Distribution Room
  - 27. N/A: Not Applicable
  - 28. NIC: Not in Contract
  - 29. OFCI: Owner Furnished Contractor Installed
  - 30. OFOI: Owner Furnished Owner Installed
  - 31. OTDR: Optical Time Domain Reflectometer
  - 32. Outlet/Connectors: A connecting device in the work area on which horizontal cable or outlet cable terminates.
  - 33. RCDD: Registered Communications Distribution Designer
  - 34. RFI: Radio Frequency Interference
  - 35. TBA or TBD: To Be Determined
  - 36. TDR: Technology Distribution Room
  - 37. TEC: Technology Equipment Center
  - 38. TGB: Telecommunications Ground Bus Bar
  - 39. TMBC: Telecommunications Main Bonding Conductor
  - 40. TMGB: Telecommunications Main Grounding Bus Bar
  - 41. TR: Telecommunications Room

- 42. TSER: Telecommunications Service Entrance Room
- 43. UTP: Unshielded Twisted Pair
- 44. Work Area: approx. 100 sq. ft. equipped for work station equipment

DCO = Data Center Operations - <u>Boe.Sausedo@imail.org</u>
ICT = Infrastructure Cabling Team - <u>Melissa.lopez2@imail.org</u>

### SECTION 276006 APPENDIX 06 – MATERIAL SUPPLIERS

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 RELATED TERMS

- A. Siemon Authorized Suppliers are listed below. To help prevent counterfeiting and support warranties, known, factory authorized distributers are recommended.
  - 1. Approved Suppliers of Siemon cable, patch panels, jacks, and parts:

### **Anixter**

Randi Whittaker

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3775 W. California Ave. Ste 400 Fax: (801) 973-4472

Salt Lake City, UT 84104 US Email: <a href="mailto:randi.whittaker@anixter.com">randi.whittaker@anixter.com</a>

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3775 W. California Ave. Ste 400 Fax: (801) 973-4472

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### **Graybar Electric**

Elizabeth Vaughn

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2841 South 900 West Fax: (801) 973-4314

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### WESCO / CSC

**Brian Walters** 

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Contractor Outside Sales Main Phone: (801) 975-0600 3210 South 900 West Direct: (801) 618-6665 Salt Lake City, UT 84119 US Email: <a href="mailto:Atueller@wesco.com">Atueller@wesco.com</a>

B. The Siemon Company is represented locally by: Rob\_Long@siemon.com

### **APPENDIX 07 - CERTIFIED INSTALLATION FIRMS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 **RELATED TERMS**

- A. NOTE: Cable installers have rigorous requirements to be certified for Siemon cables and products. Validation of certification is required prior to accepting a bid.
- B. The firms selected to bid must be pre-approved by the local facility IT manager. Installation firms desiring to do work for Intermountain Healthcare must be selected from the official CI list below.
- C. Current Siemon Approved/Certified Cable Installers for Siemon Network Cable. This list is up to date as of 2016-07-19.
  - Orion Integration Group: 8880 W. Barnes Street, Boise, ID 83709 / Phone 208 321 8000
  - ACS Systems: 925 North Main St. Meridian, ID 83642 / Phone 208 331 8554
  - 3. **IES Commercial**: 1960 S. Milestone, Suite D, Salt Lake City, UT 84104
    - a. Jason King Branch Manager // Phone 801 975 8182 / Fax 385 242 7366 / Mobile 801 381 1508 // Jason.King@iescomm.com / www.iescomm.com
    - b. Boyd Evans Project Manager // Phone 801 975 8191 / Fax 385 242 7366 Mobile 801 381 1518 // Boyd.Evans@iescomm.com / www.iescomm.com
  - 4. Cache Valley Electric: 1338 S. Gustin Rd., Salt Lake City, UT 84104
    - a. Travis Grant Acct. Manager // Phone 801 908 4170 / Fax 801 908 7401 Mobile 801 870-7226 // Email: Travis.Grant@cve.com / www.cve.com
    - b. Brad Readicker Acct. Manager // Phone 801 908 2686 / Fax 801 908 7401 // Brad.Readicker@cve.com / www.cve.com
  - 5. Data Tech Professionals: 1199 S 520 W, Payson, UT 84651
    - a. Jesse Pierce President // Phone 801 960 2202 / Mobile 801 420 0463 Jesse@datatechprofessionals.com / www.datatechprofessionals.com
  - 6. **Data Plus**: 769 Middlegate Road, Henderson, NV 89118 / 702 795 3282
  - 7. **Mojave Electric**: 3755 W. Hacienda Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89118 / Phone 702 798 2970
  - 8. **The Morse Group**: 3874 Silvestri Lane, Las Vegas, NV 89120 / Phone 702 257 4400

# **DIVISION 28 - ELECTRONIC SAFETY AND SECURITY** Not Used

# **DIVISIONS 30 thru 48**

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