

BID FORMS

BID ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

NAME OF BIDDER: EC Construction

The undersigned hereby declare that we have carefully examined the location of the proposed Work, and have read and examined the Contract, including all plans, specifications, and all addenda, if any, for the following Project:

MO2024-0003 Harbor View Elementary MPR Renovations

To the Newport-Mesa Unified School District, with its principal place of business at 2985 Bear Street, Costa Mesa, California 92626:

In response to the Notice Inviting Bids dated May 14, 2024 and in accordance with the accompanying Instructions to Bidders, the undersigned hereby proposes to the District to furnish all labor, technical and professional services, supervision, materials and equipment, other than materials and equipment specified as furnished by the District, and to perform all operations necessary and required to construct the Project in accordance with the provisions of the Contract Documents, including all plans, specifications, and all addenda, and at the prices stated opposite the respective items set forth in the Bid Schedule.

This Bid constitutes a firm offer to the District which cannot be withdrawn for 90 days after the date set for opening of Bids, or until a Contract is executed by the District and a third party, whichever is earlier.

The undersigned certifies that it has examined and is fully familiar with all of the provisions of the Contract Documents and any addenda thereto; that it has carefully checked all of figures shown in its Bid Schedule; that it has carefully reviewed the accuracy of all statements in this Bid and attachments hereto; and that it understands and agrees that the District will not be responsible for any errors or omissions on the part of the undersigned in preparing this Bid.

If awarded a Contract, the undersigned agrees to execute and deliver to the District within ten (10) calendar days after date of receipt of Notice of Award, a signed Contract and the necessary Performance Bond, Payment Bond, and Certificates of Insurance and Endorsements.

The following Bid Forms, which have been completed and executed by the undersigned Bidder, are incorporated by this reference, and made a part of this Bid:

1. Completed Bid Schedule form.
2. Bid Guarantee in the amount of not less than 10% of the Total Bid Price.
3. Completed Designation of Subcontractors form.
4. Completed Bidder Information and Experience form.
5. Fully executed Noncollusion Declaration form.

6. Completed Public Works Contractor DIR Registration Certification form.

Bidder certifies that it is now licensed in accordance with the provisions of the Contractor's License Law of the State of California:

License number 1112307

Expiration date 11/30/2025

License classification General B

If the Bidder is a joint venture, each member of the joint venture must include the above information.

The undersigned acknowledges receipt, understanding, and full consideration of the following addenda to the Contract Documents:

Addenda No. 1

[SIGNATURES NEXT PAGE]

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that all of the information submitted in connection with this Bid and all of the representations made herein are true and correct.

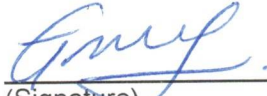
BIDDER:

Bidder's Business Address:

EC Construction
(Company Name)

11423 Casa Blanca Street Yucaipa CA 92399

By


(Signature)

Estefany Carver
(Type or print name)

General Manager
(Title)

Yucaipa, California
(Where signed) (District, State)

(corporate seal)

Dated: May 30th, 2024
State of Incorporation: Sole Proprietor

(If the Contractor is a corporation, two signatures of corporate officers are required.)

Names and addresses of all partners or joint venturers:

N/A

Statement of the authority of signatory to bind Bidder:

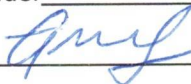
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BID SCHEDULE

TOTAL BID PRICE + ALLOWANCE	
\$ 99,900	
Total Base Bid + Allowance in Numbers	

The undersigned agrees that this Bid Schedule constitutes a firm offer to the District which cannot be withdrawn for the number of calendar days indicated in the Notice Inviting Bids from and after the bid opening, or until a Contract for the work is fully executed by the District and a third party, whichever is earlier.

Name of Bidder EC Construction

Signature 

Name and Title Estefany Carver General Manager

Dated 5/30/2024

BID GUARANTEE

BID BOND

[Note: Not required when other form of Bidder's Security, e.g., cash, certified check, or cashier's check, accompanies Bid.]

The makers of this bond are, Estefany Carver d/b/a EC Construction, as Principal, and United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company, as Surety and are held and firmly bound unto the Newport-Mesa Unified School District, hereinafter called the District, in the penal sum of TEN PERCENT (10%) OF THE TOTAL BID PRICE of the Principal submitted to District for the work described below, for the payment of which sum in lawful money of the United States, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that whereas the Principal has submitted the accompanying bid dated May 31, 2024, for **MO2024-0003 Harbor View Elementary MPR Renovations**.

If the Principal does not withdraw its Bid within the time specified in the Contract; and if the Principal is awarded the Contract and provides all documents to the District as required by the Contract; then this obligation shall be null and void. Otherwise, this bond will remain in full force and effect.

Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Contract shall affect its obligation under this bond, and Surety does hereby waive notice of any such changes.

In the event a lawsuit is brought upon this bond by the District and judgment is recovered, the Surety shall pay all litigation expenses incurred by the District in such suit, including reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, expert witness fees and expenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bound parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this 31st day of May, 2024, the name and corporate seal of each corporation.

(Corporate Seal)

Estefany Carver d/b/a EC Construction

Contractor/ Principal

By [Signature]

Title Estefany Carver, President

(Corporate Seal)

United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company

Surety

By [Signature]

Attorney-in-Fact

(Attach Attorney-in-Fact Certificate)

Title Stefan E. Tauger, Attorney-in-Fact

Notary Acknowledgment

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

STATE OF ~~CALIFORNIA~~ COLORADO
COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE

On May 31, 2024, before me, Alicia Suarez, Notary Public, personally appeared Stefan E. Tauger

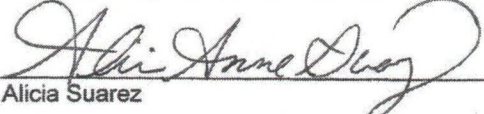
Name(s) of Signer(s)

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

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

ALICIA ANNE SUAREZ
Notary Public
State of Colorado
Notary ID # 20194045557
My Commission Expires 12-05-2023
Signature of Notary Public

WITNESS my hand and official seal.


Alicia Suarez

OPTIONAL

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

CAPADISTRICT CLAIMED BY SIGNER

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

- ☐ Individual
☐ Corporate Officer

Title(s)

☐ Partner(s) ☐ Limited
 ☐ General

☐ Attorney-In-Fact
☐ Trustee(s)
☐ Guardian/Conservator
☐ Other:

Signer is representing:
Name Of Person(s) Or Entity(ies)

Title or Type of Document

Number of Pages

Date of Document

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above

NOTE: This acknowledgment is to be completed for Contractor/Principal.



UNITED CASUALTY AND SURETY INSURANCE COMPANY
 US Casualty and Surety Insurance Company
 United Surety Insurance Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company, a corporation of the State of Nebraska, and US Casualty and Surety Insurance Company and United Surety Insurance Company, assumed names of United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company (collectively, the Companies), do by these presents make, constitute and appoint:

**Jeffery L. Booth, Jason S. Centrella, James E. Feldner, Scott E. Stoltzner, Arthur S. Johnson, Stefan E. Tauger,
 Melanie J. Stokes, Alicia Anne Suarez, Alane Skaff**

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, with full power and authority hereby conferred in its name, place and stead, to execute, acknowledge and deliver any and all bonds, recognizances, undertakings or other instruments or contracts of suretyship to include riders, amendments, and consents of surety, providing the bond penalty does not exceed Three Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand & 00/100 Dollars (\$3,750,000.00). This Power of Attorney shall expire without further action on December 31st, 2025.

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of the Companies at a meeting duly called and held on the 1st day of July, 1993:

Resolved that the President, Treasurer, or Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact of the Company, in its name and as its acts to execute and acknowledge for and on its behalf as Surety any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, waivers of citation and all other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, with power to attach thereto the seal of the Company. Any such writings so executed by such Attorneys-in-Fact shall be binding upon the Company as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected Officers of the Company in their own proper persons.

That the signature of any officer authorized by Resolutions of this Board and the Company seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or special power of attorney or certification of either given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance or other written obligation in the nature thereof; such signature and seal, when so used being hereby adopted by the Company as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Company, to be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and their corporate seals to be hereunto affixed, this 23rd day of May, 2024



UNITED CASUALTY AND SURETY INSURANCE COMPANY
 US Casualty and Surety Insurance Company
 United Surety Insurance Company

R. Kyle Fowler
 R. Kyle Fowler, Treasurer

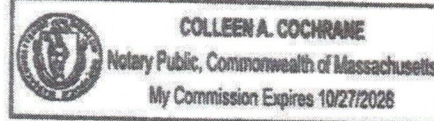
Corporate Seals

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
 County of Suffolk ss:

On this 23rd day of May, 2024, before me, Colleen A. Cochrane, a notary public, personally appeared, R. Kyle Fowler, Treasurer of United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company, US Casualty and Surety Insurance Company and United Surety Insurance Company, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person(s), or the entity on behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.
 WITNESS my hand and seal.

Colleen A. Cochrane (Seal)
 Notary Public Commission Expires: 10/27/2028



I, Robert F. Thomas, President of United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company, US Casualty and Surety Insurance Company and United Surety Insurance Company do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney, executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect; furthermore, the resolutions of the Board of Directors, set out in the Power of Attorney are in full force and effect.

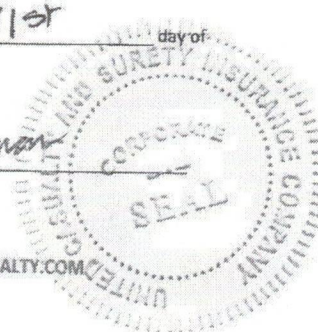
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies at Boston, Massachusetts this 31st day of

Corporate Seals



Robert F. Thomas
 Robert F. Thomas, President

TO CONFIRM AUTHENTICITY OF THIS BOND OR DOCUMENT EMAIL: CONFIRMBOND@UNITEDCASUALTY.COM



DESIGNATION OF SUBCONTRACTORS

The subcontractor listed below will perform work or labor or render service to the successful Bidder in or about the construction of the work or improvement, or are subcontractors licensed by the State of California who will, under subcontract to the successful Bidder, specially fabricate and install a portion of the work or improvement according to detailed drawings contained in the Contract Documents, in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) of the Bidder's total bid. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the work involves the construction of streets and highways, then the Bidder shall list each subcontractor who will perform work or labor or render service to the Bidder in or about the work in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the Bidder's Total Bid Price or \$10,000, whichever is greater. No additional time shall be granted to provide the below requested information.

In compliance with the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act Chapter 4 (commencing at Section 4100), Part 1, Division 2 of the California Public Contract Code, the Bidder shall set forth below:

- (a) The portion of the work to be done by the subcontractor.
- (b) The name and the location of the place of business.
- (c) The California contractor license number; and
- (d) The DIR public works contractor registration number.

If a Bidder fails to specify a subcontractor or if a Bidder specifies more than one subcontractor for the same portion of work, then the Bidder shall be deemed to have agreed that it is fully qualified to perform that portion of work and that it shall perform that portion itself.

Portion of Work to be done by Subcontractor	Name of Subcontractor	Location of Business	CSLB Contractor License No.	DIR Registration Number
Electric	BKS Electric	16435 Joshua St. Hesperia, CA 92345	889184	PW-LR-100113 6873
Panel Installation	Specialty Products Group INC	13536 Lakewood Blvd. STE 431 Bellflower CA 90706	will send ASAP	will send ASAP

BIDDER INFORMATION AND EXPERIENCE FORM

INFORMATION ABOUT BIDDER

(Indicate not applicable ("N/A") where appropriate.)

NOTE: Where Bidder is a joint venture, pages shall be duplicated, and information provided for all parties to the joint venture.

1.0 Name of Bidder: EC Construction

2.0 Type, if Entity: Sole Proprietor

3.0 Bidder Address: 11423 Casa Blanca Street Yucaipa CA 92399

N/A

909-278-6425

Facsimile Number

Telephone Number

Estefany@ECconstructionTeam.com

Email Address

4.0 How many years has Bidder's organization been in business as a Contractor?
1 year

5.0 How many years has Bidder's organization been in business under its present name? 1 year

5.1 Under what other or former names has Bidder's organization operated? N/A

6.0 If Bidder's organization is a corporation, answer the following:

6.1 Date of Incorporation: _____

6.2 State of Incorporation: _____

6.3 President's Name: _____

6.4 Vice-President's Name(s): _____

6.5 Secretary's Name: _____

6.6 Treasurer's Name: _____

7.0 If an individual or a partnership, answer the following:

7.1 Date of Organization: 11/6/2023

7.2 Name and address of all partners (state whether general or limited partnership):

No partners. I am a Sole Proprietorship company

8.0 If other than a corporation or partnership, describe organization and name principals:

N/A

9.0 List other states in which Bidder's organization is legally qualified to do business.

N/A

10.0 What type of work does the Bidder normally perform with its own forces?

All trades except roofing, HVAC, and Electrical.

11.0 Has Bidder ever failed to complete any work awarded to it? If so, note when, where, and why:

No

12.0 Within the last five years, has any officer or partner of Bidder's organization ever been an officer or partner of another organization when it failed to complete a contract? If so, attach a separate sheet of explanation:

No

13.0 List Trade References:

BKS Electric, phone number: 760-220-0684

Empire Partitions, phone number: 951-538-3639

David Carter -Rialto HS (909) 820-7863

14.0 List Bank References (Bank and Branch Address):

Wells Fargo - 33644 Yucaipa Blvd, Yucaipa CA 92399 -(909) 790-7014

15.0 Name of Bonding Company and Name and Address of Agent:

United Casualty and Surety Insurance Company
Nathan Abraham, 28780 Single Oak Drive
Suite 255, Temecula, CA 92590

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LIST OF CURRENT PROJECTS (BACKLOG)

[**Duplicate Page if needed for listing additional current projects. **]

Project	Client Reference (agency name/contact info)	Description of Bidder's Work	Completion Date	Cost of Bidder's Work
No current projects				

LIST OF COMPLETED PROJECTS – LAST THREE YEARS

[**Duplicate Page if needed for listing additional completed projects. **]

Please include only those projects which are similar enough to demonstrate Bidder's ability to perform the required Work.

Project	Client Reference (agency name/contact info)	Description of Bidder's Work	Completion Date	Cost of Bidder's Work
CUPCCAA 23-004 Eisenhower HS	David Carter 909-820-7863	Restrooms Partitions demo and installation	4/20/2024	\$83,900

EXPERIENCE AND TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS QUESTIONNAIRE

Personnel:

The Bidder shall identify the key personnel to be assigned to this project in a management, construction supervision or engineering capacity.

1. List each person's job title, name, and percent of time to be allocated to this project:

Estefany Carver -General Manager - 50%

Steven Carver-Director of construction -50%

2. Summarize each person's specialized education:

Estefany Carver- OSHA 30 Certified, Project Manager education, and Genral B

Steven Carver -OSHA 30 Certified, BA Civil Engineering

3. List each person's years of construction experience relevant to the project:

Estefany Carver -10 years

Steven Carver -25 years

4. Summarize such experience:

Estefany Carver- Construction managment and HR

Steven Carver -Commercial, residential, and industrial construction management

Bidder agrees that personnel named in this Bid will remain on this Project until completion of all relevant Work, unless substituted by personnel of equivalent experience and qualifications approved in advance by the District.

Additional Bidder's Statements:

If the Bidder feels that there is additional information which has not been included in the questionnaire above, and which would contribute to the qualification review, it may add that information in a statement here or on an attached sheet, appropriately marked:

N/A

NON-COLLUSION DECLARATION

The undersigned declares:

I am the General Manager of EC Construction, the party making the foregoing Bid.

The Bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation. The Bid is genuine and not collusive or sham. The Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to put in a false or sham bid. The Bidder has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any Bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or to refrain from bidding. The Bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the Bid Price of the Bidder or any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the Bid Price, or of that of any other Bidder. All statements contained in the Bid are true. The Bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her Bid Price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof to effectuate a collusive or sham bid, and has not paid, and will not pay, any person or entity for such purpose.

Any person executing this declaration on behalf of a Bidder that is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or any other entity, hereby represents that he or she has full power to execute, and does execute, this declaration on behalf of the Bidder.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed on May 30th [date], at Yucaipa [District], California [state].

Name of Bidder EC Construction

Signature 

Name Estefany Carver

Title General Manager

PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTOR DIR REGISTRATION CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, all contractors and subcontractors that wish to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, or enter into a contract to perform public work must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. See <http://www.dir.ca.gov/PublicWorks/PublicWorks.html> for additional information.

No Bid will be accepted, nor any contract entered into without proof of the contractor's and subcontractors' current registration with the Department of Industrial Relations to perform public work.

Bidder hereby certifies that it is aware of the registration requirements set forth in Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 and is currently registered as a contractor with the Department of Industrial Relations.¹

Name of Bidder: EC Construction

DIR Registration Number: PW-LR-1001120541

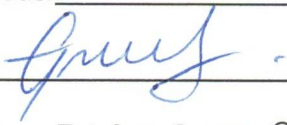
DIR Registration Expiration: 6/30/2024

Small Project Exemption: Yes or X No

Unless Bidder is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption, Bidder further acknowledges:

1. Bidder shall maintain a current DIR registration for the duration of the Project.
2. Bidder shall include the requirements of Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 in its contract with subcontractors and ensure that all subcontractors are registered at the time of bid opening and maintain registration status for the duration of the Project.
3. Failure to submit this form or comply with any of the above requirements may result in a finding that the Bid is non-responsive.

Name of Bidder EC Construction

Signature 

Name and Title Estefany Carver General Manager

Dated 5/30/2024

¹ If the Project is exempt from the contractor registration requirements pursuant to the small project exemption under Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, please mark "Yes" in response to "Small Project Exemption."