

BID FORM

Merced, California

**Merced City School District
Facilities Department
2105 Wardrobe Avenue
Merced, CA 95341**

Dear Board Members:

The undersigned doing business under the firm name of:

Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works Inc.

hereby propose and agree to enter into a Contract, to furnish any and all labor, materials, applicable taxes, equipment and services for the completion of Work described hereinafter and in the Contract Documents:

**Perimeter Fencing Projects for
John C. Fremont Elementary, Herbert Hoover Middle School, and John Muir Elementary
Bid # 2025-3-A**

prepared by:

**TETER, LLP
7535 N Palm Ave, STE 201
Fresno, CA 93711
(559) 437-0887**

Base Bid:

Two million, one hundred seventy-seven thousand and forty-two Dollars

(\$ 2,177,042.00)

Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the Base Bid accounts for all items in contract documents.

For informational purposes, Bidder shall provide the following Sub-Totals for use by the District. In the event that the tabulated total of the following sub-totals does not match the Base Bid stipulated above, the Base Bid stipulated above shall govern and be the basis of evaluation for the Award of the Contract.

Sub-Total No. 1:

Sub-Total for work at John C Fremont ES (\$ 428,166.00)

Sub-Total No. 2:

Sub-Total for work at Herbert Hoover MS (\$ 1,017,961.00)

Sub-Total No. 3:

Sub-Total for work at John Muir ES (\$ 730,915.00)

If written notice of the Award of Contract is mailed, faxed, or delivered to the undersigned at any time before this bid is withdrawn, the undersigned shall, within ten (10) days after the date of such mailing, faxing, or delivering of such notice, execute and deliver an agreement in the form of agreement present in these Contract Documents and give Performance and Payment Bonds in accordance with the specifications and bid as accepted.

The undersigned hereby designates as the office to which such Notice of Award of Contract may be mailed, faxed, or delivered:

Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc.

4104 S. B. Street Stockton CA 95206 e-mail: acrivello@goldenbayfence.com

Our Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance is placed with:

The Travelers Indemnity Company of Connecticut

Our Workers' Compensation Insurance is placed with:

Travelers Property Casualty Company of America

Circular letters, bulletins, addenda, etc., bound with the specifications or issued during the time of bidding are included in the bid, and, in completing the Contract, they are to become a part thereof.

The receipt of the following addenda to the specifications is acknowledged:

Addendum No. 1 Date 1/3/26 Addendum No. _____ Date _____

Addendum No. _____ Date _____ Addendum No. _____ Date _____

Addendum No. _____ Date _____ Addendum No. _____ Date _____

This bid may be withdrawn at any time prior to the scheduled time for the opening of bids or any authorized postponement thereof.

A bidder shall not submit a bid unless the bidder's California contractor's license number appears clearly on the bid, the license expiration date and class are stated, and the bid contains a statement that the representations made therein are made under penalty of perjury. Any bid submitted by a contractor who is not licensed pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 7028.15 shall be considered nonresponsive and shall be rejected. Any bid not containing the above information may be considered nonresponsive and may be rejected.

NOTE: Each bid must give the full business address of the bidder and be signed by bidder with bidder's usual signature. Bids by partnerships must furnish the full name of all partners and must be signed in the partnership name by a general partner with authority to bind the partnership in such matters, followed by the signature and designation of the person signing. The name of the person signing shall also be typed or printed below the signature. Bids by corporations must be signed with the legal name of the corporation, followed by the name of the state of incorporation and by the signature and designation of the chairman of the board, president or any vice president, and then followed by a second signature by the secretary, assistant secretary, the chief financial officer or assistant treasurer. All persons signing must be authorized to bind the corporation in the matter. The name of each person signing shall also be typed or printed below the signature. Satisfactory evidence of the authority of the officer signing on behalf of a corporation shall be furnished.

The undersigned declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the representations made in this bid are true and correct.

Print or Type Name : Nicholas Chavez

Title: V. President

Name of Company as Licensed: Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc.

Business Address: 4104 S. B. Street Stockton CA 95206

Telephone & Fax Number: 209-944-9754 fx 209-944-5812

DIR Registration Number & Classification: 1000000720 - A, B, C10, C13, C23

Email Address: acrivello@goldenbayfence.com

California Contractor License No.: 664905

Class and Expiration Date: A, B, C10, C13, C23 2/28/27

State of Incorporation, if Applicable: A California Corporation

☒ Evidence of authority to bind corporation is attached.

Dated: January 9, 2026

Signed: Nicholas Chavez V. President

Signed: Michael Martinez Secretary

BID BOND

Note: This document must be executed and submitted with the bid.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we the undersigned
Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc. as Principal and
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland as Surety, are hereby held and firmly bound
unto the Merced City School District "Owner" in the sum of Ten Percent of the Amount Bid
Dollars (\$10%) for payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we
hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators,
successors and assigns.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has
submitted to the Owner a certain bid, attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, to
enter into a Contract in writing for the construction of the Work in strict accordance with
Contract Documents:

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Bid # 2025-3-A**

NOW, THEREFORE,

- a. If said bid shall be rejected, or, in the alternative;
- b. If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall execute and deliver a
contract in the form of agreement attached hereto and shall execute and deliver
Performance and Payment Bonds in the forms attached hereto (all properly completed in
accordance with said bid), and shall in all other respects perform the agreement created
by the acceptance of said bid;

Then this obligation shall be void, otherwise the same shall remain in full force
and effect, it being expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any
and all default of the Principal hereunder shall be the amount of this obligation as herein
stated.

Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension
of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Contract on the call for bids, or to the
Work to be performed hereunder, or the specifications accompanying the same, shall in
any way affect its obligation under this bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such
change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of said Contract or the call
for bids, or to the Work, or to the specifications.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bounden parties have executed this instrument under several seals this 19th day of December, 2025, the name and corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative, pursuant to authority of its governing body. In the presence of:

(Notary Seal)

Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc.
(Principal)

4104 South B Street, Stockton, CA 95206
(Business Address)

Nicholas Chavez
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland
(Corporate Surety)

4 Embarcadero Center, Ste. 3740, San Francisco, CA 94111
Business Address)

By: Magdalena R. Wolfe
Magdalena R. Wolfe, Attorney-in-Fact

The rate or premium of this bond is N/A per thousand, the total amount of premium charged, \$N/A.

(The above must be filled in by Corporate Surety).

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
County of Marin

On DEC 19 2025 before me, Benjamin Wolfe, Notary Public
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Magdalena R. Wolfe,
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.

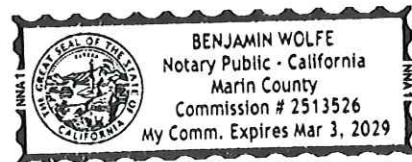
I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing
paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature



(Seal)



**ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY
COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY
FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND
POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation of the State of New York, the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Illinois, and the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND a corporation of the State of Illinois (herein collectively called the "Companies"), by Christopher Nolan, Vice President, in pursuance of authority granted by Article V, Section 8, of the By-Laws of said Companies, which are set forth on the reverse side hereof and are hereby certified to be in full force and effect on the date hereof, do hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint Daniel HUCKABAY, Frank MORONES, Dwight REILLY, Arturo AYALA, Shauna ROZELLE OSTROM, Benjamin WOLFE, Chelsea LIBERATORE, Ben STONG, Michael D. STONG, R. NAPPI, Adrian LANGRELL, Magdalena R. WOLFE, Robert WOOD of Orange, California, its true and lawful agent and Attorney-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver, for, and on its behalf as surety, and as its act and deed: any and all bonds and undertakings, and the execution of such bonds or undertakings in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon said Companies, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY at its office in New York, New York., the regularly elected officers of the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY at its office in Owings Mills, Maryland., and the regularly elected officers of the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND at its office in Owings Mills, Maryland., in their own proper persons.

The said Vice President does hereby certify that the extract set forth on the reverse side hereof is a true copy of Article V, Section 8, of the By-Laws of said Companies, and is now in force.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Vice-President has hereunto subscribed his/her names and affixed the Corporate Seals of the said ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, and FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND, this 07th day of August, A.D. 2025.



ATTEST:
ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY
COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY
FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND

Christopher Nolan

By: Christopher Nolan
Vice President

Dawn E. Brown

By: Dawn E. Brown
Secretary

State of Maryland
County of Baltimore

On this 07th day of August, A.D. 2025, before the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, duly commissioned and qualified, Christopher Nolan, Vice President and Dawn E. Brown, Secretary of the Companies, to me personally known to be the individuals and officers described in and who executed the preceding instrument, and acknowledged the execution of same, and being by me duly sworn, depose and saith, that he/she is the said officer of the Company aforesaid, and that the seals affixed to the preceding instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies, and that the said Corporate Seals and the signature as such officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said Corporations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal the day and year first above written.

Genevieve M. Malson

Genevieve M. Malson
Notary Public
My Commission Expires January 27, 2029



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
County of San Joaquin

On January 5, 2026 before me, Christy Mozqueda Notary Public
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Nicholas Chavez,
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.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Christy Mozqueda (Seal)



DESIGNATION OF SUBCONTRACTORS

Note: This document must be executed and submitted with the bid.

Each bidder shall set forth below the name and the location of the place of business of each subcontractor and the California contractor license number of each subcontractor who will perform work or labor or render service to the Contractor in or about the construction of the Work or improvement, or to a subcontractor licensed by the State of California who, under subcontract to the Contractor, specially fabricates and installs a portion of the Work or improvement according to detailed drawings contained in the plans and specifications, in an amount in excess of one-half of 1 percent (0.5%) of the bidder's total bid, and the portion of the Work which will be done by each subcontractor. An inadvertent error in listing a California contractor's license number shall not be grounds for filing a bid protest or for considering the bid nonresponsive if the bidder submits the corrected contractor's license number to the Owner within 24 hours after the bid opening, or any continuation thereof, so long as the corrected contractor's license number corresponds to the submitted name and location for that subcontractor.

If the Contractor fails to specify a subcontractor for any portion of the Work to be performed under the Contract in excess of one-half of 1 percent (0.5%) of the Contractor's total bid, the Contractor shall be deemed to have agreed to perform such portion itself, and shall not be permitted to subcontract that portion of the Work except under the conditions hereinafter set forth.

Subletting or subcontracting of any portion of the Work as to which no subcontractor was designated in the original bid shall only be permitted in cases of public emergency or necessity, and then only after a finding reduced to writing as a public record of the legislative body of the Owner.

As of March 1, 2015, for any bid proposal submitted, and as of April 1, 2015, for any contract for public work entered into, an inadvertent error in listing a subcontractor who is not registered under Labor Code section 1725.5 shall not be grounds for filing a bid protest or grounds for considering the bid nonresponsive, provided that either: the subcontractor is registered prior to the bid opening; or the subcontractor is registered and has paid the penalty registration fee specified in Labor Code section 1725.5(a)(2)(E), if applicable, within 24 hours after the bid opening; or the subcontractor is replaced by another registered subcontractor under Public Contract Code section 4107. Failure of a listed subcontractor to be registered shall be grounds under Public Contract Code section 4107 for the Contractor, with the Owner's consent, to substitute a registered subcontractor for the unregistered subcontractor.

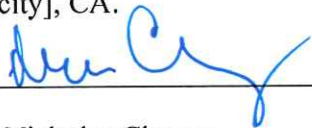
Failure to provide this information in a legible manner may result in the rejection of an otherwise acceptable bid.

NOTE: *Reproduce page two of this section for additional listings needed beyond the length of this form.*

Portion of Work	Name of Subcontractor & Phone No.	Location of Subcontractor	California Contractor License Number	DIR # & Classification	Email Address
NONE					

I am the authorized representative of the Bidder submitting this Designation of Subcontractors and I declare that each subcontractor listed holds a valid and current contractor license in good standing in California to perform the portion of work for which the subcontractor is listed.

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 1/9/26, 2025, at Stockton [city], CA.

Signature: 

Print Name: Nicholas Chavez

Title: V. President

NONCOLLUSION DECLARATION
TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID

Owner: Merced City Schools

**Project: Perimeter Fencing Projects for John C. Fremont Elementary, Herbert Hoover
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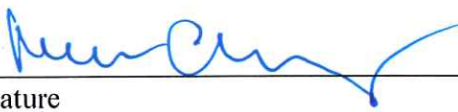
The undersigned declares:

I am the V. President of Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc., 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 1/9/26, 2025, at Stockton [city], CA.



Signature

Nicholas Chavez, V. President

Print Name

IRAN CONTRACTING ACT CERTIFICATION
(Public Contract Code sections 2202-2208)

Note: This document must be executed and submitted with the bid.

As required by Public Contract Code ("PCC") section 2204 for contracts of \$1,000,000 or more, please insert bidder's or financial institution's name and Federal ID Number (if available) and complete **one** of the options below. Please note that California law establishes penalties for providing false certifications, including civil penalties equal to the greater of \$250,000 or twice the amount of the contract for which the false certification was made; contract termination; and three-year ineligibility to bid on contracts. (PCC §2205.)

OPTION #1 - CERTIFICATION

I, the official named below, certify I am duly authorized to execute this certification on behalf of the bidder/financial institution identified below, and the bidder/financial institution identified below is **not** on the current list of persons engaged in investment activities in Iran created by California Department of General Services ("DGS") and is not a financial institution extending twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000) or more in credit to another person/bidder, for 45 days or more, if that other person/bidder will use the credit to provide goods or services in the energy sector in Iran and is identified on the current list of persons engaged in investment activities in Iran created by DGS. (PCC §2204(a).)

<i>Bidder Name/Financial Institution (Printed)</i> Golden Bay Fence Plus Iron Works, Inc.		<i>Federal ID Number (or n/a)</i> 94-3166951
<i>By (Authorized Signature)</i> 		
<i>Printed Name and Title of Person Signing</i> Nicholas Chavez, V. President		
<i>Date Executed</i> 1/9/26	<i>Executed in</i> Stockton, California	

OPTION #2 – EXEMPTION

Pursuant to Public Contract Code sections 2203(c) and (d), a public entity may permit a bidder/financial institution engaged in investment activities in Iran, on a case-by-case basis, to be eligible for, or to bid on, submit a proposal for, or enters into or renews, a contract for goods and services. If you have obtained an exemption from the certification requirement under the Iran Contracting Act, please fill out the information below, and attach documentation demonstrating the exemption approval.

<i>Bidder Name/Financial Institution (Printed)</i>	<i>Federal ID Number (or n/a)</i>
<i>By (Authorized Signature)</i>	
<i>Printed Name and Title of Person Signing</i>	<i>Date Executed</i>

FINGERPRINTING NOTICE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT
(Education Code Section 45125.2(a))

Note: This document must be executed and submitted with the bid.

Business entities entering into contracts with the Owner for the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation or repair of a facility must comply with Education Code sections 45125.1 and 45125.2. Such entities are responsible for ensuring full compliance with the law and should therefore review all applicable statutes and regulations. The following information is provided simply to assist such entities with compliance with the law.

1. If the Owner determines your employee(s) will have more than limited contact with students, then you must take one or more of the following steps:
 - a. Install a physical barrier at the worksite to limit contact with pupils.
 - b. Have an employee, who the Department of Justice has ascertained has not been convicted of a violent or serious felony, continually monitor and supervise employees. The entity shall verify in the Independent Contractor Student Contact Form to the Owner that the employee charged with monitoring and supervising its employees has no such convictions. (See attached.)
 - c. Arrange, with Owner's approval, for surveillance by Owner's personnel.

If one or more of these steps is taken, you are not required to comply with Education Code section 45125.1.

2. If you are providing the services in an emergency or exceptional situation, you are not required to comply with Education Code section 45125.2. An "emergency or exceptional" situation is one in which pupil health or safety is endangered or when repairs are needed to make a facility safe and habitable. Owner shall determine whether an emergency or exceptional situation exists.

I have read the foregoing and agree to comply with the requirements of Education Code §§ 45125.1 and 45125.2 as applicable.

Dated: 1/9/26



Signature

Name: Nicholas Chavez

Title: V. President