

Bidder Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone #: _____
Email: _____

**2025 Asphalt Overlay, Sealcoating & Striping
Multiple Locations**

BID DATE: February 10, 2025

BID TIME: 09:00am

PREPARED BY:

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
1685 W. Higgins Road
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169-2998
Telephone: (847) 885-7500
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December 5, 2024

Dear Bidder:

Enclosed you will find the plans, specifications and bidding materials for **2025 Asphalt Overlay, Sealcoating and Striping**. All pertinent information is included in the attached package. Please submit the Proposal Forms, Certification, References, and Bid Bonds. Please copy your proposal and retain one copy for your records.

I look forward to reviewing your bid proposal and working with you on this project. If you have further questions or need to meet at the site, please contact me 847-285-5465.

Sincerely,

Dustin Hugen

Dustin Hugen
Director of Parks, Planning, & Maintenance

INVITATION TO BIDS

Sealed bids for **2025 Asphalt Overlay, Sealcoating and Striping** will be received by the Hoffman Estates Park District at our office; 1685 West Higgins Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169 until **exactly 09:00 A.M. February 10, 2025** and then publicly opened and read. Bids submitted after the closing time will be returned unopened. No oral or telephone proposals or modifications will be considered.

The Hoffman Estates Park District Board of Commissioners will make the final award.

Proposals shall be submitted on the attached Form of Proposal and returned in the envelope, if provided. No bidder may withdraw his proposal after the hour set for the opening thereof, or before award of the contract, unless said award is delayed for a period exceeding sixty (60) calendar days.

The Hoffman Estates Park District requires all bidders to comply with all provisions of the Park District Prevailing Wage Ordinance **O-18-005**. This ordinance specifies that no less than the general prevailing rate of wages as found by the Park District or Department of Labor or determined by a court on review shall be paid each draft type of worker or mechanic needed to execute the contract or perform the work.

The Hoffman Estates Park District may reject any or all of the bids on any basis and without disclosure of a reason. The failure to make such a disclosure shall not result in accrual of any right, claim, or cause of action by any unsuccessful Bidder against the Hoffman Estates Park District.

Bid results and the award of the bid will be published on the Hoffman Estates Park District website www.heparks.org.

Sincerely,

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Director of Parks, Planning, & Maintenance

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Identification of Project

The official name and location of the project shall henceforth be known as:

2025 Asphalt Overlay, Sealcoating and Striping

The official name and address of the project owner shall henceforth be known as:

Hoffman Estates Park District
1685 West Higgins Road
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169-2998

Bid Opening: February 10, 2025

Committee Approval: February 18, 2025

Board Approval: February 25, 2025

Contract Awarded: February 27, 2025

Commencement of Work: Commencement of paperwork shall begin immediately upon notification of award. Actual work shall commence immediately on certain projects and shall continue with due diligence until full completion and acceptance.

Substantial Completion Date: Seascape Family Aquatic Center by May 16, 2025, with all other lots and paths by September 12, 2025

2. Contract Documents

The Notice to Bidders, the Instructions to Bidders, the Supplementary Conditions, Drawings, and Specifications, the supplied Form of Proposal, the accepted Bid Sheet and certification comprise the Contract Documents. Copies of these documents can be obtained in person from the office of the Hoffman Estates Park District, 1685 W. Higgins Road, Hoffman Estates IL 60169-2998.

3. Explanation to Bidders

Any explanation desired by a bidder regarding the meaning or interpretation of the invitation for bids, drawings, specifications, etc., must be requested in writing and with sufficient time allowed for a reply to reach bidders before the submission of their bids.

Any interpretation made will be in the form of an amendment of the invitation for bids, drawings, specifications, etc., and will be furnished to all prospective bidders. Its receipt by the bidder must be acknowledged in the space provided on the Bid Form or by letter or telegram received before the time set for opening of bids. Oral explanations or instructions given before the award of the contract will not be binding.

4. Conditions Affecting the Work

Bidders should visit the site and take such other steps as may be reasonably necessary to ascertain the nature and location of the Work, the general and local conditions, which can affect the Work or the cost thereof. Failure to do so will not relieve bidders from responsibility for estimating properly the difficulty or cost of successfully performing the Work.

5. Bid Guarantee, Bonds and Required Paperwork

- A. A Bid Guarantee, five (5%) percent, is required by the invitation for bids. Failure to furnish a Bid Guarantee in the proper form and amount by the time set for opening of bids may be cause for rejection of the bid in the absolute discretion of the Owner.
- B. A Bid Guarantee shall be the form of a bid bond, postal money order, certified check, or cashier's check made payable to the Owner. Bid guarantees, other than those stated, will be returned to the bidder upon opening of bids. Such bids will not be considered for award (a) to unsuccessful bidders as soon as practical after the award of the job, and (b) to the successful bidder upon execution of such further contractual documents and bonds as may be required by the bid as accepted.
- C. The successful bidder, upon being given a "Written Notice to Proceed", will have five (5) calendar days to provide the required Labor and Material Payment Bond, Performance Bond, and Insurance Policies or certificates for same, and commence with the Work. Failure to comply with the conditions set forth in the Contract Documents shall result in the termination of the contract for default. In such event, the Contractor may be liable for any costs of performing the work which exceed the amount of his bid, and the Bid Guarantee shall be available toward offsetting such difference, if not previously returned to the Contractor.

6. Preparation and Submission of Bids

Before submitting proposal, each bidder shall carefully examine all documents pertaining to the Work and visit the site to verify conditions under which Work will be performed.

Submission of bid will be considered presumptive evidence that the Bidder has visited the site and is conversant with local facilities and difficulties, the requirements of the documents and of pertinent State or Local Codes, State of Labor and Material Markets, and has made due allowance in his bid for all contingencies. Include in bid all costs of labor, material, equipment, contractor's license, permits, guarantees, applicable taxes (sales tax does not apply), insurance and contingencies, with overhead and profit necessary to produce a completed project, or to complete those portions of the Work necessary to produce a completed project, or to complete those portions of the Work covered by the specifications on which proposal is made, including all trades, without further cost to the Owner. The Owner shall be responsible for the building permit fee.

No compensation will be allowed by reason of any difficulties which the Bidder could have discovered reasonably, prior to bidding.

All proposals must be made upon the Proposal Form furnished by the Owner attached hereto and should give the amounts bid for work, in numbers, and must be signed and acknowledged by the contractor. The Proposal should be enclosed in the envelope marked "**Bid Proposal for 2025 Asphalt Overlay, Sealcoating and Striping**", **February 10th, 2025 09:00AM.**" showing the return address of the sender and addressed to: Hoffman Estates Park District, 1685 W. Higgins Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169. Bids should be sealed, marked and addressed as directed above. Failure to do so may result in a premature opening of or a failure to open such bid.

The proposal submitted must not contain erasures, inter-lineations, or other corrections unless each correction is suitably authenticated by affixing in the margin immediately opposite the correction the surname or surnames of the person or persons signing the bid.

Modifications of bids already submitted will be considered if received at the office designated in the invitation for bids by the time set for opening of bids. Telegraphic modifications will be considered, but should not reveal the amount of the original or reversed bid.

7. Prices

The prices are to include the furnishing of all materials, equipment, tools, insurance, bonds, warranties, and all other facilities, and the performance of all labor and services necessary for the proper completion of the Work except as may be otherwise expressly provided in the Contract Documents.

8. Time Schedule

The timely execution of any project is extremely important. The successful bidder shall take every means to meet the completion date stated above except for extensions granted by the Owner in writing for circumstances beyond the control of the Bidder.

9. Late Bids and Modifications or Withdrawals

Bids and modifications or withdrawals thereof received at the office designated in the invitation for bids after the exact time set for opening of bids will not be considered.

10. Withdrawal of Bids

Bids may be withdrawn by written or telegraphic request received from bidders prior to the time set for opening of bids.

11. Public Opening of Bids

Bids will be publicly opened at the time set for opening in the invitation for bids. Their content will be made public for the information of bidders and others interested, who may be present either in person or by representative.

12. Award of Contract

- A. Award of Contract will be made to the lowest responsible bidder, as determined by the Board of Commissioners of the Hoffman Estates Park District, whose bid conforms to the invitation for bid.
- B. The Board of Park Commissioners may reject any or all of the bids on any basis and without disclosure of a reason. The failure to make such a disclosure shall not result in accrual of any right, claim, or cause of action by any unsuccessful bidder against the Hoffman Estates Park District.

13. Contract and Insurance

The written contract between the accepted bidder and the Owner shall be considered finalized and entered into between the parties upon the Park District Board's approval and award of the contract to the accepted bidder and the Park District's execution of the accepted bidder's Form of Proposal, and said written contract shall be comprised by the Contract Documents. The accepted bidder shall provide the Owner with a Labor and Material Payment Bond, Performance Bond, and copies of applicable Insurance Policies and endorsements and certificates for same within five (5) calendar days of the "Written Notice to Proceed" and prior to the commencement of work.

14. Postponement of Date for Opening Proposals

The Owner reserves the right to postpone the date of presentation and opening of proposals and will give telegraphic notice of any such postponement to each interested party.

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS

SECTION I – GENERAL

1. Application

These Supplementary Conditions shall be used in conjunction with and are a part of any and all Sections of the Specifications and all Contracts and Subcontracts that may be made for the completion of the work in all its parts as identified and described in the Contract Documents.

2. Definitions

Owner: The Hoffman Estates Park District, Board of Commissioners, Staff and its appointed Owner's representative.

Contractor: A firm, corporation or individual with whom the Owner makes a direct Contract for the construction of all or any portion of the work.

Architect/Engineer: The authorized representative of the Owner.

Subcontractor: A firm, corporation or individual other than employees of a Contractor with whom a Contractor or Subcontractor makes a contract to furnish labor, and/or materials, and/or services in connection with the project.

Owner Representative: An employee of the Hoffman Estates Park District responsible for the coordination of the work involved on the project.

The words "approve", "equal to", "as directed", etc., are interpreted and will be taken to mean "to the satisfaction of the Owner." Samples shall be submitted and approvals shall be requested in ample time to avoid any delays should resubmission of an item be necessary.

3. Contract Documents

The Contract Documents shall consist of the Notice to Bidders, the Instructions to Bidders, the Supplementary Conditions, the Drawings, the Specifications, the supplied Form of Proposal, and the accepted Bid Sheet and certification.

4. Bonds

- A. With proposal, and attached hereto, each Bidder shall furnish Bid Security payable to the Owner in the amount of 5% of bid.
- B. Include allowance in Lump Sum Proposal for Performance Bond and Labor and Materials Payment Bond in the amount of 100% of Contract Price.
 1. The Contractor, before commencing the Work, shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Bond. The Performance Bond shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the full amount of the Contract Sum as security for the faithful performance of the obligation of the Contract Documents, and the Labor and Material Payment Bond shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the full amount of the Contract Sum as security for the payment of all persons performing labor and

furnishing materials in connection with the Contract Documents. Such bonds shall be on standard AIA Documents, issued by the American Institute of Architect/Engineers, shall be issued by a surety satisfactory to the Owner, and shall name the Owner as a primary co-obligee. The cost of the bonds is to be included in the Bid Proposal. The Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond will become a part of the Contract. Each Bidder shall list the name of the surety company that will be furnishing the Bonds on its Bid Proposal. The failure of a Bidder to list the name of its surety company on its Bid Proposal shall be a non-responsive bid. The failure of the successful Bidder to supply the required Bonds within five (5) days after the Notice of Award or within such extended period as the Owner may grant if the forms do not meet its approval shall constitute a default, and the Owner may either award the Contract to the next responsible, responsive Bidder or re-advertise for bids. A charge against the defaulting Bidder may be made for the difference between the amount of the bid and the amount for which a contract for the work is subsequently executed, irrespective of whether the amount thus due exceeds the amount of the bid guarantee.

2. The Contractor shall deliver the required bonds to the Owner not later than five (5) days following the date the Agreement is entered into, or if the Work is to be commenced prior thereto in response to a letter of intent, the Contractor shall, prior to the commencement of the Work, submit evidence satisfactory to the owner that such bonds will be furnished.
3. The contractor shall require the attorney-in-fact who executed the required bonds on behalf of the surety to affix thereto a certified and current copy of the power of attorney.
4. Whenever the Contractor shall be and is declared by Owner to be in default under the Contract, the Surety and the Contractor are each responsible to make full payment to the Owner or any and all extra Work incurred by the Architect/Engineer as a result of the Contractor's default, and to pay to Owner all attorney's fees and court costs incurred by Owner as a result of the Contractor's default, and in protecting Owner's rights under the Agreement to remedy Contractor's default.
5. The Contractor shall (i) furnish all Surety Company's bonds through Surety Company's local agents approved by and/or as directed by Owner; (ii) fully covered and guarantee with said bond the faithful performance and completion of the entire Contract, including without limitation, the faithful performance of prevailing wage requirements; and (iii) guarantee with said bond payment in all cases by the Contractor or by the Surety Company for all labor performed, material and supplies furnished with the entire Work in the Contract. Said Bond shall remain in full force and effect during the entire period of all general guarantees given by the Contractor with the Contract as called for in the Specifications and Contract, except in cases where other bonds are specifically called for in the specifications and Contract in connection with special guarantees.

5. Payment

The Contractor may present estimate of work for which he desires payment no later than the first Monday of each month, based on cost of labor and material incorporated into the work. Estimate shall be a Sworn Statement and shall show relative amount of each item completed. Submit Partial Waivers of Lien, including for first payout, from Contractors,

Subcontractors and Material Suppliers with Sworn Statement for monthly payout. Payments will be made within approximately thirty (30) days after review by the Owner. Notwithstanding, anything to the contrary contained in the Contract Documents, payouts are to be made by checks payable to the Contractor. The Contractor will be required to submit a sworn payroll statement according to the Illinois Department of Labor documenting his compliance with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act.

Final Payment will be made within approximately thirty (30) days of final inspection and approval and receipt of all waivers, sworn statements, guarantee statements, and other documents set forth in the Contract Documents.

6. Preparation of Bids

Before submitting proposal, each bidder shall examine carefully all documents pertaining to the work and visit the sites to verify conditions under which work will be performed. Submittal of the Bid Proposal by the Contractor is a representation by the Contractor, that the Contract Documents are full and complete, are sufficient to enable the Contractor to determine the cost of the Work and that the Contract Documents are sufficient to enable it to construct the Work outlined therein, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, and otherwise to fulfill all its obligations hereunder, including, but not limited to, Contractor's obligations to construct the Work for an amount not in excess of the contract Sum on or before the date(s) of Completion established in the Agreement. The Contractor further acknowledges and declares that it has visited and examined the Project site, examined all physical and other conditions affecting the Work and is fully familiar with all of the conditions thereon and thereunder affecting the same. In connection therewith, Contractor specifically represents and warrants to Owner that prior to the submission of its bid it has: (a) thoroughly examined the location of the work to be performed, is familiar with local conditions, and has read and thoroughly understands the Contract Documents as they relate to the physical conditions prevalent or likely to be encountered in the performance of the work at such location; (2) examined the nature, location and character of the general area in which the Project is located, including without limitation, its climatic conditions, available labor supply and labor costs, and available equipment supply and equipment costs; and (3) examined the quality and quantity of all materials, supplies, tools, equipment, labor, and professional services necessary to complete the Work in the manner and within the cost and time frame required by the Contract Documents.

Submission of bid will be considered presumptive evidence that the Bidder has visited the site and is conversant with local facilities and difficulties, the requirements of the documents and of pertinent State, County or Local Codes, State of Labor and Material Markets, and has made due allowance in his bid for all contingencies.

Include in bid all costs of labor, material, equipment, allowance, fees, permits, guarantees, applicable taxes (**sales tax does not apply**), insurance and contingencies, with overhead and profit necessary to complete those portions of the work covered by the specifications on which proposal is made, including all trades, without further cost to the Owner. Obtain all permits and arrange for all inspections. Pay all fees, permits and costs incurred.

No compensation will be allowed by reason of any difficulties, which the Bidder could have discovered prior to bidding.

7. Fees and Inspection

The Contractor is responsible for all license fees and arrangements for all inspections required by State, County, Local and other authorities having lawful jurisdiction. The Owner is responsible for all building permit fees associate with the Work.

8. Subcontracts

Contractors operating under direct Contracts with the Owner may let Subcontracts for the performance of such portions of the work as are usually executed by special trades. All such Subcontracts shall be based on conformance with all pertinent conditions set forth in the Contract Documents, including the Supplementary Conditions as well as the detailed requirements of the portions of the drawings and specifications which depict or describe the work (labor and materials) covered by the Subcontract.

No Work may be sublet without approval of the Owner, who reserves the right to disapprove any proposed Subcontractor whose record does not establish his experience, competence, and financial ability to perform the work.

9. Materials

Materials shall conform to the drawings, specifications, manufacturer's specifications for all products incorporated into the work, and all applicable standards and guidelines.

Some specific equipment and materials have been specified for use on this project to establish minimum performance requirements or desired features. To receive consideration of alternate equipment or materials, the Bidder must submit all appropriate product data and receive pre-bid approval from the Owner. All materials are subject to the approval by the Owner both before and after incorporation in the project.

All condemned material or work shall be removed from the premises and properly disposed of.

10. Law Compliance

All project construction work shall comply with all State and Municipal Laws and Regulation, and with all Local Ordinances and Rules pertaining to this work. Such Laws, Regulations, Ordinances and Rules shall be considered a part of these specifications.

A. The Contractor warrants that it is familiar with and shall comply with Federal, State and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations and the orders and decrees of any courts or administrative bodies or tribunals in any manner affecting the performance of the Contract including without limitation Workers= Compensation Laws, minimum salary and wage statutes and regulations, laws with respect to permits and licenses and fees in connection therewith, laws regarding maximum working hours. No plea of misunderstanding or ignorance thereof will be considered.

- B. Whenever required, the Contractor or Subcontractor shall furnish the Architect/Engineer and Owner with satisfactory proof of compliance with said Federal, State and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, orders, and decrees.
- C. Contractor shall carefully examine the Occupational Safety and health Act as issued by the Federal Register (OSHA), and the specific regulations governing procedures, techniques, safety precautions, equipment design, and the configuration of the same as required under this Act and shall comply with all terms of the Act and to perform and complete in a workmanlike manner all work required in full compliance with said Act.
- D. Contractor shall comply with all terms of the Illinois Preference Act and all terms of the Equal Employment Opportunity Clause of the Illinois Fair Employment Practices Commission.
- E. At all times Contractor shall remain in compliance with the Illinois Public Works Employment Discrimination Act (775 ILCS 10/1, et seq.,) and the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/2-101, et seq.,), and in addition shall at all times comply with Section 2-105 of the Illinois Human Rights Act requiring a written sexual harassment policy as defined therein.
- F. Contractor and all subcontractors shall be solely responsible for complying with the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act, Public Act 095-06345.
- G. Contractor agrees to maintain all records and documents for projects of the District in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq. In addition, Contractor shall produce records which are responsive to a request received by the District under the Freedom of Information Act so that the District may provide records to those requesting them within the time frames required. If additional time is necessary to compile records in response to a request, then Contractor shall so notify the District and if possible, the District shall request an extension so as to comply with the Act. In the event that the District is found to have not complied with the Freedom of Information Act due to Contractor's failure to produce documents or otherwise appropriately respond to a request under the Act, then Contractor shall indemnify and hold the District harmless, and pay all amounts determined to be due including but not limited to fines, costs, attorney's fees and penalties.
- H. Contractor understands, represents and warrants to the Owner that the Contractor and its Subcontractors (for which the Contractor takes responsibility to insure that they comply with the above-mentioned Acts) are in compliance with all requirements provided by the Acts set forth in Article 15 and that they will remain in compliance for the entirety of the Work. A violation of any of the Acts set forth in this Article is cause for the immediate cancellation of the Contract. However, any forbearance or delay by the Owner in canceling this Contract shall not be considered as, and does not constitute, Owners consent to such violation and a waiver of any rights the Owner may have, including without limitation, cancellation of this Contract.
- I. Contractor and each of its Subcontractors shall pay prevailing wages as established by the Illinois Department of Labor for each craft or type of work needed to execute the contract in accordance with 820 ILCS 130/.01 et seq. The Contractor shall prominently post the current schedule of prevailing wages at the Contract site and shall notify immediately in writing all of its Subcontractors, of all changes in the schedule of prevailing wages. Any increases in costs to the Contractor due to changes in the prevailing rate of wage during the terms of any contract shall be at the expense of the Contractor and not at the expense of the Owner. The change order shall be computed using the prevailing wage rates applicable at the time the change

order work is scheduled to be performed. The Contractor shall be solely responsible to maintain accurate records as required by the prevailing wage statute and shall be solely liable for paying the difference between prevailing wages and any wages actually received by laborers, workmen and/or mechanics engaged in the Work

11. Supervision

The Contractor shall maintain a highly qualified technician on the job site at all times. The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among his employees and the Subcontractors at all times work is in progress. The Contractor shall not employ any unfit person or anyone not skilled in the work assigned to him.

12. Equipment and Tools

Furnish and maintain all equipment tools and apparatus, scaffolding, and all temporary work and materials necessary to perform the work.

13. Expediting

Place orders for materials and equipment immediately upon receipt of Contract or Notice to Proceed and follow up vigorously to insure adequate and timely supply to the work. Perform all tracings and expediting actions and arrange to get workmen in the job at the proper time to avoid delays.

14. Sanitary

The Contractor shall provide suitable, temporary toilet facilities at a specified location, for workmen on the project, complying in every respect with Local and County requirements. Unit shall be chemically treated, serviced at regular intervals, and maintained in a sanitary condition at all times.

15. Existing Utilities

The Contractor shall be responsible for locating and protecting all existing utilities, public and private, for the duration of the job. Prior to the commencement of any work, the Contractor shall notify all public and private utilities for the purpose of verifying, marking, and recording the locations of all underground or overhead utilities, temporary or permanent. Any repair/replacement costs or associated damage will be the responsibility of the Contractor.

16. Testing and Observations

The Contractor shall give the Owner, Village Inspector, and Manufacturer's Representative proper notice of readiness of Work for all required observations, tests, or reviews.

If Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction requires any Work (or part thereof) to specifically observed or tested, Contractor shall assume full responsibility therefor, pay all costs in connection therewith and furnish Engineer with the required

certificates of inspection, testing, or approval. Contractor shall be responsible for and pay all costs in connection with any inspection or testing required in connection with Owner's or Manufacturer's agreed to Supplier of materials or equipment proposed to be incorporated into the Work, or of materials or equipment submitted for approval prior to the Contractor's purchase thereof for incorporation in the Work.

The cost of all observations, tests, and approvals in addition to the above which are required by the Contract Documents shall be paid by the Owner (unless otherwise specified).

All observations, tests, or reviews other than those required by Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction shall be performed by organizations agreed to by Owner and Contractor (or Manufacturer if so specified).

Should testing reveal deficiencies due to Contractor error, subsequent testing costs shall be paid by Contractor.

If any work (including the work of others) that is to be observed or tested is covered without the written concurrence of the Owner, it must, if requested by Engineer, be uncovered of observation. Such uncovering shall be at the expense of the Contractor unless Contractor has given Owner or Village Inspector timely notice of Contractor's intention to cover such work and Engineer has not acted with reasonable promptness in response to such notice. Neither observations by Owner nor observations, tests, nor reviews by others shall relieve the Contractor from his obligations to perform the work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

17. Acceptance Preceding Work (if applicable)

Before starting any operation, the Contractor and Subcontractors shall examine work performed by others to which his work adjoins or is applied and report any condition that will prevent satisfactory accomplishment of his Contract. Failure to notify the Owner in writing of deficiencies or faults in preceding work will constitute acceptance thereof and waiver of any claims and its unsuitability.

18. Cutting and Patching

When necessary to cut or alter completed work to accommodate another trade, the Contractor or Subcontractor for work in places, shall do all cutting for and repair of portions of the work so disturbed. Where cutting is necessitated by fault or negligence of another Contractor, all costs of cutting and repairing shall be borne by the party at fault.

19. Damage to Current

Each Contractor shall adequately protect all preceding work from damage caused by him or his works. All breakage or damage will be repaired by trade concerned at the cost of the party causing damage. Each Contractor, however, shall be responsible for adequate protection of his own work against normal construction risks.

20. Housekeeping

Keep site of operations free from accumulations of rubbish and waste materials at all times. See that Subcontractors remove and dispose of their rubbish. Arrangements for removal and disposition of rubbish will be made by Contractors concerned at no cost to the Owner.

Should any Contractor or Subcontractor allow rubbish or waste material to accumulate on any portion of the site or in any portion of the building to such extent that the accumulation constitutes a hazard or obstructs the prosecution of the work in any way. The Owner may, if Contractor or Subcontractor at fault fails to remove such rubbish or waste materials within three (3) days after written notice to clear up the accumulation, engage prior labor or services of another Contractor to make necessary removal and disposition and to charge cost against monies due to Contractor or Subcontractor at fault.

21. Protection

- A. Property: Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall take such precaution as are necessary adequately to protect from damage or deterioration and to safeguard from theft or pilferage, all materials, tools and equipment pertaining to his work which are on the site, whether stored or incorporated in the structure.
- B. Safety: Provide all barricades or other temporary protection as may be required by local authorities having lawful jurisdiction, or be considered of general safety, around all openings in floors and walls of the structure, and around all open pits or trenches in its vicinity.
- C. Weather: Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall at all times provide protection against rain, snow, wind storms, frost or heat so as to maintain all work, materials, apparatus, and fixtures, free from injury or damage.

At the end of each day's work, all new work subject to damage by the elements and all points where water or frost may enter any part of the structure or work shall be covered.

- D. Water: General Contractor shall at all times protect excavations, trenches, and building from damage from rain water, snow, spring water, ground water backing up of drains or sewers and all other water. He shall provide all pumps and equipment enclosures required for such protection.

He shall also construct and maintain any temporary drainage necessary to direct or lead water away from the work and shall do all pumping necessary to keep excavation and lowest floor free of water at all times.

- E. Damage: All work damaged by failure to provide protection shall be removed and replaced with new work at the expense of the Contractor at fault.

22. Guarantee

The Contractor and/or manufacturer shall provide a minimum of one (1) year warranty for all materials and workmanship associated with the project or work performed under the Contract.

23. Insurance

- **Worker's Compensation**
 - State: Statutory
 - Applicable Federal (e.g., Longshoremen's): Statutory
 - Employer's Liability
 - \$500,000.00 Per Accident
 - \$500,000.00 Disease, Policy Limit
 - \$500,000.00 Disease, Each Employee
- If written under **Commercial General Liability Policy** Form
 - \$2,000,000.00 General Aggregate
 - \$1,000,000.00 Products Completed Operations Aggregate
 - \$1,000,000.00 Personal and Advertising Injury
 - \$1,000,000.00 Each Occurrence
 - \$ 50,000.00 Fire Damage (any one fire)
 - \$ 50,000.00 Medical Expense (any one person)
- **Business Automobile Liability** (including owned, non-owned and hired vehicles):
 - Bodily Injury
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Person
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Accident
 - Property Damage
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Occurrence
- **Umbrella Excess Liability**
 - \$2,000,000.00 over Primary Insurance
 - \$2,000,000.00 Retention for Self-Insured Hazards Each Occurrence

- A. General: The Contractor shall not commence work under the Contract until he has obtained all insurance required, and it has been approved by the Owner, nor shall Contractor allow any Subcontractor to commence work on any portion of the work until all insurance required of the Subcontractor and Sub-subcontractor has been similarly approved by the Owner.

All such insurance shall be purchased only from companies licensed and duly authorized by the Department of Insurance of the State of Illinois to do business in Illinois and to write the types of insurance policies as herein specified. Insurance companies must have a minimum policy holder's rating of A+ and a financial rating of AAAAA as stated in the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide.

The insurance coverages must be maintained by the Contractor and the Subcontractor until all work is completed by the Contractor and accepted by the

Owner. If the policy is written on claims made basis, then the Contractor shall purchase such additional insurance as may be necessary to provide specified coverage to the District for a period of not less than five (5) years from the completion of the work.

- B. Automobile Liability: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of the work, Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance providing for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, limits of an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 per annual aggregate.
- C. General Liability Insurance: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of the work, Comprehensive General Liability Insurance providing for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate.
- D. Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of work, worker's compensation and related insurance coverage at amounts required by statute and employer's liability with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.
- E. Certificates of Insurance: Within five (5) calendar days after receipt of the "Written Notice to Proceed", the Contractor shall file with the Owner, a Certificate of Insurance and Policy Endorsement showing complete coverage of all insurance required by this Section signed by the insurance companies or their authorized agents, certifying to the name and address of the party insured, the description of the work covered by such insurance, the insurance policy numbers, the limits of liability of the policies and the dates of their expirations, with a further certification from said insurance companies that their policies will not be modified, amended, changed, cancelled or terminated without thirty (30) business days prior written notice to the Owner. If any form of umbrella or excess coverage policy is utilized by the Contractor, the Owner reserves the right to require a copy of the entire policy.
- F. All policies of insurance purchased or maintained in fulfillment of this paragraph 24 shall name the Owner and Architect/Engineer as additional insureds thereunder.
- G. Failure of Owner to demand any certificate, endorsement or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of Owner to identify a deficiency from evidence that is provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Contractor's obligation to maintain such insurance. The Contractor agrees that the obligation to provide the insurance required by these documents is solely its responsibility and that this is a requirement which cannot be waived by any conduct, action, inaction or omission by the Owner.
- H. Nothing contained in the insurance requirements of the Contract Documents is to be construed as limiting the liability of the Contractor, the liability of any Subcontractor or any tier or either of their respective insurance carriers. The Owner, does not in any way, represent that the coverages or limits of insurance specified is sufficient or adequate to protect the Owner, Contractor, Architect/Engineer, or any Subcontractor's

interests or liabilities but are merely at minimums. The obligation of the Contractor, the Architect/Engineer, and any Subcontractor of any tier to purchase insurance, shall not, in any way, limit their obligations to the Owner in the event the Owner should suffer an injury or loss in excess of the amount recoverable through insurance, or any loss or portion of the loss which is not covered by either the Contractors or any Subcontractor insurance.

- I. On the Certificate of Insurance, delete in the cancellation provision the following words, "Endeavor to" and "but failure to mail such notice shall impose no obligation or liability of any kind upon the company, its agents or representatives."
- J. All the insurance required of the Contractor shall state that the coverage afforded to the additional insureds shall be primary insurance of the additional insureds with respect to claims arising out of operations performed by or on their behalf. If the additional insureds@ have other insurance or self-insured coverage which is applicable to the loss, it shall be on an excess or contingent basis.
- K. All insurance required of the Contractor shall provide that any failure to comply with reporting provisions of the policies shall not affect coverage provided to the Owner or Architect/Engineer or any of their officers, directors, commissioners, officials, employees, consultants, volunteers, or agents. I. All insurance required of the Contractor shall provide that the insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.
- L. In the event the Contractor fails to furnish and maintain the insurance required by this contract, the Owner may purchase such insurance on behalf of the Contractor, and the Contractor shall pay the cost thereof to the Owner upon demand or shall have such cost deducted from any payments due the Contractor. The Contractor agrees to furnish to the Owner the information needed to obtain such insurance.
- M. In order to protect the Owner and Architect/Engineer the Contractor shall require that all its Subcontractors purchase insurance protecting the Owner and Architect/Engineer to the same extent they are protected by the insurance required herein from the Contractor.
- N. Owner's Liability Insurance
 1. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance covering the Owner's liability for claims which may arise from operations under the Contract and that will protect the Owner and the Architect/Engineer and their agents and employees from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including attorney's fees arising out of or resulting from the performance of the work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense (1) is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury or to destruction of tangible property (other than the work itself) including the loss of use resulting therefrom and (2) is cause in whole or in part by any negligent act of omission of the Contractor, and Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by 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 to whom insurance is afforded pursuant to this paragraph. The minimum

- limits of liability purchased for such coverage shall be equal to the aggregate of the limits required for the Contractor's Liability Insurance under 24 above.
2. In any and all claims against the Owner or the Architect/Engineer or any of their agents or employees by any employee of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the insurance obligation under this paragraph shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Subcontractor under Workmen's Compensation Acts, disability benefit acts or other employee benefit acts.
 3. The insurance obligations of the Contractor under this paragraph shall not extend to the liability of the Architect/Engineer, his agents or employees arising out of (1) the preparation or approval of maps, drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, change orders, designs or specifications or (2) the giving of or failure to give directions or instruction by the Architect/Engineer, his agents or employees provided that such giving or failure to give is the primary cause of the injury damage.
 4. The Contractor shall provide the Owner with the Original policy and shall furnish the Architect/Engineer a memorandum copy of said policy. The named insured in the Protective Liability Policy shall be: Hoffman Estates Park District

24. Indemnification

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall waive any right of contribution against the Owner and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner and the Architect/Engineer and their officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents from and against all claims, damages losses and expenses, including, but not limited to, legal fees (attorney's and paralegal's fees, expert fees and court costs), arising out of or resulting from the performance of the Contractor's work provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or injury to or destruction of property, other than the work itself, including the loss of use resulting therefrom, or is attributable to misuse or improper use of trademark or copyright protected material or otherwise protected intellectual property, to the extent it is caused in whole or in part by any wrongful or negligent act or omission of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduce any other right to indemnity which the Owner would otherwise have. The Contractor shall similarly, protect, indemnify and hold and save harmless, the Owner, its officers, officials, employee, volunteers and agents against and from any and all claims, costs, causes, actions and expenses, including, but not limited to, legal fees, incurred by reason of Contractor's breach of any of its obligations under, or Contractor's default of any provisions of the Contract. The indemnification obligations under this paragraph shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any subcontractor under Workers' Compensation or Disability Benefit Acts or Employee Benefit Acts

25. Labor Law

The Contractor and each and every Subcontractor performing work at the site of the project to which this Contract relates shall comply with applicable and provisions of all pertinent Federal, State, and Local Labor Laws.

26. Final Cleaning

Just prior to delivery of the job to the Owner, the Contractor shall perform a final cleaning of the equipment and haul away from the job site all debris created by his work on the site and surrounding area.

27. Time Schedule/Major Repairs

Work under the Contract shall commence within five (5) calendar days after given "Written Notice to Proceed" by Owners (or date specified) and shall continue with due diligence until due completion.

Each Contractor or Subcontractor shall and does hereby agree that he will start and prosecute his work so as to cause no delay to the Contractor and that he will complete all work under his Contract coincidentally with completion of Contractor's work.

The Contractor shall submit an estimated time schedule setting up order of procedure and time allowed for each branch of work. Contractor shall make every effort to adhere to these schedules, but reasonable modifications will be permitted from time to time to compensate for delays due to strikes or conditions beyond Contractor's control, exclusive of weather.

28. Avoidance of Delays (Major Repairs)

Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall be furnished a copy of the "Time Schedule" referred to above, and each shall so prosecute his work that he not only maintains his progress in accordance with the said Time Schedule but also shall cause no delays to other Contractors, either in person or through a Subcontractor, fail to maintain progress according to the approved Time Schedule or cause delay to another Contractor or Subcontractor, he shall furnish such additional labor and/or services or work such overtime as may be necessary to bring his operation up to schedule with no additional cost to Owner. Failure to maintain schedule or to the above steps to regain the agreed time schedule shall constitute default within the terms of the Contract and grounds on which the Owner may have recourse to the Contractor's Surety for remedial action.

29. Unit Prices and Measurement (if applicable)

Upon completion of the work, a final measurement will be conducted by the Contractor and Owner. Unit prices included in the bid proposal will be applied to the units measured to determine the final/total price of the work.

30. Assignment

The Contractor or any Subcontractor shall not assign the Contract nor any monies due to become due to him hereunder, to any Person, Firm, or Corporation without previous written consent of the Owner.

31. Extras

No extra work shall be allowed or paid for unless a Change Order is made and accepted by the Owner in writing.

32. Examination of Site

Before submitting proposal, contractors shall examine site. Such an examination will be presumed and no allowance will be made for extra labor or materials due to Contractor's failure to do so. Any information furnished by the Owner shall not constitute a representation concerning site conditions and the Contractor shall bear, solely and exclusively, all costs due to concealed, unknown, unusual or otherwise unforeseen conditions at the site. Contractor is aware that all such risk concerning site conditions is borne by it, has considered such in making its bid, and therefore freely waives all of its rights under the Illinois Public Construction Contract Act of 1999.

33. Safety

The Contractor is responsible for the safe passage of pedestrian traffic for the duration of the job. Any precautionary measures, necessary warning signs, barricades, etc., required to inform the general public of potential hazards or dangers and as necessary to assist the Contractor in the performance of the work, shall be at his expense and provided for in his quoted price. **Public safety is a foremost concern of the Owner, therefore failure by the Contractor to take a pro-active approach to safety is unacceptable. If necessary, the Owner will take whatever steps deemed appropriate, at the cost of the Contractor, to ensure the safety of the general public and our employees.**

34. Personnel

If any person employed on the work site be, in the opinion of the Owner, intemperate, disorderly, incompetent, willfully negligent or dishonest in the performance of his duties, he shall be directed to cease work and vacate the job site immediately.

35. Liens

No payment shall become due until the Contractor, if required, shall deliver to Owner a complete release of all liens arising out of this Contract, or receipts in full in lieu thereof and, if required in either case, an affidavit that so far as he has knowledge or information, the releases and receipts include all the labor and material for which a lien could be filed. If any lien remains unsatisfied after all payments are made, the Contractor shall refund to the Owner all monies that the latter may be compelled to pay in discharging such a lien, including all costs and a reasonable attorney's fee.

36. Default

In case of default by the Contractor, the Owner may procure the articles or services from other sources and hold the Contractor responsible for any excess cost occasioned thereby.

37. Cancellation of Contract

If the Contractor or any of his Sub-contractors shall, in the judgment of the Hoffman Estates Park District, be unable to carry on the work satisfactorily, or if the Contractor or any of his Sub-contractors shall violate any of the provisions of this contract, or in case of bankruptcy of the Contractor, or failure of the Contractor to pay for supplies or workmen, or a work-stoppage, or a failure by the Contractor to provide sufficient workmen or sufficient material for the job, the Owner may serve written notice upon the Contractor and his Surety of his intention to terminate the Contract, and, if within seven (7) days after the service of such notice, the Contractor or the Sub-contractor or the Surety have not proceeded to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract and to the satisfaction of the Owner, this Contract shall cease and terminate and the Owner shall have the right to take over the work and prosecute the same to completion by Contract for the account and at the expense of the Contractor and the Surety; and the Contractor and Surety shall be liable to the Owner for any excess costs occasioned by the Owner thereby, and in such event the Owner may take possession of and utilize in completing the work such materials, appliances, and plants as may be on the site of the work and necessary therefore; provided, however, that in the event the Owner determines that the failure of the Contractor, Sub-contractor or Surety to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract has resulted in an emergency which will require that the Owner take over the work immediately, to avoid loss or waste of a substantial part of the work already performed, the Owner may immediately take over the work and prosecute the same at the expense of the Contractor and Surety to the extent necessary to avoid damage, and may prosecute the same at the expense of the Contractor and Surety to the extent necessary to avoid damage, and may prosecute the same to completion at the expense of the Contractor and the Surety unless within seven (7) days after the services of the above described notice, the Contractor, Sub-contractor or Surety has proceeded to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract and to the satisfaction of the Hoffman Estates Park District.

38. Lien Waivers (if applicable)

Neither by partial nor final payment will the Owner be deemed to have waived any remedy for defective work or negligence on the part of the Contractor or any other portion of the Contract which, by its nature, survives after time of payment.

Supporting partial Waivers of Lien for each Subcontractor, supplier and prime contractor must accompany each request for progress payment.

Waivers must spell out exact description of work performed for which Waiver is issued and state whether dollar amount is full amount received or amount of work less retainage, held by prime contractor.

For final payment it is necessary to submit final waivers in the full amount of the Contracts for all Subcontractors, suppliers and prime contractors.

Waivers must be accompanied by a sworn statement listing Subcontractors and suppliers, the amount of their Contracts and the amount requested.

39. Line and Grade Stakes (if applicable)

Stakes for lines and grades shall be provided once by the Engineer. Costs for replacement of damaged stakes shall be paid by the Contractor. Prior to commencing work and before pouring or finally adjusting any structure or closing any excavation, the Contractor shall verify the correctness of any grades so as to conform to the Contract Documents.

40. Construction Observation

A Consultant may be called upon to observe the work on behalf of the Owner and will provide general assistance during construction insofar as proper interpretation of the Contract Documents is affected. The consultant shall not be responsible for the acts or omissions of the Contractor's superintendent or other employees.

All materials used and all completed work by the Contractor shall be subject to the observation of the Owner/Owner's representative. The Contractor shall furnish such samples of materials for examination and tests as may be requested by the Owner and shall furnish any information required concerning the nature or source of any materials or equipment, which he proposes to use. Any material, equipment, or work which does not satisfactorily meet the Contract Documents may be rejected by the Owner by giving written notice to the Contractor. All rejected materials, equipment, or work shall be promptly removed and replaced at the Contractor's expense.

41. Field Representatives

Field representatives may be appointed by the Owner, Architect or Engineer to see that the work is performed in accordance with the Contract Documents. Field representatives shall have the authority to condemn and/or reject defective work materials. Only the Owner shall have authority to suspend work. Field representatives shall have no authority to permit deviation from the Contract Documents and Owner, the Contractor shall be liable for any deviations made without a written order from the Engineer.

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
SPECIFICATIONS

ALTERNATES
SECTION 0190

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 alternates.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Alternate: An amount proposed by bidders and stated on the Bid Form for certain work defined in the Bidding Requirements that may be added to or deducted from the Base Bid amount if Owner decides to accept a corresponding change either in the amount of construction to be completed or in the products, materials, equipment, systems, or installation methods described in the Contract Documents.
 - 1. The cost or credit for each alternate is the net addition to or deduction from the Contract Sum to incorporate alternate into the Work. No other adjustments are made to the Contract Sum.

1.4 PROCEDURES

- A. Coordination: Modify or adjust affected adjacent work as necessary to completely integrate work of the alternate into Project.
 - 1. Include as part of each alternate, miscellaneous devices, accessory objects, and similar items incidental to or required for a complete installation whether or not indicated as part of alternate.
- B. Notification: Immediately following award of the Contract, notify each party involved, in writing, of the status of each alternate. Indicate if alternates have been accepted, rejected, or deferred for later consideration. Include a complete description of negotiated modifications to alternates.
- C. Execute accepted alternates under the same conditions as other work of the Contract.

- D. Schedule: a Schedule of Alternates is included at the end of this Section. Specification Sections referenced in schedule contain requirements for materials necessary to achieve the work described under each alternate.

PART 2 – EXECUTION

2.1 SCHEDULE OF ALTERNATES

- A. All Alternates shall be coordinated with the Owner. Furnish and installation of all Alternates must include all Civil, Landscaping, Architectural, Structural, Interior Design Finishes, Mechanical, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Electrical and Pool Items that may effect that particular Alternate. Coordinate the aforementioned with each respective Alternate and reference the Construction Documents (Project Manual and Construction Drawings) for additional information regarding all Alternates. Alternates are as follows:

“SEE BID FORM”

END OF SECTION 0190

CONTRACT MODIFICATION PROCURES

SECTION 0191

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. Division 1 Section “Allowances” for procedural requirements for handling and processing allowances.
 - 2. Division 1 Section “Unit Prices” for administrative requirements for using unit prices.
 - 3. Division Section “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 through Construction Manager or Owner’s Representative authorizing Minor Changes in the work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.

1.4 PROPOSAL REQUEST

- A. Owner-Initiated Proposal Requests: Construction Manager 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 or Construction Manager 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.
 - b. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
 - c. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change.
 - d. Include an updated Contractor's Construction Schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
- 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 Owner.
- 1. Include a statement outlining reasons for the change and the effect of the change on the Work. Provide a complete description of the proposed change. Indicate the effect of the proposed change on the Contract Sum and the Contract Time.
 - 2. Include a list of quantities of products required or eliminated and unit costs, with total amount of purchases and credits to be made. If requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
 - 3. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
 - 4. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change.
 - 5. Include an updated Contractor's Construction Schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
 - 6. Comply with requirements in 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 form provided by the Owner.

1.5 ALLOWANCES

- A. Allowance Adjustment: To adjust allowance amounts, base each Change Order proposal on the difference between purchase amount and the allowance, multiplied by final measurement of work-in-place. If applicable, include reasonable allowances for cutting losses, tolerances, mixing wastes, normal product imperfections, and similar margins.
- 1. Include installation costs in purchase amount only where indicated as part of the allowance.
 - 2. If requested, prepare explanation and documentation to substantiate distribution of overhead costs and other margins claimed.

3. Submit substantiation of a change in scope of work, if any, claimed in Change Orders related to unit-cost allowances.
 4. Owner reserves the right to establish the quantity of work-in-place by independent quantity survey, measure, or count.
- B. Submit claims for increased costs because of a change in scope or nature of the allowance described in the Contract Documents, whether for the Purchase Order amount or Contractor's handling, labor, installation, overhead, and profit. Submit claims within 21 days of receipt of the Change Order or Construction Change Directive authorizing work to proceed. Owner will reject claims submitted later than 21 days after such authorization.
1. Do not include Contractor's or subcontractor's indirect expense in the Change Order cost amount unless it is clearly shown that the nature or extent of work has changed from what could have been foreseen from information in the Contract Documents.
 2. No change to Contractor's indirect expense is permitted for selection of higher- or lower-priced materials or systems of the same scope and nature as originally indicated.

1.6 CHANGE ORDER PROCEDURES

- A. On Owner's approval of a Proposal Request, Owner Representative will issue a Change Order for signatures of Owner and Contractor.

1.7 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVE

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

END OF SECTION 0191

UNIT PRICES
SECTION 0193

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 unit prices.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
 - 1. Division 1 Section “Allowances” for procedures for using unit prices to adjust quantity allowances.
 - 2. Division 1 Section “Contract Modification Procedures” for procedures for submitting and handling Change Orders.
 - 3. Division 1 Section “Quality Requirements” for general testing and inspecting requirements.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Unit price is an amount proposed by bidders, stated on the Bid Form, as a price per unit of measurement for materials or services added to or deducted from the Contract Sum by appropriated modification, if estimated quantities of Work required by the Contract Documents are increased or decreased.

1.4 PROCEDURES

- A. Unit prices include all necessary material, plus cost for delivery, installation, insurance, applicable taxes, overhead, and profit.
- B. Measurement and Payment: Refer to individual Specification Sections for work that requires establishment of unit prices. Methods of measurement and payment for unit prices are specified in those Sections.
- C. Owner reserves the right to reject Contractor’s measurement of work-in-place that involves use of established unit prices and to have this work measured, at Owner’s expense, by an independent surveyor acceptable to Contractor.
- D. List of Unit Prices: A list of unit prices is included in Part 3. Specification Sections referenced in the schedule contain requirements for materials described under each unit price.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.1 LIST OF UNIT PRICES

- A. Unit Price No.:
- B. Refer to Bid Form for additional information on unit prices.

END OF SECTION 0193

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
CRACK FILL
SECTION 0402

PART 1 GENERAL:

1.1 Description & Benefits

Crack Master PL (**or Approved Equal**) is a single component, hot applied crack and joint sealant. When melted and properly applied, it forms a resilient crack sealant for both asphaltic and cementitious pavements. Crack Master PL forms a lasting seal that resists tracking in warm climates.

- A. Basic Uses: Hot Pour Crack Sealant is designed to seal expansion joints, longitudinal and traverse cracks, joints between concrete and asphalt shoulders, and random cracks in both asphalt and concrete pavements.
- B. Composition: As supplied, Crack Master is supplied in solid blocks comprised of asphaltic resins and synthetic polymer rubber.
- C. Sizes: Crack Master PL is supplied in 50 lb. cardboard cartons containing two 25 lb. blocks of material per carton.
- D. Color: Black
- E. Limitations: Do not overheat material. Cracks must be free from moisture, dust, loose aggregate and other contaminants prior to application. Not recommended for cracks in excess of 1" wide.

1.2 Related Work

- A. Bituminous Concrete Paving – SECTION 0401
- B. Seal Coating – SECTION 0410

1.3 Reference Standard

- A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1.4 Submit three (3) copies of product data and specifications (Alternate only)

1.5 Job Conditions

- A. Weather Limitations
 - a. As specified in the IDOT Standard for Road and Bridge Construction
 - b. Do not apply when base surface is wet or contains an excess of moisture which would prevent uniform distribution and required penetration.

2.0 **Materials**

CrackMaster PL meets the following material requirements when tested in accordance with ASTM D6690. (see chart below).

Environmental Considerations: CrackMaster PL is considered a non-hazardous material.

Chemical & Physical Analysis	
Recommended Pour Temperature	370-390 degrees F
Maximum Heating Temperature	400 degrees F
Penetration (50 gr/5 sec)	30-45
Resiliency	40% min
Flow at 140 degrees F	8mm
Softening Point	200 degrees F min.
Ductility @77 degrees F	30 cm
Tensile Adhesion	500%
Viscosity @375 degrees F	60+- 10 poise
Flexibility @ 20 degrees F (1" Mandrel)	Pass
Specific Gravity	1.18
Asphalt Compatibility	Compatible

2.1 **Manufacture Source (Or Approved Equal)**

ThorWorks Industries, Inc.
2520 S. Campbell St
Sandusky, OH 44870
PH: 800-326-1994
Fax: 419-626-5477
www.thorworks.com

Phone 1-800-395-7325 or visit www.sealmaster.net to find the location near to you.

3.0. **Installation**

Proper surface preparation will facilitate adequate adhesion and consequently the maximum service life of the sealant. The crack must be free from moisture, dust, and loose aggregate. Routing or wire brushing are preferred methods followed by compressed air heat lance immediately prior to sealing. The substrate and air temperature must be above 42 degrees F.

3.1 **Methods**

- A. CrackMaster PL shall be melted in a conventional oil-jacketed unit equipment with an agitator and temperature control device for both material and heat transfer oil. Carefully insert blocks of material (with plastic bag) into melting equipment with agitator turned off. Load material slowly to avoid splashing. After the initial load of material has reached the recommended pouring temperature (370-390 degrees F), fresh material may be added as sealant is used. Melt only enough material that will be used the same day. Avoid overheating material. Excessive heat could cause material to gel in the equipment or fail in crack and

joints. A significant viscosity increase accompanied by stringiness signals the approach of gelation. If this occurs, immediately remove the material from the melter and dispose of it.

IMPORTANT: Protective apparel is recommended with application of CrackMaster PL. The extremely hot material will cause severe burns on contact with skin. OSHA Safety Regulations require workers to wear the following types of safety attire (see current OSHA/Safety Regulations for additional information): Hard hat with face shield; long sleeved shirt buttoned at the wrist; heat resistant gloves; long, cuffless pants; and safety toed work boots. Make certain all area around melter is clear of all debris and flammable materials. Avoid breathing vapors. Use with adequate ventilation.

- B. **Mixing Procedures:** Use material as supplied. Do not blend with other materials. After CrackMaster PL is melted it should be agitated or recirculated.
- C. **Application:** Apply heated CrackMaster PL using either a pump or wand system or a pour pot. For best results the sealant depth to width ratio should not exceed 2 to 1 (i.e. 2-inches deep to 1-inch wide). The cooled sealant height should not exceed 1/8" above surrounding pavement. Using a sealing shoe or squeegee, band the material 2 to 3 inches wide over the crack.
- D. **Estimating Material Requirements:** use the following chart as a guideline for estimating material requirements (based upon pounds of material needed for 100 feet of cracks):

Crack Width	Depth	Lbs./100 feet
3/8"	3/8"	6.9 lbs.
3/8"	1/2"	9.3 lbs.
1/2"	1/2"	12.3 lbs.
1/2"	1"	24.7 lbs.
3/4"	1/2"	18.5 lbs.
3/4"	3/4"	27.8 lbs.

The above coverage rates are only a guideline. Actual material usage may vary due to width of application and thickness of material above pavement surfaces.

- E. **Precautions:** Cracks must be free from moisture, dust, dirt and debris. Both substrate and air temperature must be above 40 degrees F. Keep boxes of material dry during storage. Do not store in direct sunlight.

END OF CRACK FILL SPECIFICATIONS – SECTION 0402

**HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
SPECIFICATIONS**

**SEALCOATING
SECTION 0410**

1. Scope:

This recommended practice covers the application of asphalt based pavement Sealer. This application serves as weather protection, beautification of surface, and aliphatic-solvent (petroleum distillates such as gas, oil and diesel) resistant seal for asphaltic concrete pavements of airport ramps, taxiways and fueling aprons, parking lots and driveways.

2. Manufactures :

2.1 PRODUCT NAME

MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate (or approved equal)Asphalt Based Pavement Sealer.

2.2 MANUFACTURER

SealMaster(or approved equal) has a nationwide network of manufacturing and distribution facilities.

Phone: 800-395-7325

www.sealmaster.net

3. Materials

3.1 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION & BENEFITS

MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is a mineral filled asphalt emulsion pavement sealer designed to protect and beautify asphalt pavement. Master Seal (or approved equal)

concentrate is formulated to be job-mixed with water and aggregate.

3.2 Basic Uses: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is designed to beautify and protect asphalt pavement surfaces including parking lots, airports, driveways, shopping malls, roadways, and more.

3.3 Composition: MasterSeal(or approved equal) Concentrate is a mineral filled asphalt emulsion pavement sealer fortified with special surfactants to promote superior adhesion and durability. Select aggregate is job mixed to produce a slip-resistant coating.

3.4 Sizes: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is available in 4,000 gallon bulk tankers, 55-gallon drums, and 5- gallon pails.

Color: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate dries to a deep, rich black color.

3.5 Limitations: MasterSeal(or approved equal)

Concentrate shall not be applied when temperature is expected to drop below 50°F at any time within a 24 hour period after application.

3.6 TECHNICAL DATA

MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate meets the performance standards of ASTM

D- 2939.

- 3.7 *Environmental Considerations:* MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate does not contain asbestos. MasterSeal(or approved equal) Concentrate is an environmentally friendly water based pavement sealer containing less than 150 grams per liter volatile organic content (VOC).
- 3.8 *Physical/Chemical Properties:* MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate is a premium quality pavement sealer that meets the following material requirements when tested in accordance with ASTM D 140, ASTM D 466, ASTM B117, ASTM D 529, ASTM D 2939, and ASTM D244 procedures.

4. INSTALLATION

- 4.1 Surface must be clean and free from all loose material and dirt. Pavement surface repairs should be made with a suitable hot or cold asphalt mix. Cracks should be filled with SealMaster (or approved equal) hot pour or cold applied crack fillers. Treat all grease, oil, and gasoline spots or stains with SealMaster(or approved equal) Petro Seal™ or Prep Seal™. *Methods:* MasterSeal(or approved equal) Concentrate shall be applied by either pressurized spray application equipment or self-propelled squeegee equipment. Pressurized spray equipment shall be capable of spraying pavement sealer with sand added. Equipment shall have continuous agitation or mixing capabilities to maintain homogeneous consistency of pavement sealer mixture throughout the application process. Self-propelled squeegee equipment shall have at least 2 squeegee or brush devices (one behind the other) to assure adequate distribution and penetration of sealer into bituminous pavement. Hand squeegees and brushes shall be acceptable in areas where practicality prohibits the use of mechanized equipment.
- 4.2 *Mixing Procedures:-* For optimum results, MasterSeal(or approved equal) Concentrate Pavement Sealer shall be mixed in accordance with the following mix design (based on 100 gallons for ease of calculation): MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate 100 gals. Water 15-25 gals. Zetac or Top Tuff Polymer Additive 2 gals. Sand.

5. Equipment:

All tools and equipment necessary to perform the contract in accordance with the specified terms and conditions, such as brushes, hand squeegees, pumps and hose equipment, storage tanks, mixing tanks, water distributor, power sweepers, blowers, barricades and applicator equipment shall be provided as required by the contractor. All methods employed in performing the work and all equipment necessary for executing any part of the work shall be subject to approval by the Project Administrator before work is started, and when found unsatisfactory will be corrected. All equipment will be in good working condition.

- 5.1 Spray equipment used on the job shall have mechanical mixing devices incorporated in their construction to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives. The pumping system must be adequate to apply a uniform coating at the specified rates of application. Equipment requiring pressurization of the mixing tank for distribution will not be used.
- 5.2 Motorized squeegee application equipment used on the job will have two or more devices such as squeegees and/or drag broom assemblies to assure even distribution of the tar emulsion system. Mechanical mixing devices will be

incorporated into the construction of the applicator to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives.

- 5.3 Mixing or agitating equipment may be either portable powered or a tank-type power mixer. In any case, mixers shall be of sufficient capacity to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives and to maintain complete suspension of mineral aggregate until the emulsion system is applied to the pavement. All storage tanks or drop tankers shall be equipped with mechanical agitators or circulation systems sufficient to keep the refined tar emulsion homogenous during storage.

6. Preparation of Surfaces:

- 6.1 Allow new asphalt to cure. Cure time varies with type of asphalt, aggregate, weather conditions and construction procedures. Hot mix asphalt will usually cure in 30-90 days. Cold mix pavements should have at least 90 days to cure. Required cure time should be determined by the Park District and a written order to proceed will be furnished to the contractor.
- 6.2 Wide cracks, extensive alligator cracking patterns, soft or sunken spots indicate that the pavement and/or base should be repaired or replaced. Extensive patching shall be allowed to cure prior to seal coating in accordance with 5.1.
- 6.3 Thoroughly inspect the pavement for minor cracks and other imperfections. Ignore hairline cracks. Cracks of approximately 1/4-3/4 inch wide should be cleared of debris and filled with an approved crack sealant in accordance with manufacturer's specs. (See Section 0402).
- 6.4 Remove oil and grease spots that have not permanently damaged or softened the pavement by scrubbing with a detergent and flushing with water until a water-break-free surface is obtained. Oil and grease spots with deeper penetration will be treated by burning with hand held propane torch and then coating the spot with an approved oil spot primer such as Tar-Prime. If the oil spot is so severe as to cause permanent deterioration of the pavement, or if the pavement has failed due to other causes, the pavement shall be removed to the full depth of the damage and replaced with new asphalt pavement in accordance with paragraph 5.1.
- 6.5 Old traffic control lines may be blackened with black epoxy or black acrylic coatings. Excessive build-up of lines should be abraded before any prime coats of asphalt or tar emulsion are applied.
- 6.6 Highly oxidized or weathered surfaces shall be primed. Prim with SS-1, SS-1h, CSS-1, CSS-1h asphalt emulsions or with Tar-Prime Refined tar emulsion. Asphalt emulsions shall be diluted one part asphalt emulsion to 5 parts potable water and uniformly applied to the pavement at a rate of 0.10+/- 0.02 gallon per square yard. Tar Prime shall be diluted one part Tar Prime to two parts water and applied at a rate of 0.07-0.10 gallons per square yard. The prime shall be allowed to cure for 24 hours before applying pavement sealer.
- 6.7 Immediately before application of sealer, clean the surface of all loose dust, dirt, leaves and any other foreign materials by sweeping, blowing, flushing with water or any combination of the three.

7. Mix Design and Application Rates:

- 7.1 One gallon of MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate will cover approximately 100 -120 square feet (11.1 to 13.3 square yards) per coat when properly mixed and applied. These projects require two coats of pavement sealer to be applied to all areas.
- 7.2 Latex additives: The latex additive will be added at the specified rate as indicated in the job mix formula +/- 0.25%. Undiluted latex will first be diluted with an equal volume of water and added slowly to the emulsion after mix water and prior to the addition of any sand. Latex will be added while the mixer is in operation to assure uniform dispersion and no coagulation of the latex. Diluent water added to the latex will be considered part of the mix water required in paragraph 6.1
- 7.3 Sand will be slowly added after the mix and any required latex additives have been dispersed into the tar emulsion. Again, the mixer will be in operation during the addition of the sand to assure uniform dispersion and to prevent overloading of the mixing device. Additional amounts of water may be added if necessary, should the tar emulsion system become too thick to be uniformly applied. Additional water will be added only after the Project Administrator has been notified, and additions will not exceed those amounts expressly stipulated by the Project Administrator.
- 7.4 Slow mixing shall be continuous from the time all materials are placed into the mixer until the pavement sealer mix is applied by the application equipment. During the entire mixing process, no breaking segregating, or hardening of the emulsion and no balling or lumping of the aggregate shall be permitted.
- 7.5 The coating shall be applied uniformly over the entire pavement surface and free of voids and pinholes. When pavement temperatures are in excess of 120 degrees F, fog spraying of pavement with clean water is recommended to achieve better bond and even spreading of material. Fog spray shall dampen pavement without leaving puddles.
- 7.6 Subsequent coats will be applied only after the previous coat has dried for no less than 4 hours under ideal conditions. Ideal conditions are temperatures in excess of 70 degrees F, sunshine and less than 60% relative humidity. Marginal conditions can require curing times greater than 4 hours. Subsequent coats should be applied at right angles to the previous coat, if possible.
- 7.7 Sealer will not be applied unless the temperature is a minimum 50 degrees F and rising and pavement temperature is 60 degrees F and rising. Work will be completed so that there is a minimum of two hours of direct sunlight remaining after completing the day's work. Sealer will not be applied under rainy or wet conditions such as an overcast sky with high humidity. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES will work be performed under cold and/or wet conditions, nor will tar emulsion be used that has been subjected to freezing weather.

8. Incidentals:

- 8.1 The contractor and Park District Staff will coordinate their activities with each other to insure the availability of the work area as not to delay the execution of the project, to maintain traffic flow and to minimize activities that might be

detrimental to the work in progress such as automatic sprinkler systems, other customers or construction traffic.

- 8.2 The contractor will notify the Park District Representative of pavement areas that he feels have so deteriorated or have other outside factors such as poor drainage, improper construction, etc. that will render the application of a seal coat ineffective.
- 8.3 Striping will be done with a latex or acrylic paint approved by the manufacturer. No striping will commence until the seal coat to be striped has cured for at least 24 hours.

END OF SECTION 0410

15. Withdrawal of Bids

Bids may be withdrawn by written or telegraphic request received from bidders prior to the time set for opening of bids.

16. Public Opening of Bids

Bids will be publicly opened at the time set for opening in the invitation for bids. Their content will be made public for the information of bidders and others interested, who may be present either in person or by representative.

17. Award of Contract

- A. Award of Contract will be made to the lowest responsible bidder, as determined by the Board of Commissioners of the Hoffman Estates Park District, whose bid conforms to the invitation for bid.
- B. The Board of Park Commissioners may reject any or all of the bids on any basis and without disclosure of a reason. The failure to make such a disclosure shall not result in accrual of any right, claim, or cause of action by any unsuccessful bidder against the Hoffman Estates Park District.

18. Contract and Insurance

The written contract between the accepted bidder and the Owner shall be considered finalized and entered into between the parties upon the Park District Board's approval and award of the contract to the accepted bidder and the Park District's execution of the accepted bidder's Form of Proposal, and said written contract shall be comprised by the Contract Documents. The accepted bidder shall provide the Owner with a Labor and Material Payment Bond, Performance Bond, and copies of applicable Insurance Policies and endorsements and certificates for same within five (5) calendar days of the "Written Notice to Proceed" and prior to the commencement of work.

19. Postponement of Date for Opening Proposals

The Owner reserves the right to postpone the date of presentation and opening of proposals and will give telegraphic notice of any such postponement to each interested party.

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS

SECTION I – GENERAL

42. Application

These Supplementary Conditions shall be used in conjunction with and are a part of any and all Sections of the Specifications and all Contracts and Subcontracts that may be made for the completion of the work in all its parts as identified and described in the Contract Documents.

43. Definitions

Owner: The Hoffman Estates Park District, Board of Commissioners, Staff and its appointed Owner's representative.

Contractor: A firm, corporation or individual with whom the Owner makes a direct Contract for the construction of all or any portion of the work.

Architect/Engineer: The authorized representative of the Owner.

Subcontractor: A firm, corporation or individual other than employees of a Contractor with whom a Contractor or Subcontractor makes a contract to furnish labor, and/or materials, and/or services in connection with the project.

Owner Representative: An employee of the Hoffman Estates Park District responsible for the coordination of the work involved on the project.

The words "approve", "equal to", "as directed", etc., are interpreted and will be taken to mean "to the satisfaction of the Owner." Samples shall be submitted and approvals shall be requested in ample time to avoid any delays should resubmission of an item be necessary.

44. Contract Documents

The Contract Documents shall consist of the Notice to Bidders, the Instructions to Bidders, the Supplementary Conditions, the Drawings, the Specifications, the supplied Form of Proposal, and the accepted Bid Sheet and certification.

45. Bonds

- A. With proposal, and attached hereto, each Bidder shall furnish Bid Security payable to the Owner in the amount of 5% of bid.
- B. Include allowance in Lump Sum Proposal for Performance Bond and Labor and Materials Payment Bond in the amount of 100% of Contract Price.
 1. The Contractor, before commencing the Work, shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Bond. The Performance Bond shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the full amount of the Contract Sum as security for the faithful performance of the obligation of the Contract Documents, and the Labor and Material Payment Bond shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the full amount of the Contract Sum as security for the payment of all persons performing labor and

furnishing materials in connection with the Contract Documents. Such bonds shall be on standard AIA Documents, issued by the American Institute of Architect/Engineers, shall be issued by a surety satisfactory to the Owner, and shall name the Owner as a primary co-obligee. The cost of the bonds is to be included in the Bid Proposal. The Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond will become a part of the Contract. Each Bidder shall list the name of the surety company that will be furnishing the Bonds on its Bid Proposal. The failure of a Bidder to list the name of its surety company on its Bid Proposal shall be a non-responsive bid. The failure of the successful Bidder to supply the required Bonds within five (5) days after the Notice of Award or within such extended period as the Owner may grant if the forms do not meet its approval shall constitute a default, and the Owner may either award the Contract to the next responsible, responsive Bidder or re-advertise for bids. A charge against the defaulting Bidder may be made for the difference between the amount of the bid and the amount for which a contract for the work is subsequently executed, irrespective of whether the amount thus due exceeds the amount of the bid guarantee.

2. The Contractor shall deliver the required bonds to the Owner not later than five (5) days following the date the Agreement is entered into, or if the Work is to be commenced prior thereto in response to a letter of intent, the Contractor shall, prior to the commencement of the Work, submit evidence satisfactory to the owner that such bonds will be furnished.
3. The contractor shall require the attorney-in-fact who executed the required bonds on behalf of the surety to affix thereto a certified and current copy of the power of attorney.
4. Whenever the Contractor shall be and is declared by Owner to be in default under the Contract, the Surety and the Contractor are each responsible to make full payment to the Owner or any and all extra Work incurred by the Architect/Engineer as a result of the Contractor's default, and to pay to Owner all attorney's fees and court costs incurred by Owner as a result of the Contractor's default, and in protecting Owner's rights under the Agreement to remedy Contractor's default.
5. The Contractor shall (i) furnish all Surety Company's bonds through Surety Company's local agents approved by and/or as directed by Owner; (ii) fully covered and guarantee with said bond the faithful performance and completion of the entire Contract, including without limitation, the faithful performance of prevailing wage requirements; and (iii) guarantee with said bond payment in all cases by the Contractor or by the Surety Company for all labor performed, material and supplies furnished with the entire Work in the Contract. Said Bond shall remain in full force and effect during the entire period of all general guarantees given by the Contractor with the Contract as called for in the Specifications and Contract, except in cases where other bonds are specifically called for in the specifications and Contract in connection with special guarantees.

46. Payment

The Contractor may present estimate of work for which he desires payment no later than the first Monday of each month, based on cost of labor and material incorporated into the work. Estimate shall be a Sworn Statement and shall show relative amount of each item completed. Submit Partial Waivers of Lien, including for first payout, from Contractors,

Subcontractors and Material Suppliers with Sworn Statement for monthly payout. Payments will be made within approximately thirty (30) days after review by the Owner. Notwithstanding, anything to the contrary contained in the Contract Documents, payouts are to be made by checks payable to the Contractor. The Contractor will be required to submit a sworn payroll statement according to the Illinois Department of Labor documenting his compliance with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act.

Final Payment will be made within approximately thirty (30) days of final inspection and approval and receipt of all waivers, sworn statements, guarantee statements, and other documents set forth in the Contract Documents.

47. Preparation of Bids

Before submitting proposal, each bidder shall examine carefully all documents pertaining to the work and visit the sites to verify conditions under which work will be performed. Submittal of the Bid Proposal by the Contractor is a representation by the Contractor, that the Contract Documents are full and complete, are sufficient to enable the Contractor to determine the cost of the Work and that the Contract Documents are sufficient to enable it to construct the Work outlined therein, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, and otherwise to fulfill all its obligations hereunder, including, but not limited to, Contractor's obligations to construct the Work for an amount not in excess of the contract Sum on or before the date(s) of Completion established in the Agreement. The Contractor further acknowledges and declares that it has visited and examined the Project site, examined all physical and other conditions affecting the Work and is fully familiar with all of the conditions thereon and thereunder affecting the same. In connection therewith, Contractor specifically represents and warrants to Owner that prior to the submission of its bid it has: (a) thoroughly examined the location of the work to be performed, is familiar with local conditions, and has read and thoroughly understands the Contract Documents as they relate to the physical conditions prevalent or likely to be encountered in the performance of the work at such location; (2) examined the nature, location and character of the general area in which the Project is located, including without limitation, its climatic conditions, available labor supply and labor costs, and available equipment supply and equipment costs; and (3) examined the quality and quantity of all materials, supplies, tools, equipment, labor, and professional services necessary to complete the Work in the manner and within the cost and time frame required by the Contract Documents.

Submission of bid will be considered presumptive evidence that the Bidder has visited the site and is conversant with local facilities and difficulties, the requirements of the documents and of pertinent State, County or Local Codes, State of Labor and Material Markets, and has made due allowance in his bid for all contingencies.

Include in bid all costs of labor, material, equipment, allowance, fees, permits, guarantees, applicable taxes (**sales tax does not apply**), insurance and contingencies, with overhead and profit necessary to complete those portions of the work covered by the specifications on which proposal is made, including all trades, without further cost to the Owner. Obtain all permits and arrange for all inspections. Pay all fees, permits and costs incurred.

No compensation will be allowed by reason of any difficulties, which the Bidder could have discovered prior to bidding.

48. Fees and Inspection

The Contractor is responsible for all license fees and arrangements for all inspections required by State, County, Local and other authorities having lawful jurisdiction. The Owner is responsible for all building permit fees associate with the Work.

49. Subcontracts

Contractors operating under direct Contracts with the Owner may let Subcontracts for the performance of such portions of the work as are usually executed by special trades. All such Subcontracts shall be based on conformance with all pertinent conditions set forth in the Contract Documents, including the Supplementary Conditions as well as the detailed requirements of the portions of the drawings and specifications which depict or describe the work (labor and materials) covered by the Subcontract.

No Work may be sublet without approval of the Owner, who reserves the right to disapprove any proposed Subcontractor whose record does not establish his experience, competence, and financial ability to perform the work.

50. Materials

Materials shall conform to the drawings, specifications, manufacturer's specifications for all products incorporated into the work, and all applicable standards and guidelines.

Some specific equipment and materials have been specified for use on this project to establish minimum performance requirements or desired features. To receive consideration of alternate equipment or materials, the Bidder must submit all appropriate product data and receive pre-bid approval from the Owner. All materials are subject to the approval by the Owner both before and after incorporation in the project.

All condemned material or work shall be removed from the premises and properly disposed of.

51. Law Compliance

All project construction work shall comply with all State and Municipal Laws and Regulation, and with all Local Ordinances and Rules pertaining to this work. Such Laws, Regulations, Ordinances and Rules shall be considered a part of these specifications.

A. The Contractor warrants that it is familiar with and shall comply with Federal, State and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations and the orders and decrees of any courts or administrative bodies or tribunals in any manner affecting the performance of the Contract including without limitation Workers= Compensation Laws, minimum salary and wage statutes and regulations, laws with respect to permits and licenses and fees in connection therewith, laws regarding maximum working hours. No plea of misunderstanding or ignorance thereof will be considered.

- B. Whenever required, the Contractor or Subcontractor shall furnish the Architect/Engineer and Owner with satisfactory proof of compliance with said Federal, State and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, orders, and decrees.
- C. Contractor shall carefully examine the Occupational Safety and health Act as issued by the Federal Register (OSHA), and the specific regulations governing procedures, techniques, safety precautions, equipment design, and the configuration of the same as required under this Act and shall comply with all terms of the Act and to perform and complete in a workmanlike manner all work required in full compliance with said Act.
- D. Contractor shall comply with all terms of the Illinois Preference Act and all terms of the Equal Employment Opportunity Clause of the Illinois Fair Employment Practices Commission.
- E. At all times Contractor shall remain in compliance with the Illinois Public Works Employment Discrimination Act (775 ILCS 10/1, et seq.,) and the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/2-101, et seq.,), and in addition shall at all times comply with Section 2-105 of the Illinois Human Rights Act requiring a written sexual harassment policy as defined therein.
- F. Contractor and all subcontractors shall be solely responsible for complying with the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act, Public Act 095-06345.
- G. Contractor agrees to maintain all records and documents for projects of the District in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq. In addition, Contractor shall produce records which are responsive to a request received by the District under the Freedom of Information Act so that the District may provide records to those requesting them within the time frames required. If additional time is necessary to compile records in response to a request, then Contractor shall so notify the District and if possible, the District shall request an extension so as to comply with the Act. In the event that the District is found to have not complied with the Freedom of Information Act due to Contractor's failure to produce documents or otherwise appropriately respond to a request under the Act, then Contractor shall indemnify and hold the District harmless, and pay all amounts determined to be due including but not limited to fines, costs, attorney's fees and penalties.
- H. Contractor understands, represents and warrants to the Owner that the Contractor and its Subcontractors (for which the Contractor takes responsibility to insure that they comply with the above-mentioned Acts) are in compliance with all requirements provided by the Acts set forth in Article 15 and that they will remain in compliance for the entirety of the Work. A violation of any of the Acts set forth in this Article is cause for the immediate cancellation of the Contract. However, any forbearance or delay by the Owner in canceling this Contract shall not be considered as, and does not constitute, Owners consent to such violation and a waiver of any rights the Owner may have, including without limitation, cancellation of this Contract.
- I. Contractor and each of its Subcontractors shall pay prevailing wages as established by the Illinois Department of Labor for each craft or type of work needed to execute the contract in accordance with 820 ILCS 130/.01 et seq. The Contractor shall prominently post the current schedule of prevailing wages at the Contract site and shall notify immediately in writing all of its Subcontractors, of all changes in the schedule of prevailing wages. Any increases in costs to the Contractor due to changes in the prevailing rate of wage during the terms of any contract shall be at the expense of the Contractor and not at the expense of the Owner. The change order shall be computed using the prevailing wage rates applicable at the time the change

order work is scheduled to be performed. The Contractor shall be solely responsible to maintain accurate records as required by the prevailing wage statute and shall be solely liable for paying the difference between prevailing wages and any wages actually received by laborers, workmen and/or mechanics engaged in the Work

52. Supervision

The Contractor shall maintain a highly qualified technician on the job site at all times. The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among his employees and the Subcontractors at all times work is in progress. The Contractor shall not employ any unfit person or anyone not skilled in the work assigned to him.

53. Equipment and Tools

Furnish and maintain all equipment tools and apparatus, scaffolding, and all temporary work and materials necessary to perform the work.

54. Expediting

Place orders for materials and equipment immediately upon receipt of Contract or Notice to Proceed and follow up vigorously to insure adequate and timely supply to the work. Perform all tracings and expediting actions and arrange to get workmen in the job at the proper time to avoid delays.

55. Sanitary

The Contractor shall provide suitable, temporary toilet facilities at a specified location, for workmen on the project, complying in every respect with Local and County requirements. Unit shall be chemically treated, serviced at regular intervals, and maintained in a sanitary condition at all times.

56. Existing Utilities

The Contractor shall be responsible for locating and protecting all existing utilities, public and private, for the duration of the job. Prior to the commencement of any work, the Contractor shall notify all public and private utilities for the purpose of verifying, marking, and recording the locations of all underground or overhead utilities, temporary or permanent. Any repair/replacement costs or associated damage will be the responsibility of the Contractor.

57. Testing and Observations

The Contractor shall give the Owner, Village Inspector, and Manufacturer's Representative proper notice of readiness of Work for all required observations, tests, or reviews.

If Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction requires any Work (or part thereof) to specifically observed or tested, Contractor shall assume full responsibility therefor, pay all costs in connection therewith and furnish Engineer with the required

certificates of inspection, testing, or approval. Contractor shall be responsible for and pay all costs in connection with any inspection or testing required in connection with Owner's or Manufacturer's agreed to Supplier of materials or equipment proposed to be incorporated into the Work, or of materials or equipment submitted for approval prior to the Contractor's purchase thereof for incorporation in the Work.

The cost of all observations, tests, and approvals in addition to the above which are required by the Contract Documents shall be paid by the Owner (unless otherwise specified).

All observations, tests, or reviews other than those required by Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction shall be performed by organizations agreed to by Owner and Contractor (or Manufacturer if so specified).

Should testing reveal deficiencies due to Contractor error, subsequent testing costs shall be paid by Contractor.

If any work (including the work of others) that is to be observed or tested is covered without the written concurrence of the Owner, it must, if requested by Engineer, be uncovered of observation. Such uncovering shall be at the expense of the Contractor unless Contractor has given Owner or Village Inspector timely notice of Contractor's intention to cover such work and Engineer has not acted with reasonable promptness in response to such notice. Neither observations by Owner nor observations, tests, nor reviews by others shall relieve the Contractor from his obligations to perform the work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

58. Acceptance Preceding Work (if applicable)

Before starting any operation, the Contractor and Subcontractors shall examine work performed by others to which his work adjoins or is applied and report any condition that will prevent satisfactory accomplishment of his Contract. Failure to notify the Owner in writing of deficiencies or faults in preceding work will constitute acceptance thereof and waiver of any claims and its unsuitability.

59. Cutting and Patching

When necessary to cut or alter completed work to accommodate another trade, the Contractor or Subcontractor for work in places, shall do all cutting for and repair of portions of the work so disturbed. Where cutting is necessitated by fault or negligence of another Contractor, all costs of cutting and repairing shall be borne by the party at fault.

60. Damage to Current

Each Contractor shall adequately protect all preceding work from damage caused by him or his works. All breakage or damage will be repaired by trade concerned at the cost of the party causing damage. Each Contractor, however, shall be responsible for adequate protection of his own work against normal construction risks.

61. Housekeeping

Keep site of operations free from accumulations of rubbish and waste materials at all times. See that Subcontractors remove and dispose of their rubbish. Arrangements for removal and disposition of rubbish will be made by Contractors concerned at no cost to the Owner.

Should any Contractor or Subcontractor allow rubbish or waste material to accumulate on any portion of the site or in any portion of the building to such extent that the accumulation constitutes a hazard or obstructs the prosecution of the work in any way. The Owner may, if Contractor or Subcontractor at fault fails to remove such rubbish or waste materials within three (3) days after written notice to clear up the accumulation, engage prior labor or services of another Contractor to make necessary removal and disposition and to charge cost against monies due to Contractor or Subcontractor at fault.

62. Protection

- A. Property: Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall take such precaution as are necessary adequately to protect from damage or deterioration and to safeguard from theft or pilferage, all materials, tools and equipment pertaining to his work which are on the site, whether stored or incorporated in the structure.
- B. Safety: Provide all barricades or other temporary protection as may be required by local authorities having lawful jurisdiction, or be considered of general safety, around all openings in floors and walls of the structure, and around all open pits or trenches in its vicinity.
- C. Weather: Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall at all times provide protection against rain, snow, wind storms, frost or heat so as to maintain all work, materials, apparatus, and fixtures, free from injury or damage.

At the end of each day's work, all new work subject to damage by the elements and all points where water or frost may enter any part of the structure or work shall be covered.

- D. Water: General Contractor shall at all times protect excavations, trenches, and building from damage from rain water, snow, spring water, ground water backing up of drains or sewers and all other water. He shall provide all pumps and equipment enclosures required for such protection.

He shall also construct and maintain any temporary drainage necessary to direct or lead water away from the work and shall do all pumping necessary to keep excavation and lowest floor free of water at all times.

- E. Damage: All work damaged by failure to provide protection shall be removed and replaced with new work at the expense of the Contractor at fault.

63. Guarantee

The Contractor and/or manufacturer shall provide a minimum of one (1) year warranty for all materials and workmanship associated with the project or work performed under the Contract.

64. Insurance

- **Worker's Compensation**
 - State: Statutory
 - Applicable Federal (e.g., Longshoremen's): Statutory
 - Employer's Liability
 - \$500,000.00 Per Accident
 - \$500,000.00 Disease, Policy Limit
 - \$500,000.00 Disease, Each Employee
 - If written under **Commercial General Liability Policy** Form
 - \$2,000,000.00 General Aggregate
 - \$1,000,000.00 Products Completed Operations Aggregate
 - \$1,000,000.00 Personal and Advertising Injury
 - \$1,000,000.00 Each Occurrence
 - \$ 50,000.00 Fire Damage (any one fire)
 - \$ 50,000.00 Medical Expense (any one person)
 - **Business Automobile Liability** (including owned, non-owned and hired vehicles):
 - Bodily Injury
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Person
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Accident
 - Property Damage
 - \$1,000,000.00 Per Occurrence
 - **Umbrella Excess Liability**
 - \$2,000,000.00 over Primary Insurance
 - \$2,000,000.00 Retention for Self-Insured Hazards Each Occurrence
- A. General: The Contractor shall not commence work under the Contract until he has obtained all insurance required, and it has been approved by the Owner, nor shall Contractor allow any Subcontractor to commence work on any portion of the work until all insurance required of the Subcontractor and Sub-subcontractor has been similarly approved by the Owner.

All such insurance shall be purchased only from companies licensed and duly authorized by the Department of Insurance of the State of Illinois to do business in Illinois and to write the types of insurance policies as herein specified. Insurance companies must have a minimum policy holder's rating of A+ and a financial rating of AAAAA as stated in the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide.

The insurance coverages must be maintained by the Contractor and the Subcontractor until all work is completed by the Contractor and accepted by the

Owner. If the policy is written on claims made basis, then the Contractor shall purchase such additional insurance as may be necessary to provide specified coverage to the District for a period of not less than five (5) years from the completion of the work.

- B. Automobile Liability: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of the work, Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance providing for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, limits of an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 per annual aggregate.
- C. General Liability Insurance: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of the work, Comprehensive General Liability Insurance providing for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate.
- D. Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance: Contractor shall obtain at his expense and keep in force at all times during the performance of work, worker's compensation and related insurance coverage at amounts required by statute and employer's liability with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.
- E. Certificates of Insurance: Within five (5) calendar days after receipt of the "Written Notice to Proceed", the Contractor shall file with the Owner, a Certificate of Insurance and Policy Endorsement showing complete coverage of all insurance required by this Section signed by the insurance companies or their authorized agents, certifying to the name and address of the party insured, the description of the work covered by such insurance, the insurance policy numbers, the limits of liability of the policies and the dates of their expirations, with a further certification from said insurance companies that their policies will not be modified, amended, changed, cancelled or terminated without thirty (30) business days prior written notice to the Owner. If any form of umbrella or excess coverage policy is utilized by the Contractor, the Owner reserves the right to require a copy of the entire policy.
- F. All policies of insurance purchased or maintained in fulfillment of this paragraph 24 shall name the Owner and Architect/Engineer as additional insureds thereunder.
- G. Failure of Owner to demand any certificate, endorsement or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements or failure of Owner to identify a deficiency from evidence that is provided shall not be construed as a waiver of Contractor's obligation to maintain such insurance. The Contractor agrees that the obligation to provide the insurance required by these documents is solely its responsibility and that this is a requirement which cannot be waived by any conduct, action, inaction or omission by the Owner.
- H. Nothing contained in the insurance requirements of the Contract Documents is to be construed as limiting the liability of the Contractor, the liability of any Subcontractor or any tier or either of their respective insurance carriers. The Owner, does not in any way, represent that the coverages or limits of insurance specified is sufficient or adequate to protect the Owner, Contractor, Architect/Engineer, or any Subcontractor's

interests or liabilities but are merely at minimums. The obligation of the Contractor, the Architect/Engineer, and any Subcontractor of any tier to purchase insurance, shall not, in any way, limit their obligations to the Owner in the event the Owner should suffer an injury or loss in excess of the amount recoverable through insurance, or any loss or portion of the loss which is not covered by either the Contractors or any Subcontractor insurance.

- I. On the Certificate of Insurance, delete in the cancellation provision the following words, "Endeavor to" and "but failure to mail such notice shall impose no obligation or liability of any kind upon the company, its agents or representatives."
- J. All the insurance required of the Contractor shall state that the coverage afforded to the additional insureds shall be primary insurance of the additional insureds with respect to claims arising out of operations performed by or on their behalf. If the additional insureds@ have other insurance or self-insured coverage which is applicable to the loss, it shall be on an excess or contingent basis.
- K. All insurance required of the Contractor shall provide that any failure to comply with reporting provisions of the policies shall not affect coverage provided to the Owner or Architect/Engineer or any of their officers, directors, commissioners, officials, employees, consultants, volunteers, or agents. I. All insurance required of the Contractor shall provide that the insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.
- L. In the event the Contractor fails to furnish and maintain the insurance required by this contract, the Owner may purchase such insurance on behalf of the Contractor, and the Contractor shall pay the cost thereof to the Owner upon demand or shall have such cost deducted from any payments due the Contractor. The Contractor agrees to furnish to the Owner the information needed to obtain such insurance.
- M. In order to protect the Owner and Architect/Engineer the Contractor shall require that all its Subcontractors purchase insurance protecting the Owner and Architect/Engineer to the same extent they are protected by the insurance required herein from the Contractor.
- N. Owner's Liability Insurance
 - 1. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance covering the Owner's liability for claims which may arise from operations under the Contract and that will protect the Owner and the Architect/Engineer and their agents and employees from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including attorney's fees arising out of or resulting from the performance of the work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense (1) is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury or to destruction of tangible property (other than the work itself) including the loss of use resulting therefrom and (2) is cause in whole or in part by any negligent act of omission of the Contractor, and Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by 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 to whom insurance is afforded pursuant to this paragraph. The minimum

limits of liability purchased for such coverage shall be equal to the aggregate of the limits required for the Contractor's Liability Insurance under 24 above.

2. In any and all claims against the Owner or the Architect/Engineer or any of their agents or employees by any employee of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the insurance obligation under this paragraph shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Subcontractor under Workmen's Compensation Acts, disability benefit acts or other employee benefit acts.
3. The insurance obligations of the Contractor under this paragraph shall not extend to the liability of the Architect/Engineer, his agents or employees arising out of (1) the preparation or approval of maps, drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, change orders, designs or specifications or (2) the giving of or failure to give directions or instruction by the Architect/Engineer, his agents or employees provided that such giving or failure to give is the primary cause of the injury damage.
4. The Contractor shall provide the Owner with the Original policy and shall furnish the Architect/Engineer a memorandum copy of said policy. The named insured in the Protective Liability Policy shall be: Hoffman Estates Park District

65. Indemnification

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall waive any right of contribution against the Owner and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner and the Architect/Engineer and their officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents from and against all claims, damages losses and expenses, including, but not limited to, legal fees (attorney's and paralegal's fees, expert fees and court costs), arising out of or resulting from the performance of the Contractor's work provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or injury to or destruction of property, other than the work itself, including the loss of use resulting therefrom, or is attributable to misuse or improper use of trademark or copyright protected material or otherwise protected intellectual property, to the extent it is caused in whole or in part by any wrongful or negligent act or omission of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduce any other right to indemnity which the Owner would otherwise have. The Contractor shall similarly, protect, indemnify and hold and save harmless, the Owner, its officers, officials, employee, volunteers and agents against and from any and all claims, costs, causes, actions and expenses, including, but not limited to, legal fees, incurred by reason of Contractor's breach of any of its obligations under, or Contractor's default of any provisions of the Contract. The indemnification obligations under this paragraph shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any subcontractor under Workers' Compensation or Disability Benefit Acts or Employee Benefit Acts

66. Labor Law

The Contractor and each and every Subcontractor performing work at the site of the project to which this Contract relates shall comply with applicable and provisions of all pertinent Federal, State, and Local Labor Laws.

67. Final Cleaning

Just prior to delivery of the job to the Owner, the Contractor shall perform a final cleaning of the equipment and haul away from the job site all debris created by his work on the site and surrounding area.

68. Time Schedule/Major Repairs

Work under the Contract shall commence within five (5) calendar days after given "Written Notice to Proceed" by Owners (or date specified) and shall continue with due diligence until due completion.

Each Contractor or Subcontractor shall and does hereby agree that he will start and prosecute his work so as to cause no delay to the Contractor and that he will complete all work under his Contract coincidentally with completion of Contractor's work.

The Contractor shall submit an estimated time schedule setting up order of procedure and time allowed for each branch of work. Contractor shall make every effort to adhere to these schedules, but reasonable modifications will be permitted from time to time to compensate for delays due to strikes or conditions beyond Contractor's control, exclusive of weather.

69. Avoidance of Delays (Major Repairs)

Each Contractor and Subcontractor shall be furnished a copy of the "Time Schedule" referred to above, and each shall so prosecute his work that he not only maintains his progress in accordance with the said Time Schedule but also shall cause no delays to other Contractors, either in person or through a Subcontractor, fail to maintain progress according to the approved Time Schedule or cause delay to another Contractor or Subcontractor, he shall furnish such additional labor and/or services or work such overtime as may be necessary to bring his operation up to schedule with no additional cost to Owner. Failure to maintain schedule or to the above steps to regain the agreed time schedule shall constitute default within the terms of the Contract and grounds on which the Owner may have recourse to the Contractor's Surety for remedial action.

70. Unit Prices and Measurement (if applicable)

Upon completion of the work, a final measurement will be conducted by the Contractor and Owner. Unit prices included in the bid proposal will be applied to the units measured to determine the final/total price of the work.

71. Assignment

The Contractor or any Subcontractor shall not assign the Contract nor any monies due to become due to him hereunder, to any Person, Firm, or Corporation without previous written consent of the Owner.

72. Extras

No extra work shall be allowed or paid for unless a Change Order is made and accepted by the Owner in writing.

73. Examination of Site

Before submitting proposal, contractors shall examine site. Such an examination will be presumed and no allowance will be made for extra labor or materials due to Contractor's failure to do so. Any information furnished by the Owner shall not constitute a representation concerning site conditions and the Contractor shall bear, solely and exclusively, all costs due to concealed, unknown, unusual or otherwise unforeseen conditions at the site. Contractor is aware that all such risk concerning site conditions is borne by it, has considered such in making its bid, and therefore freely waives all of its rights under the Illinois Public Construction Contract Act of 1999 .

74. Safety

The Contractor is responsible for the safe passage of pedestrian traffic for the duration of the job. Any precautionary measures, necessary warning signs, barricades, etc., required to inform the general public of potential hazards or dangers and as necessary to assist the Contractor in the performance of the work, shall be at his expense and provided for in his quoted price. **Public safety is a foremost concern of the Owner, therefore failure by the Contractor to take a pro-active approach to safety is unacceptable. If necessary, the Owner will take whatever steps deemed appropriate, at the cost of the Contractor, to ensure the safety of the general public and our employees.**

75. Personnel

If any person employed on the work site be, in the opinion of the Owner, intemperate, disorderly, incompetent, willfully negligent or dishonest in the performance of his duties, he shall be directed to cease work and vacate the job site immediately.

76. Liens

No payment shall become due until the Contractor, if required, shall deliver to Owner a complete release of all liens arising out of this Contract, or receipts in full in lieu thereof and, if required in either case, an affidavit that so far as he has knowledge or information, the releases and receipts include all the labor and material for which a lien could be filed. If any lien remains unsatisfied after all payments are made, the Contractor shall refund to the Owner all monies that the latter may be compelled to pay in discharging such a lien, including all costs and a reasonable attorney's fee.

77. Default

In case of default by the Contractor, the Owner may procure the articles or services from other sources and hold the Contractor responsible for any excess cost occasioned thereby.

78. Cancellation of Contract

If the Contractor or any of his Sub-contractors shall, in the judgment of the Hoffman Estates Park District, be unable to carry on the work satisfactorily, or if the Contractor or any of his Sub-contractors shall violate any of the provisions of this contract, or in case of bankruptcy of the Contractor, or failure of the Contractor to pay for supplies or workmen, or a work-stoppage, or a failure by the Contractor to provide sufficient workmen or sufficient material for the job, the Owner may serve written notice upon the Contractor and his Surety of his intention to terminate the Contract, and, if within seven (7) days after the service of such notice, the Contractor or the Sub-contractor or the Surety have not proceeded to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract and to the satisfaction of the Owner, this Contract shall cease and terminate and the Owner shall have the right to take over the work and prosecute the same to completion by Contract for the account and at the expense of the Contractor and the Surety; and the Contractor and Surety shall be liable to the Owner for any excess costs occasioned by the Owner thereby, and in such event the Owner may take possession of and utilize in completing the work such materials, appliances, and plants as may be on the site of the work and necessary therefore; provided, however, that in the event the Owner determines that the failure of the Contractor, Sub-contractor or Surety to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract has resulted in an emergency which will require that the Owner take over the work immediately, to avoid loss or waste of a substantial part of the work already performed, the Owner may immediately take over the work and prosecute the same at the expense of the Contractor and Surety to the extent necessary to avoid damage, and may prosecute the same at the expense of the Contractor and Surety to the extent necessary to avoid damage, and may prosecute the same to completion at the expense of the Contractor and the Surety unless within seven (7) days after the services of the above described notice, the Contractor, Sub-contractor or Surety has proceeded to carry on the work in accordance with this Contract and to the satisfaction of the Hoffman Estates Park District.

79. Lien Waivers (if applicable)

Neither by partial nor final payment will the Owner be deemed to have waived any remedy for defective work or negligence on the part of the Contractor or any other portion of the Contract which, by its nature, survives after time of payment.

Supporting partial Waivers of Lien for each Subcontractor, supplier and prime contractor must accompany each request for progress payment.

Waivers must spell out exact description of work performed for which Waiver is issued and state whether dollar amount is full amount received or amount of work less retainage, held by prime contractor.

For final payment it is necessary to submit final waivers in the full amount of the Contracts for all Subcontractors, suppliers and prime contractors.

Waivers must be accompanied by a sworn statement listing Subcontractors and suppliers, the amount of their Contracts and the amount requested.

80. Line and Grade Stakes (if applicable)

Stakes for lines and grades shall be provided once by the Engineer. Costs for replacement of damaged stakes shall be paid by the Contractor. Prior to commencing work and before pouring or finally adjusting any structure or closing any excavation, the Contractor shall verify the correctness of any grades so as to conform to the Contract Documents.

81. Construction Observation

A Consultant may be called upon to observe the work on behalf of the Owner and will provide general assistance during construction insofar as proper interpretation of the Contract Documents is affected. The consultant shall not be responsible for the acts or omissions of the Contractor's superintendent or other employees.

All materials used and all completed work by the Contractor shall be subject to the observation of the Owner/Owner's representative. The Contractor shall furnish such samples of materials for examination and tests as may be requested by the Owner and shall furnish any information required concerning the nature or source of any materials or equipment, which he proposes to use. Any material, equipment, or work which does not satisfactorily meet the Contract Documents may be rejected by the Owner by giving written notice to the Contractor. All rejected materials, equipment, or work shall be promptly removed and replaced at the Contractor's expense.

82. Field Representatives

Field representatives may be appointed by the Owner, Architect or Engineer to see that the work is performed in accordance with the Contract Documents. Field representatives shall have the authority to condemn and/or reject defective work materials. Only the Owner shall have authority to suspend work. Field representatives shall have no authority to permit deviation from the Contract Documents and Owner, the Contractor shall be liable for any deviations made without a written order from the Engineer.

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
SPECIFICATIONS

ALTERNATES
SECTION 0190

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.5 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.

1.6 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for alternates.

1.7 DEFINITIONS

- A. Alternate: An amount proposed by bidders and stated on the Bid Form for certain work defined in the Bidding Requirements that may be added to or deducted from the Base Bid amount if Owner decides to accept a corresponding change either in the amount of construction to be completed or in the products, materials, equipment, systems, or installation methods described in the Contract Documents.
 - 1. The cost or credit for each alternate is the net addition to or deduction from the Contract Sum to incorporate alternate into the Work. No other adjustments are made to the Contract Sum.

1.8 PROCEDURES

- A. Coordination: Modify or adjust affected adjacent work as necessary to completely integrate work of the alternate into Project.
 - 1. Include as part of each alternate, miscellaneous devices, accessory objects, and similar items incidental to or required for a complete installation whether or not indicated as part of alternate.
- B. Notification: Immediately following award of the Contract, notify each party involved, in writing, of the status of each alternate. Indicate if alternates have been accepted, rejected, or deferred for later consideration. Include a complete description of negotiated modifications to alternates.
- C. Execute accepted alternates under the same conditions as other work of the Contract.

- D. Schedule: a Schedule of Alternates is included at the end of this Section. Specification Sections referenced in schedule contain requirements for materials necessary to achieve the work described under each alternate.

PART 2 – EXECUTION

2.2 SCHEDULE OF ALTERNATES

- A. All Alternates shall be coordinated with the Owner. Furnish and installation of all Alternates must include all Civil, Landscaping, Architectural, Structural, Interior Design Finishes, Mechanical, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Electrical and Pool Items that may effect that particular Alternate. Coordinate the aforementioned with each respective Alternate and reference the Construction Documents (Project Manual and Construction Drawings) for additional information regarding all Alternates. Alternates are as follows:

“SEE BID FORM”

END OF SECTION 0190

CONTRACT MODIFICATION PROCEDURE

SECTION 0191

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.8 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.

1.9 SUMMARY

- A. This Section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing Contract modifications.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
 - 1. Division 1 Section “Allowances” for procedural requirements for handling and processing allowances.
 - 2. Division 1 Section “Unit Prices” for administrative requirements for using unit prices.
 - 3. Division Section “Product Requirements” for administrative procedures for handling requests for substitutions made after Contract award.

1.10 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

- A. Architect will issue through Construction Manager or Owner’s Representative authorizing Minor Changes in the work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.

1.11 PROPOSAL REQUEST

- A. Owner-Initiated Proposal Requests: Construction Manager 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 or Construction Manager 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.
 - b. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
 - c. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change,.
 - d. Include an updated Contractor's Construction Schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
- 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 Owner.
- 1. Include a statement outlining reasons for the change and the effect of the change on the Work. Provide a complete description of the proposed change. Indicate the effect of the proposed change on the Contract Sum and the Contract Time.
 - 2. Include a list of quantities of products required or eliminated and unit costs, with total amount of purchases and credits to be made. If requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
 - 3. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
 - 4. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change.
 - 5. Include an updated Contractor's Construction Schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
 - 6. Comply with requirements in 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 form provided by the Owner.

1.12 ALLOWANCES

- A. Allowance Adjustment: To adjust allowance amounts, base each Change Order proposal on the difference between purchase amount and the allowance, multiplied by final measurement of work-in-place. If applicable, include reasonable allowances for cutting losses, tolerances, mixing wastes, normal product imperfections, and similar margins.
- 1. Include installation costs in purchase amount only where indicated as part of the allowance.
 - 2. If requested, prepare explanation and documentation to substantiate distribution of overhead costs and other margins claimed.

3. Submit substantiation of a change in scope of work, if any, claimed in Change Orders related to unit-cost allowances.
 4. Owner reserves the right to establish the quantity of work-in-place by independent quantity survey, measure, or count.
- B. Submit claims for increased costs because of a change in scope or nature of the allowance described in the Contract Documents, whether for the Purchase Order amount or Contractor's handling, labor, installation, overhead, and profit. Submit claims within 21 days of receipt of the Change Order or Construction Change Directive authorizing work to proceed. Owner will reject claims submitted later than 21 days after such authorization.
1. Do not include Contractor's or subcontractor's indirect expense in the Change Order cost amount unless it is clearly shown that the nature or extent of work has changed from what could have been foreseen from information in the Contract Documents.
 2. No change to Contractor's indirect expense is permitted for selection of higher- or lower-priced materials or systems of the same scope and nature as originally indicated.

1.13 CHANGE ORDER PROCEDURES

- A. On Owner's approval of a Proposal Request, Owner Representative will issue a Change Order for signatures of Owner and Contractor.

1.14 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVE

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

END OF SECTION 0191

UNIT PRICES
SECTION 0193

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.5 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.

1.6 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for unit prices.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
 - 1. Division 1 Section “Allowances” for procedures for using unit prices to adjust quantity allowances.
 - 2. Division 1 Section “Contract Modification Procedures” for procedures for submitting and handling Change Orders.
 - 3. Division 1 Section “Quality Requirements” for general testing and inspecting requirements.

1.7 DEFINITIONS

- A. Unit price is an amount proposed by bidders, stated on the Bid Form, as a price per unit of measurement for materials or services added to or deducted from the Contract Sum by appropriated modification, if estimated quantities of Work required by the Contract Documents are increased or decreased.

1.8 PROCEDURES

- A. Unit prices include all necessary material, plus cost for delivery, installation, insurance, applicable taxes, overhead, and profit.
- B. Measurement and Payment: Refer to individual Specification Sections for work that requires establishment of unit prices. Methods of measurement and payment for unit prices are specified in those Sections.
- C. Owner reserves the right to reject Contractor’s measurement of work-in-place that involves use of established unit prices and to have this work measured, at Owner’s expense, by an independent surveyor acceptable to Contractor.
- D. List of Unit Prices: A list of unit prices is included in Part 3. Specification Sections referenced in the schedule contain requirements for materials described under each unit price.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.2 LIST OF UNIT PRICES

- A. Unit Price No.:
- B. Refer to Bid Form for additional information on unit prices.

END OF SECTION 0193

HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
CRACK FILL
SECTION 0402

PART 1 GENERAL:

1.6 Description & Benefits

Crack Master PL (**or Approved Equal**) is a single component, hot applied crack and joint sealant. When melted and properly applied, it forms a resilient crack sealant for both asphaltic and cementitious pavements. Crack Master PL forms a lasting seal that resists tracking in warm climates.

- A. Basic Uses: Hot Pour Crack Sealant is designed to seal expansion joints, longitudinal and traverse cracks, joints between concrete and asphalt shoulders, and random cracks in both asphalt and concrete pavements.
- B. Composition: As supplied, Crack Master is supplied in solid blocks comprised of asphaltic resins and synthetic polymer rubber.
- C. Sizes: Crack Master PL is supplied in 50 lb. cardboard cartons containing two 25 lb. blocks of material per carton.
- D. Color: Black
- E. Limitations: Do not overheat material. Cracks must be free from moisture, dust, loose aggregate and other contaminants prior to application. Not recommended for cracks in excess of 1" wide.

1.7 Related Work

- A. Bituminous Concrete Paving – SECTION 0401
- B. Seal Coating – SECTION 0410

1.8 Reference Standard

- A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1.9 Submit three (3) copies of product data and specifications (Alternate only)

1.10 Job Conditions

- A. Weather Limitations
 - a. As specified in the IDOT Standard for Road and Bridge Construction
 - b. Do not apply when base surface is wet or contains an excess of moisture which would prevent uniform distribution and required penetration.

2.2 **Materials**

CrackMaster PL meets the following material requirements when tested in accordance with ASTM D6690. (see chart below).

Environmental Considerations: CrackMaster PL is considered a non-hazardous material.

Chemical & Physical Analysis	
Recommended Pour Temperature	370-390 degrees F
Maximum Heating Temperature	400 degrees F
Penetration (50 gr/5 sec)	30-45
Resiliency	40% min
Flow at 140 degrees F	8mm
Softening Point	200 degrees F min.
Ductility @77 degrees F	30 cm
Tensile Adhesion	500%
Viscosity @375 degrees F	60+- 10 poise
Flexibility @ 20 degrees F (1" Mandrel)	Pass
Specific Gravity	1.18
Asphalt Compatibility	Compatible

2.3 **Manufacture Source (Or Approved Equal)**

ThorWorks Industries, Inc.
2520 S. Campbell St
Sandusky, OH 44870
PH: 800-326-1994
Fax: 419-626-5477
www.thorworks.com

Phone 1-800-395-7325 or visit www.sealmaster.net to find the location near to you.

3.0. **Installation**

Proper surface preparation will facilitate adequate adhesion and consequently the maximum service life of the sealant. The crack must be free from moisture, dust, and loose aggregate. Routing or wire brushing are preferred methods followed by compressed air heat lance immediately prior to sealing. The substrate and air temperature must be above 42 degrees F.

3.2 **Methods**

- A. CrackMaster PL shall be melted in a conventional oil-jacketed unit equipment with an agitator and temperature control device for both material and heat transfer oil. Carefully insert blocks of material (with plastic bag) into melting equipment with agitator turned off. Load material slowly to avoid splashing. After the initial load of material has reached the recommended pouring temperature (370-390 degrees F), fresh material may be added as sealant is used. Melt only enough material that will be used the same day. Avoid overheating material. Excessive heat could cause material to gel in the equipment or fail in crack and

joints. A significant viscosity increase accompanied by stringiness signals the approach of gelation. If this occurs, immediately remove the material from the melter and dispose of it.

IMPORTANT: Protective apparel is recommended with application of CrackMaster PL. The extremely hot material will cause severe burns on contact with skin. OSHA Safety Regulations require workers to wear the following types of safety attire (see current OSHA/Safety Regulations for additional information): Hard hat with face shield; long sleeved shirt buttoned at the wrist; heat resistant gloves; long, cuffless pants; and safety toed work boots. Make certain all area around melter is clear of all debris and flammable materials. Avoid breathing vapors. Use with adequate ventilation.

- B. **Mixing Procedures:** Use material as supplied. Do not blend with other materials. After CrackMaster PL is melted it should be agitated or recirculated.
- C. **Application:** Apply heated CrackMaster PL using either a pump or wand system or a pour pot. For best results the sealant depth to width ratio should not exceed 2 to 1 (i.e. 2-inches deep to 1-inch wide). The cooled sealant height should not exceed 1/8" above surrounding pavement. Using a sealing shoe or squeegee, band the material 2 to 3 inches wide over the crack.
- D. **Estimating Material Requirements:** use the following chart as a guideline for estimating material requirements (based upon pounds of material needed for 100 feet of cracks):

Crack Width	Depth	Lbs./100 feet
3/8"	3/8"	6.9 lbs.
3/8"	1/2"	9.3 lbs.
1/2"	1/2"	12.3 lbs.
1/2"	1"	24.7 lbs.
3/4"	1/2"	18.5 lbs.
3/4"	3/4"	27.8 lbs.

The above coverage rates are only a guideline. Actual material usage may vary due to width of application and thickness of material above pavement surfaces.

- E. **Precautions:** Cracks must be free from moisture, dust, dirt and debris. Both substrate and air temperature must be above 40 degrees F. Keep boxes of material dry during storage. Do not store in direct sunlight.

END OF CRACK FILL SPECIFICATIONS – SECTION 0402

**HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT
SPECIFICATIONS**

**SEALCOATING
SECTION 0410**

9. Scope:

This recommended practice covers the application of asphalt based pavement Sealer. This application serves as weather protection, beautification of surface, and aliphatic-solvent (petroleum distillates such as gas, oil and diesel) resistant seal for asphaltic concrete pavements of airport ramps, taxiways and fueling aprons, parking lots and driveways.

10. Manufactures :

10.1 PRODUCT NAME

MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate (or approved equal)Asphalt Based Pavement Sealer.

10.2 MANUFACTURER

SealMaster(or approved equal) has a nationwide network of manufacturing and distribution facilities.

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11. Materials

11.1 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION & BENEFITS

MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is a mineral filled asphalt emulsion pavement sealer designed to protect and beautify asphalt pavement . Master Seal (or approved equal)

concentrate is formulated to be job-mixed with water and aggregate.

11.2 Basic Uses: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is designed to beautify and protect asphalt pavement surfaces including parking lots, airports, driveways, shopping malls, roadways, and more.

11.3 Composition: MasterSeal(or approved equal) Concentrate is a mineral filled asphalt emulsion pavement sealer fortified with special surfactants to promote superior adhesion and durability. Select aggregate is job mixed to produce a slip-resistant coating.

11.4 Sizes: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate is available in 4,000 gallon bulk tankers, 55-gallon drums, and 5- gallon pails.

Color: MasterSeal (or approved equal)Concentrate dries to a deep, rich black color.

11.5 Limitations: MasterSeal(or approved equal)

Concentrate shall not be applied when temperature is expected to drop below 50°F at any time within a 24 hour period after application.

11.6 TECHNICAL DATA

MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate meets the performance standards of ASTM D- 2939.

11.7 *Environmental Considerations:* MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate does not contain asbestos. MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate is an environmentally friendly water based pavement sealer containing less than 150 grams per liter volatile organic content (VOC).

11.8 *Physical/Chemical Properties:* MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate is a premium quality pavement sealer that meets the following material requirements when tested in accordance with ASTM D 140, ASTM D 466, ASTM B117, ASTM D 529, ASTM D 2939, and ASTM D244 procedures.

12. INSTALLATION

12.1 Surface must be clean and free from all loose material and dirt. Pavement surface repairs should be made with a suitable hot or cold asphalt mix. Cracks should be filled with SealMaster (or approved equal) hot pour or cold applied crack fillers. Treat all grease, oil, and gasoline spots or stains with SealMaster (or approved equal) Petro Seal™ or Prep Seal™. *Methods:* MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate shall be applied by either pressurized spray application equipment or self-propelled squeegee equipment. Pressurized spray equipment shall be capable of spraying pavement sealer with sand added. Equipment shall have continuous agitation or mixing capabilities to maintain homogeneous consistency of pavement sealer mixture throughout the application process. Self-propelled squeegee equipment shall have at least 2 squeegee or brush devices (one behind the other) to assure adequate distribution and penetration of sealer into bituminous pavement. Hand squeegees and brushes shall be acceptable in areas where practicality prohibits the use of mechanized equipment.

12.2 *Mixing Procedures:-* For optimum results, MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate Pavement Sealer shall be mixed in accordance with the following mix design (based on 100 gallons for ease of calculation): MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate 100 gals. Water 15-25 gals. Zetac or Top Tuff Polymer Additive 2 gals. Sand.

13. Equipment:

All tools and equipment necessary to perform the contract in accordance with the specified terms and conditions, such as brushes, hand squeegees, pumps and hose equipment, storage tanks, mixing tanks, water distributor, power sweepers, blowers, barricades and applicator equipment shall be provided as required by the contractor. All methods employed in performing the work and all equipment necessary for executing any part of the work shall be subject to approval by the Project Administrator before work is started, and when found unsatisfactory will be corrected. All equipment will be in good working condition.

13.1 Spray equipment used on the job shall have mechanical mixing devices incorporated in their construction to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives. The pumping system must be adequate to apply a uniform coating at the specified rates of application. Equipment requiring

- pressurization of the mixing tank for distribution will not be used.
- 13.2 Motorized squeegee application equipment used on the job will have two or more devices such as squeegees and/or drag broom assemblies to assure even distribution of the tar emulsion system. Mechanical mixing devices will be

incorporated into the construction of the applicator to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives.

- 13.3 Mixing or agitating equipment may be either portable powered or a tank-type power mixer. In any case, mixers shall be of sufficient capacity to assure homogeneous mixing of the emulsion and required additives and to maintain complete suspension of mineral aggregate until the emulsion system is applied to the pavement. All storage tanks or drop tankers shall be equipped with mechanical agitators or circulation systems sufficient to keep the refined tar emulsion homogenous during storage.

14. Preparation of Surfaces:

- 14.1 Allow new asphalt to cure. Cure time varies with type of asphalt, aggregate, weather conditions and construction procedures. Hot mix asphalt will usually cure in 30-90 days. Cold mix pavements should have at least 90 days to cure. Required cure time should be determined by the Park District and a written order to proceed will be furnished to the contractor.
- 14.2 Wide cracks, extensive alligator cracking patterns, soft or sunken spots indicate that the pavement and/or base should be repaired or replaced. Extensive patching shall be allowed to cure prior to seal coating in accordance with 5.1.
- 14.3 Thoroughly inspect the pavement for minor cracks and other imperfections. Ignore hairline cracks. Cracks of approximately 1/4-3/4 inch wide should be cleared of debris and filled with an approved crack sealant in accordance with manufacturer's specs. (See Section 0402).
- 14.4 Remove oil and grease spots that have not permanently damaged or softened the pavement by scrubbing with a detergent and flushing with water until a water-break-free surface is obtained. Oil and grease spots with deeper penetration will be treated by burning with hand held propane torch and then coating the spot with an approved oil spot primer such as Tar-Prime. If the oil spot is so severe as to cause permanent deterioration of the pavement, or if the pavement has failed due to other causes, the pavement shall be removed to the full depth of the damage and replaced with new asphalt pavement in accordance with paragraph 5.1.
- 14.5 Old traffic control lines may be blackened with black epoxy or black acrylic coatings. Excessive build-up of lines should be abraded before any prime coats of asphalt or tar emulsion are applied.
- 14.6 Highly oxidized or weathered surfaces shall be primed. Prim with SS-1, SS-1h, CSS-1, CSS-1h asphalt emulsions or with Tar-Prime Refined tar emulsion. Asphalt emulsions shall be diluted one part asphalt emulsion to 5 parts potable water and uniformly applied to the pavement at a rate of 0.10+/- 0.02 gallon per square yard. Tar Prime shall be diluted one part Tar Prime to two parts water and applied at a rate of 0.07-0.10 gallons per square yard. The prime shall be allowed to cure for 24 hours before applying pavement sealer.
- 14.7 Immediately before application of sealer, clean the surface of all loose dust, dirt, leaves and any other foreign materials by sweeping, blowing, flushing with water or any combination of the three.

15. Mix Design and Application Rates:

- 15.1 One gallon of MasterSeal (or approved equal) Concentrate will cover approximately 100 -120 square feet (11.1 to 13.3 square yards) per coat when properly mixed and applied. These projects require two coats of pavement sealer to be applied to all areas.
- 15.2 Latex additives: The latex additive will be added at the specified rate as indicated in the job mix formula +/- 0.25%. Undiluted latex will first be diluted with an equal volume of water and added slowly to the emulsion after mix water and prior to the addition of any sand. Latex will be added while the mixer is in operation to assure uniform dispersion and no coagulation of the latex. Diluent water added to the latex will be considered part of the mix water required in paragraph 6.1
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16. Incidentals:

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