



**SECTION F**  
**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**CSA 29 LUCERNE VALLEY  
COMMUNITY CENTER  
RENOVATION PROJECTS**

**FOR**

**COUNTY SERVICE AREA 29 LUCERNE VALLEY  
LUCERNE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA**

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**PART 2 PRODUCTS (NOT USED)**

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**END OF SECTION**

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## SECTION 014000

### QUALITY REQUIREMENTS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

##### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

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

##### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for quality assurance and quality control.
- B. Testing and inspecting services are required to verify compliance with requirements specified or indicated. These services do not relieve Contractor of responsibility for compliance with the Contract Document requirements.
  - 1. Specific quality-assurance and -control requirements for individual construction activities are specified in the Sections that specify those activities. Requirements in those Sections may also cover production of standard products.
  - 2. Specified tests, inspections, and related actions do not limit Contractor's other quality-assurance and -control procedures that facilitate compliance with the Contract Document requirements.
  - 3. Requirements for Contractor to provide quality-assurance and -control services required by Architect, Owner, or authorities having jurisdiction are not limited by provisions of this Section.
- C. Related Sections:
  - 1. Divisions 02 through 49 Sections for specific test and inspection requirements.

##### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Quality-Assurance Services: Activities, actions, and procedures performed before and during execution of the Work to guard against defects and deficiencies and substantiate that proposed construction will comply with requirements.
- B. Quality-Control Services: Tests, inspections, procedures, and related actions during and after execution of the Work to evaluate that actual products incorporated into the Work and completed construction comply with requirements. Services do not include contract enforcement activities performed by Architect.
- C. Mockups: Full size physical assemblies that are constructed on-site. Mockups are constructed to verify selections made under sample submittals; to demonstrate aesthetic effects and, where indicated, qualities of materials and execution; to review coordination, testing, or operation; to show interface between dissimilar materials; and to demonstrate compliance with specified installation tolerances. Mockups are not Samples. Unless otherwise indicated, approved mockups establish the standard by which the Work will be judged.
  - 1. Integrated Exterior Mockups: Mockups of the exterior envelope erected separately from the building but on the project site, consisting of multiple products, assemblies and subassemblies.
- D. Pre-construction Testing: Tests and inspections performed specifically for the Project before products and materials are incorporated into the Work to verify performance or compliance with specified criteria.
- E. Product Testing: Tests and inspections that are performed by an NRTL, an NVLAP, or a testing agency qualified to conduct product testing and acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, to establish product performance and compliance with specified requirements.
- F. Source Quality-Control Testing: Tests and inspections that are performed at the source, i.e., plant, mill, factory, or shop.
- G. Field Quality-Control Testing: Tests and inspections that are performed on-site for installation of the Work and for completed Work.
- H. Testing Agency: An entity engaged to perform specific tests, inspections, or both. Testing laboratory shall mean the same as testing agency.
- I. Installer/Applicator/Erector: Contractor or another entity engaged by Contractor as an employee, Subcontractor, or Sub-subcontractor, to perform a particular construction operation, including installation, erection, application, and similar operations.
  - 1. Use of trade-specific terminology in referring to a trade or entity does not require that certain construction activities be performed by accredited or unionized individuals, or that requirements specified apply exclusively to specific trade or trades.
- J. Experienced: When used with an entity or individual, "experienced" means having successfully completed a minimum of five previous projects similar in nature, size, and extent to this Project; being familiar with special requirements indicated; and having complied with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.

1.4 CONFLICTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. Referenced Standards: If compliance with two or more standards is specified and the standards establish different or conflicting requirements for minimum quantities or quality levels, comply with the most stringent requirement. Refer conflicting requirements that are different, but apparently equal, to Architect for a decision before proceeding.
- B. Minimum Quantity or Quality Levels: The quantity or quality level shown or specified shall be the minimum provided or performed. The actual installation may comply exactly with the minimum quantity or quality specified, or it may exceed the minimum within reasonable limits. To comply with these requirements, indicated numeric values are minimum or maximum, as appropriate, for the context of requirements. Refer uncertainties to Architect for a decision before proceeding.

1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings: For integrated exterior mockups, provide plans, sections, and elevations, indicating materials and size of mockup construction.
  - 1. Indicate manufacturer and model number of individual components.
  - 2. Provide axonometric drawings for conditions difficult to illustrate in two dimensions.

1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Contractor's Quality-Control Plan: For quality-assurance and quality-control activities and responsibilities.
- B. Contractor's Quality-Control Manager Qualifications: For supervisory personnel.
- C. Testing Agency Qualifications: For testing agencies specified in "Quality Assurance" Article to demonstrate their capabilities and experience. Include proof of qualifications in the form of a recent report on the inspection of the testing agency by a recognized authority.
- D. Schedule of Tests and Inspections: Prepare in tabular form and include the following:
  - 1. Specification Section number and title.
  - 2. Entity responsible for performing tests and inspections.
  - 3. Description of test and inspection.
  - 4. Identification of applicable standards.
  - 5. Identification of test and inspection methods.
  - 6. Number of tests and inspections required.
  - 7. Time schedule or time span for tests and inspections.
  - 8. Requirements for obtaining samples.
  - 9. Unique characteristics of each quality-control service.

1.7 CONTRACTOR'S QUALITY-CONTROL PLAN

- A. Quality-Control Plan, General: Submit quality-control plan within 10 days of Notice to Proceed, and not less than five days prior to pre-construction conference. Submit in format acceptable to Architect. Identify personnel, procedures, controls, instructions, tests, records, and forms to be used to carry out Contractor's quality-assurance and quality-control responsibilities. Coordinate with Contractor's construction schedule.
- B. Quality-Control Personnel Qualifications: Engage qualified full-time personnel trained and experienced in managing and executing quality-assurance and quality-control procedures similar in nature and extent to those required for Project.
  - 1. Project quality-control manager may also serve as Project superintendent.
- C. Submittal Procedure: Describe procedures for ensuring compliance with requirements through review and management of submittal process. Indicate qualifications of personnel responsible for submittal review.
- D. Testing and Inspection: Include in quality-control plan a comprehensive schedule of Work requiring testing or inspection, including the following:
  - 1. Contractor-performed tests and inspections including subcontractor-performed tests and inspections. Include required tests and inspections and Contractor-elected tests and inspections.
  - 2. Special inspections required by authorities having jurisdiction and indicated on the "Statement of Special Inspections."
  - 3. Owner-performed tests and inspections indicated in the Contract Documents, including tests and inspections indicated to be performed by the Commissioning Authority.
- E. Continuous Inspection of Workmanship: Describe process for continuous inspection during construction to identify and correct deficiencies in workmanship in addition to testing and inspection specified. Indicate types of corrective actions to be required to bring work into compliance with standards of workmanship established by Contract requirements and approved mockups.
- F. Monitoring and Documentation: Maintain testing and inspection reports including log of approved and rejected results. Include work Architect has indicated as nonconforming or defective. Indicate corrective actions taken to bring nonconforming work into compliance with requirements. Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.

1.8 REPORTS AND DOCUMENTS

- A. Test and Inspection Reports: Prepare and submit certified written reports specified in other Sections. Include the following:
1. Date of issue.
  2. Project title and number.
  3. Name, address, and telephone number of testing agency.
  4. Dates and locations of samples and tests or inspections.
  5. Names of individuals making tests and inspections.
  6. Description of the Work and test and inspection method.
  7. Identification of product and Specification Section.
  8. Complete test or inspection data.
  9. Test and inspection results and an interpretation of test results.
  10. Record of temperature and weather conditions at time of sample taking and testing and inspecting.
  11. Comments or professional opinion on whether tested or inspected Work complies with the Contract Document requirements.
  12. Name and signature of laboratory inspector.
  13. Recommendations on retesting and re-inspecting.
- B. Manufacturer's Technical Representative's Field Reports: Prepare written information documenting manufacturer's technical representative's tests and inspections specified in other Sections. Include the following:
1. Name, address, and telephone number of technical representative making report.
  2. Statement on condition of substrates and their acceptability for installation of product.
  3. Statement that products at Project site comply with requirements.
  4. Summary of installation procedures being followed, whether they comply with requirements and, if not, what corrective action was taken.
  5. Results of operational and other tests and a statement of whether observed performance complies with requirements.
  6. Statement whether conditions, products, and installation will affect warranty.
  7. Other required items indicated in individual Specification Sections.
- C. Factory-Authorized Service Representative's Reports: Prepare written information documenting manufacturer's factory-authorized service representative's tests and inspections specified in other Sections. Include the following:
1. Name, address, and telephone number of factory-authorized service representative making report.
  2. Statement that equipment complies with requirements.
  3. Results of operational and other tests and a statement of whether observed performance complies with requirements.
  4. Statement whether conditions, products, and installation will affect warranty.
  5. Other required items indicated in individual Specification Sections.
- D. Permits, Licenses, and Certificates: For Owner's records, submit copies of permits, licenses, certifications, inspection reports, releases, jurisdictional settlements, notices, receipts for fee payments, judgments, correspondence, records, and similar documents, established for compliance with standards and regulations bearing on performance of the Work.

1.9 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. General: Qualifications paragraphs in this article establish the minimum qualification levels required; individual Specification Sections specify additional requirements.
- B. Manufacturer Qualifications: A firm experienced in manufacturing products or systems similar to those indicated for this Project and with a record of successful in-service performance, as well as sufficient production capacity to produce required units.
- C. Fabricator Qualifications: A firm experienced in producing products similar to those indicated for this Project and with a record of successful in-service performance, as well as sufficient production capacity to produce required units.
- D. Installer Qualifications: A firm or individual experienced in installing, erecting, or assembling work similar in material, design, and extent to that indicated for this Project, whose work has resulted in construction with a record of successful in-service performance.
- E. Professional Engineer Qualifications: A professional engineer who is legally qualified to practice in jurisdiction where Project is located and who is experienced in providing engineering services of the kind indicated. Engineering services are defined as those performed for installations of the system, assembly, or products that are similar to those indicated for this Project in material, design, and extent.

- F. Specialists: Certain Specification Sections require that specific construction activities shall be performed by entities who are recognized experts in those operations. Specialists shall satisfy qualification requirements indicated and shall be engaged for the activities indicated.
1. Requirements of authorities having jurisdiction shall supersede requirements for specialists.
- G. Testing Agency Qualifications: An NRTL, an NVLAP, or an independent agency with the experience and capability to conduct testing and inspecting indicated, as documented according to ASTM E 329; and with additional qualifications specified in individual Sections; and where required by authorities having jurisdiction, that is acceptable to authorities.
1. NRTL: A nationally recognized testing laboratory according to 29 CFR 1910.7.
2. NVLAP: A testing agency accredited according to NIST's National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program.
- H. Manufacturer's Technical Representative Qualifications: An authorized representative of manufacturer who is trained and approved by manufacturer to observe and inspect installation of manufacturer's products that are similar in material, design, and extent to those indicated for this Project.
- I. Factory-Authorized Service Representative Qualifications: An authorized representative of manufacturer who is trained and approved by manufacturer to inspect installation of manufacturer's products that are similar in material, design, and extent to those indicated for this Project.
- J. Pre-construction Testing: Where testing agency is indicated to perform pre-construction testing for compliance with specified requirements for performance and test methods, comply with the following:
1. Contractor responsibilities include the following:
- a. Provide test specimens representative of proposed products and construction.
  - b. Submit specimens in a timely manner with sufficient time for testing and analyzing results to prevent delaying the Work.
  - c. Provide sizes and configurations of test assemblies, mockups, and laboratory mockups to adequately demonstrate capability of products to comply with performance requirements.
  - d. Build site-assembled test assemblies and mockups using installers who will perform same tasks for Project.
  - e. Build laboratory mockups at testing facility using personnel, products, and methods of construction indicated for the completed Work.
  - f. When testing is complete, remove test specimens, assemblies, mockups; do not reuse products on Project.
2. Testing Agency Responsibilities: Submit a certified written report of each test, inspection, and similar quality-assurance service to Architect, with copy to Contractor. Interpret tests and inspections and state in each report whether tested and inspected work complies with or deviates from the Contract Documents.
- K. Mockups: Before installing portions of the Work requiring mockups, build mockups for each form of construction and finish required to comply with the following requirements, using materials indicated for the completed Work:
- 1. Build mockups in location and of size indicated or, if not indicated, as directed by Architect.
  - 2. Notify Architect 7 days in advance of dates and times when mockups will be constructed.
  - 3. Employ supervisory personnel who will oversee mockup construction. Employ workers that will be employed during the construction at the Project.
  - 4. Demonstrate the proposed range of aesthetic effects and workmanship.
  - 5. Obtain Architect's approval of mockups before starting work, fabrication, or construction.
    - a. Allow seven days for initial review and each re-review of each mockup.
  - 6. Maintain mockups during construction in an undisturbed condition as a standard for judging the completed Work.
  - 7. Demolish and remove mockups when directed, unless otherwise indicated.
- L. Integrated Exterior Mockups: Construct integrated exterior mockup in accordance with approved Shop Drawings. Coordinate installation of exterior envelope materials and products for which mockups are required in individual specification sections, along with supporting materials.
- M. Laboratory Mockups: Comply with requirements of pre-construction testing and those specified in individual Specification Sections in Divisions 02 through 49.

1.10 QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Owner Responsibilities: Where quality-control services are indicated as Owner's responsibility, Owner will engage a qualified testing agency to perform these services.
  - 1. Owner will furnish Contractor with names, addresses, and telephone numbers of testing agencies engaged and a description of types of testing and inspecting they are engaged to perform.
  - 2. Costs for retesting and re-inspecting construction that replaces or is necessitated by work that failed to comply with the Contract Documents will be charged to Contractor, and the Contract Sum will be adjusted by Change Order.
- B. Contractor Responsibilities: Tests and inspections not explicitly assigned to Owner are Contractor's responsibility. Perform additional quality-control activities required to verify that the Work complies with requirements, whether specified or not.
  - 1. Unless otherwise indicated, provide quality-control services specified and those required by authorities having jurisdiction. Perform quality-control services required of Contractor by authorities having jurisdiction, whether specified or not.
  - 2. Where services are indicated as Contractor's responsibility, engage a qualified testing agency to perform these quality-control services.
    - a. Contractor shall not employ same entity engaged by Owner, unless agreed to in writing by Owner.
  - 3. Notify testing agencies at least 24 hours in advance of time when Work that requires testing or inspecting will be performed.
  - 4. Where quality-control services are indicated as Contractor's responsibility, submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each quality-control service.
  - 5. Testing and inspecting requested by Contractor and not required by the Contract Documents are Contractor's responsibility.
  - 6. Submit additional copies of each written report directly to authorities having jurisdiction, when they so direct.
- C. Manufacturer's Field Services: Where indicated, engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect field-assembled components and equipment installation, including service connections. Report results in writing as specified in Division 01 Section "Submittal Procedures."
- D. Manufacturer's Technical Services: Where indicated, engage a manufacturer's technical representative to observe and inspect the Work. Manufacturer's technical representative's services include participation in pre-installation conferences, examination of substrates and conditions, verification of materials, observation of Installer activities, inspection of completed portions of the Work, and submittal of written reports.
- E. Re-testing/Re-inspecting: Regardless of whether original tests or inspections were Contractor's responsibility, provide quality-control services, including retesting and re-inspecting, for construction that replaced Work that failed to comply with the Contract Documents.
- F. Testing Agency Responsibilities: Cooperate with Architect and Contractor in performance of duties. Provide qualified personnel to perform required tests and inspections.
  - 1. Notify Architect and Contractor promptly of irregularities or deficiencies observed in the Work during performance of its services.
  - 2. Determine the location from which test samples will be taken and in which in-situ tests are conducted.
  - 3. Conduct and interpret tests and inspections and state in each report whether tested and inspected work complies with or deviates from requirements.
  - 4. Submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each test, inspection, and similar quality-control service through Contractor.
  - 5. Do not release, revoke, alter, or increase the Contract Document requirements or approve or accept any portion of the Work.
  - 6. Do not perform any duties of Contractor.
- G. Associated Services: Cooperate with agencies performing required tests, inspections, and similar quality-control services, and provide reasonable auxiliary services as requested. Notify agency sufficiently in advance of operations to permit assignment of personnel. Provide the following:
  - 1. Access to the Work.
  - 2. Incidental labor and facilities necessary to facilitate tests and inspections.
  - 3. Adequate quantities of representative samples of materials that require testing and inspecting. Assist agency in obtaining samples.
  - 4. Facilities for storage and field curing of test samples.
  - 5. Delivery of samples to testing agencies.
  - 6. Preliminary design mix proposed for use for material mixes that require control by testing agency.
  - 7. Security and protection for samples and for testing and inspecting equipment at Project site.

- H. Coordination: Coordinate sequence of activities to accommodate required quality-assurance and -control services with a minimum of delay and to avoid necessity of removing and replacing construction to accommodate testing and inspecting.
  - 1. Schedule times for tests, inspections, obtaining samples, and similar activities.

1.11 SPECIAL TESTS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. Special Tests and Inspections: Conducted by a qualified testing agency as required by authorities having jurisdiction, as indicated in individual Specification Sections, and as follows:
  - 1. Verifying that manufacturer maintains detailed fabrication and quality-control procedures and reviewing the completeness and adequacy of those procedures to perform the Work.
  - 2. Notifying Architect and Contractor promptly of irregularities and deficiencies observed in the Work during performance of its services.
  - 3. Submitting a certified written report of each test, inspection, and similar quality-control service to Architect with copy to Contractor and to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 4. Submitting a final report of special tests and inspections at Substantial Completion, which includes a list of unresolved deficiencies.
  - 5. Interpreting tests and inspections and stating in each report whether tested and inspected work complies with or deviates from the Contract Documents.
  - 6. Retesting and re-inspecting corrected work.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)**

**PART 3 - EXECUTION**

3.1 TEST AND INSPECTION LOG

- A. Prepare a record of tests and inspections. Include the following:
  - 1. Date test or inspection was conducted.
  - 2. Description of the Work tested or inspected.
  - 3. Date test or inspection results were transmitted to Architect.
  - 4. Identification of testing agency or special inspector conducting test or inspection.
- B. Maintain log at Project site. Post changes and modifications as they occur. Provide access to test and inspection log for Architect's reference during normal working hours.

3.2 REPAIR AND PROTECTION

- A. General: On completion of testing, inspecting, sample taking, and similar services, repair damaged construction and restore substrates and finishes.
  - 1. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Specification Sections or matching existing substrates and finishes. Restore patched areas and extend restoration into adjoining areas with durable seams that are as invisible as possible. Comply with the Contract Document requirements for cutting and patching in Division 01 Section "Execution."
- B. Protect construction exposed by or for quality-control service activities.
- C. Repair and protection are Contractor's responsibility, regardless of the assignment of responsibility for quality-control services.

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 014200

### REFERENCES

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

##### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

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

##### 1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. General: Basic Contract definitions are included in the Conditions of the Contract.
- B. "Approved": When used to convey Architect's action on Contractor's submittals, applications, and requests, "approved" is limited to Architect's duties and responsibilities as stated in the Conditions of the Contract.
- C. "Directed": A command or instruction by Architect. Other terms including "requested," "authorized," "selected," "required," and "permitted" have the same meaning as "directed."
- D. "Indicated": Requirements expressed by graphic representations or in written form on Drawings, in Specifications, and in other Contract Documents. Other terms including "shown," "noted," "scheduled," and "specified" have the same meaning as "indicated."
- E. "Regulations": Laws, ordinances, statutes, and lawful orders issued by authorities having jurisdiction, and rules, conventions, and agreements within the construction industry that control performance of the Work.
- F. "Furnish": Supply and deliver to Project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, and similar operations.
- G. "Install": Operations at Project site including unloading, temporarily storing, unpacking, assembling, erecting, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protecting, cleaning, and similar operations.
- H. "Provide": Furnish and install, complete and ready for the intended use.
- I. "Project Site": Space available for performing construction activities. The extent of Project site is shown on Drawings and may or may not be identical with the description of the land on which Project is to be built.

##### 1.3 INDUSTRY STANDARDS

- A. Applicability of Standards: Unless the Contract Documents include more stringent requirements, applicable construction industry standards have the same force and effect as if bound or copied directly into the Contract Documents to the extent referenced. Such standards are made a part of the Contract Documents by reference.
- B. Publication Dates: Comply with standards in effect as of date of the Contract Documents unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Copies of Standards: Each entity engaged in construction on Project should be familiar with industry standards applicable to its construction activity. Copies of applicable standards are not bound with the Contract Documents.
  - 1. Where copies of standards are needed to perform a required construction activity, obtain copies directly from publication source.

##### 1.4 ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

- A. Industry Organizations: Where abbreviations and acronyms are used in Specifications or other Contract Documents, they shall mean the recognized name of the entities indicated in Gale's "Encyclopedia of Associations" or in Columbia Books' "National Trade & Professional Associations of the United States."

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 017300

### EXECUTION

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
- A. Section includes general administrative and procedural requirements governing execution of the Work including, but not limited to, the following:
1. Construction layout.
  2. Field engineering and surveying.
  3. Installation of the Work.
  4. Cutting and patching.
  5. Coordination of Owner-installed products.
  6. Progress cleaning.
  7. Starting and adjusting.
  8. Protection of installed construction.
  9. Correction of the Work.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
- A. Cutting: Removal of in-place construction necessary to permit installation or performance of other work.
- B. Patching: Fitting and repair work required to restore construction to original conditions after installation of other work.
- 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- A. Qualification Data: For land surveyor .
- B. Certificates: Submit certificate signed by land surveyor certifying that location and elevation of improvements comply with requirements.
- C. Certified Surveys: Submit two copies signed by land surveyor .
- D. Final Property Survey: Submit 10 copies showing the Work performed and record survey data.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
- A. Land Surveyor Qualifications: A professional land surveyor who is legally qualified to practice in jurisdiction where Project is located and who is experienced in providing land-surveying services of the kind indicated.
- B. Cutting and Patching: Comply with requirements for and limitations on cutting and patching of construction elements.
1. Structural Elements: When cutting and patching structural elements, notify Architect of locations and details of cutting and await directions from the Architect before proceeding. Shore, brace, and support structural element during cutting and patching. Do not cut and patch structural elements in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity or increase deflection
  2. Operational Elements: Do not cut and patch operating elements and related components in a manner that results in reducing their capacity to perform as intended or that results in increased maintenance or decreased operational life or safety. Operational elements include the following:
    - a. Primary operational systems and equipment.
    - b. Fire separation assemblies.
    - c. Air or smoke barriers.
    - d. Fire-suppression systems.
    - e. Mechanical systems piping and ducts.
    - f. Control systems.
    - g. Communication systems.
    - h. Conveying systems.
    - i. Electrical wiring systems.
    - j. Operating systems of special construction.

3. Other Construction Elements: Do not cut and patch other construction elements or components in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity, that results in reducing their capacity to perform as intended, or that results in increased maintenance or decreased operational life or safety. Other construction elements include but are not limited to the following:
    - a. Water, moisture, or vapor barriers.
    - b. Membranes and flashings.
    - c. Exterior curtain-wall construction.
    - d. Equipment supports.
    - e. Piping, ductwork, vessels, and equipment.
    - f. Noise- and vibration-control elements and systems.
  4. Visual Elements: Do not cut and patch construction in a manner that results in visual evidence of cutting and patching. Do not cut and patch exposed construction in a manner that would, in Architect's opinion, reduce the building's aesthetic qualities. Remove and replace construction that has been cut and patched in a visually unsatisfactory manner.
  - C. Cutting and Patching Conference: Before proceeding, meet at Project site with parties involved in cutting and patching, including mechanical and electrical trades. Review areas of potential interference and conflict. Coordinate procedures and resolve potential conflicts before proceeding.
  - D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Obtain and maintain on-site manufacturer's written recommendations and instructions for installation of products and equipment.
- 1.6 WARRANTY
- A. Existing Warranties: Remove, replace, patch, and repair materials and surfaces cut or damaged during installation or cutting and patching operations, by methods and with materials so as not to void existing warranties.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MATERIALS
- A. General: Comply with requirements specified in other Sections.
    1. For projects requiring compliance with sustainable design and construction practices and procedures, utilize products for patching that comply with requirements of Division 01 Section "Sustainable Design Requirements."
  - B. In-Place Materials: Use materials for patching identical to in-place materials. For exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match in-place adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
    1. If identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used, use materials that, when installed, will provide a match acceptable to the Architect for the visual and functional performance of in-place materials.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
- A. Existing Conditions: The existence and location of underground and other utilities and construction indicated as existing are not guaranteed. Before beginning sitework, investigate and verify the existence and location of underground utilities, and other construction affecting the Work.
    1. Before construction, verify the location and invert elevation at points of connection of sanitary sewer, storm sewer, and water-service piping; underground electrical services, and other utilities.
    2. Furnish location data for work related to Project that must be performed by public utilities serving Project site.
  - B. Examination and Acceptance of Conditions: Before proceeding with each component of the Work, examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer or Applicator present where indicated, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance. Record observations.
    1. Written Report: Where a written report listing conditions detrimental to performance of the Work is required by other Sections, include the following:
      - a. Description of the Work.
      - b. List of detrimental conditions, including substrates.
      - c. List of unacceptable installation tolerances.
      - d. Recommended corrections.
    2. Verify compatibility with and suitability of substrates, including compatibility with existing finishes or primers.
    3. Examine roughing-in for mechanical and electrical systems to verify actual locations of connections before equipment and fixture installation.

4. Examine walls, floors, and roofs for suitable conditions where products and systems are to be installed.
5. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected. Proceeding with the Work indicates acceptance of surfaces and conditions.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Existing Utility Information: Furnish information to Owner that is necessary to adjust, move, or relocate existing utility structures, utility poles, lines, services, or other utility appurtenances located in or affected by construction. Coordinate with authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Field Measurements: Take field measurements as required to fit the Work properly. Recheck measurements before installing each product. Where portions of the Work are indicated to fit to other construction, verify dimensions of other construction by field measurements before fabrication. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.
- C. Space Requirements: Verify space requirements and dimensions of items shown diagrammatically on Drawings.
- D. Review of Contract Documents and Field Conditions: Immediately on discovery of the need for clarification of the Contract Documents caused by differing field conditions outside the control of the Contractor, submit a request for information to Architect according to requirements in Division 01 Section "Project Management and Coordination."

### 3.3 CONSTRUCTION LAYOUT

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

### 3.4 FIELD ENGINEERING

- A. Identification: Owner will identify existing benchmarks, control points, and property corners.
- B. Reference Points: Locate existing permanent benchmarks, control points, and similar reference points before beginning the Work. Preserve and protect permanent benchmarks and control points during construction operations.
  1. Do not change or relocate existing benchmarks or control points without prior written approval of Architect. Report lost or destroyed permanent benchmarks or control points promptly. Report the need to relocate permanent benchmarks or control points to Architect before proceeding.
  2. Replace lost or destroyed permanent benchmarks and control points promptly. Base replacements on the original survey control points.
- C. Benchmarks: Establish and maintain a minimum of two permanent benchmarks on Project site, referenced to data established by survey control points. Comply with authorities having jurisdiction for type and size of benchmark.
  1. Record benchmark locations, with horizontal and vertical data, on Project Record Documents.
  2. Where the actual location or elevation of layout points cannot be marked, provide temporary reference points sufficient to locate the Work.

3. Remove temporary reference points when no longer needed. Restore marked construction to its original condition.
  - D. Certified Survey: On completion of foundation walls, major site improvements, and other work requiring field-engineering services, prepare a certified survey showing dimensions, locations, angles, and elevations of construction and sitework.
  - E. Final Property Survey: Engage a land surveyor to prepare a final property survey showing significant features (real property) for Project. Include on the survey a certification, signed by land surveyor that principal metes, bounds, lines, and levels of Project are accurately positioned as shown on the survey.
    1. Show boundary lines, monuments, streets, site improvements and utilities, existing improvements and significant vegetation, adjoining properties, acreage, grade contours, and the distance and bearing from a site corner to a legal point.
    2. Recording: At Substantial Completion, have the final property survey recorded by or with authorities having jurisdiction as the official "property survey."
- 3.5 INSTALLATION
- A. General: Locate the Work and components of the Work accurately, in correct alignment and elevation, as indicated.
    1. Make vertical work plumb and make horizontal work level.
    2. Where space is limited, install components to maximize space available for maintenance and ease of removal for replacement.
    3. Conceal pipes, ducts, and wiring in finished areas, unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions and recommendations for installing products in applications indicated.
  - C. Install products at the time and under conditions that will ensure the best possible results. Maintain conditions required for product performance until Substantial Completion.
  - D. Conduct construction operations so no part of the Work is subjected to damaging operations or loading in excess of that expected during normal conditions of occupancy.
  - E. Tools and Equipment: Do not use tools or equipment that produce harmful noise levels.
  - F. Templates: Obtain and distribute to the parties involved templates for work specified to be factory prepared and field installed. Check Shop Drawings of other work to confirm that adequate provisions are made for locating and installing products to comply with indicated requirements.
  - G. Attachment: Provide blocking and attachment plates and anchors and fasteners of adequate size and number to securely anchor each component in place, accurately located and aligned with other portions of the Work. Where size and type of attachments are not indicated, verify size and type required for load conditions.
    1. Mounting Heights: Where mounting heights are not indicated, mount components at heights directed by Architect.
    2. Allow for building movement, including thermal expansion and contraction.
    3. Coordinate installation of anchorages. Furnish setting drawings, templates, and directions for installing anchorages, including sleeves, concrete inserts, anchor bolts, and items with integral anchors, that are to be embedded in concrete or masonry. Deliver such items to Project site in time for installation.
  - H. Joints: Make joints of uniform width. Where joint locations in exposed work are not indicated, arrange joints for the best visual effect. Fit exposed connections together to form hairline joints.
  - I. Hazardous Materials: Use products, cleaners, and installation materials that are not considered hazardous.
- 3.6 CUTTING AND PATCHING
- A. Cutting and Patching, General: Employ skilled workers to perform cutting and patching. Proceed with cutting and patching at the earliest feasible time, and complete without delay.
    1. Cut in-place construction to provide for installation of other components or performance of other construction, and subsequently patch as required to restore surfaces to their original condition.
  - B. Temporary Support: Provide temporary support of work to be cut.
  - C. Protection: Protect in-place construction during cutting and patching to prevent damage. Provide protection from adverse weather conditions for portions of Project that might be exposed during cutting and patching operations.
  - D. Adjacent Occupied Areas: Where interference with use of adjoining areas or interruption of free passage to adjoining areas is unavoidable, coordinate cutting and patching in accordance with requirements of Division 01 Section "Summary."

- E. Cutting: Cut in-place construction by sawing, drilling, breaking, chipping, grinding, and similar operations, including excavation, using methods least likely to damage elements retained or adjoining construction. If possible, review proposed procedures with original Installer; comply with original Installer's written recommendations.
    - 1. In general, use hand or small power tools designed for sawing and grinding, not hammering and chopping. Cut holes and slots neatly to minimum size required, and with minimum disturbance of adjacent surfaces. Temporarily cover openings when not in use.
    - 2. Finished Surfaces: Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces.
    - 3. Concrete and Masonry: Cut using a cutting machine, such as an abrasive saw or a diamond-core drill.
    - 4. Excavating and Backfilling: Comply with requirements in applicable Division 31 Sections where required by cutting and patching operations.
    - 5. Mechanical and Electrical Services: Cut off pipe or conduit in walls or partitions to be removed. Cap, valve, or plug and seal remaining portion of pipe or conduit to prevent entrance of moisture or other foreign matter after cutting.
    - 6. Proceed with patching after construction operations requiring cutting are complete.
  - F. Patching: Patch construction by filling, repairing, refinishing, closing up, and similar operations following performance of other work. Patch with durable seams that are as invisible as practicable. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Sections, where applicable.
    - 1. Inspection: Where feasible, test and inspect patched areas after completion to demonstrate physical integrity of installation.
    - 2. Exposed Finishes: Restore exposed finishes of patched areas and extend finish restoration into retained adjoining construction in a manner that will minimize evidence of patching and refinishing.
      - a. Clean piping, conduit, and similar features before applying paint or other finishing materials.
      - b. Restore damaged pipe covering to its original condition.
    - 3. Floors and Walls: Where walls or partitions that are removed extend one finished area into another, patch and repair floor and wall surfaces in the new space. Provide an even surface of uniform finish, color, texture, and appearance. Remove in-place floor and wall coverings and replace with new materials, if necessary, to achieve uniform color and appearance.
      - a. Where patching occurs in a painted surface, prepare substrate and apply primer and intermediate paint coats appropriate for substrate over the patch, and apply final paint coat over entire unbroken surface containing the patch. Provide additional coats until patch blends with adjacent surfaces.
    - 4. Ceilings: Patch, repair, or re-hang in-place ceilings as necessary to provide an even-plane surface of uniform appearance.
    - 5. Exterior Building Enclosure: Patch components in a manner that restores enclosure to a weather-tight condition.
  - G. Cleaning: Clean areas and spaces where cutting and patching are performed. Remove paint, mortar, oils, putty, and similar materials from adjacent finished surfaces.
- 3.7 OWNER-INSTALLED PRODUCTS
- A. Site Access: Provide access to Project site for Owner's construction personnel.
  - B. Coordination: Coordinate construction and operations of the Work with work performed by Owner's construction personnel.
    - 1. Construction Schedule: Inform Owner of Contractor's preferred construction schedule for Owner's portion of the Work. Adjust construction schedule based on a mutually agreeable timetable. Notify Owner if changes to schedule are required due to differences in actual construction progress.
    - 2. Pre-installation Conferences: Include Owner's construction personnel at pre-installation conferences covering portions of the Work that are to receive Owner's work. Attend pre-installation conferences conducted by Owner's construction personnel if portions of the Work depend on Owner's construction.
- 3.8 PROGRESS CLEANING
- A. General: Clean Project site and work areas daily, including common areas. Enforce requirements strictly. Dispose of materials lawfully.
    - 1. Comply with requirements in NFPA 241 for removal of combustible waste materials and debris.
    - 2. Do not hold waste materials more than seven days during normal weather or three days if the temperature is expected to rise above 80 deg F.
    - 3. Containerize hazardous and unsanitary waste materials separately from other waste. Mark containers appropriately and dispose of legally, according to regulations.
      - a. Utilize containers intended for holding waste materials of type to be stored.
    - 4. Coordinate progress cleaning for joint-use areas where more than one installer has worked.

- B. Site: Maintain Project site free of waste materials and debris.
  - C. Work Areas: Clean areas where work is in progress to the level of cleanliness necessary for proper execution of the Work.
    - 1. Remove liquid spills promptly.
    - 2. Where dust would impair proper execution of the Work, broom-clean or vacuum the entire work area, as appropriate.
  - D. Installed Work: Keep installed work clean. Clean installed surfaces according to written instructions of manufacturer or fabricator of product installed, using only cleaning materials specifically recommended. If specific cleaning materials are not recommended, use cleaning materials that are not hazardous to health or property and that will not damage exposed surfaces.
  - E. Concealed Spaces: Remove debris from concealed spaces before enclosing the space.
  - F. Exposed Surfaces in Finished Areas: Clean exposed surfaces and protect as necessary to ensure freedom from damage and deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.
  - G. Waste Disposal: Do not bury or burn waste materials on-site. Do not wash waste materials down sewers or into waterways. Comply with waste disposal requirements in Division 01 Section "Temporary Facilities and Controls." Division 01 Section "Construction Waste Management and Disposal."
  - H. During handling and installation, clean and protect construction in progress and adjoining materials already in place. Apply protective covering where required to ensure protection from damage or deterioration at Substantial Completion.
  - I. Clean and provide maintenance on completed construction as frequently as necessary through the remainder of the construction period. Adjust and lubricate operable components to ensure operability without damaging effects.
  - J. Limiting Exposures: Supervise construction operations to assure that no part of the construction, completed or in progress, is subject to harmful, dangerous, damaging, or otherwise deleterious exposure during the construction period.
- 3.9 STARTING AND ADJUSTING
- A. Coordinate startup and adjusting of equipment and operating components with requirements in Division 01 Section "General Commissioning Requirements."
  - B. Start equipment and operating components to confirm proper operation. Remove malfunctioning units, replace with new units, and retest.
  - C. Adjust equipment for proper operation. Adjust operating components for proper operation without binding.
  - D. Test each piece of equipment to verify proper operation. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
  - E. Manufacturer's Field Service: Comply with qualification requirements in Division 01 Section "Quality Requirements."
- 3.10 PROTECTION OF INSTALLED CONSTRUCTION
- A. Provide final protection and maintain conditions that ensure installed Work is without damage or deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.
  - B. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for temperature and relative humidity.
- 3.11 CORRECTION OF THE WORK
- A. Repair or remove and replace defective construction. Restore damaged substrates and finishes.
    - 1. Repairing includes replacing defective parts, refinishing damaged surfaces, touching up with matching materials, and properly adjusting operating equipment.
  - B. Restore permanent facilities used during construction to their specified condition.
  - C. Remove and replace damaged surfaces that are exposed to view if surfaces cannot be repaired without visible evidence of repair.
  - D. Repair components that do not operate properly. Remove and replace operating components that cannot be repaired.
  - E. Remove and replace chipped, scratched, and broken glass or reflective surfaces.

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 017700

### CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
- A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for contract closeout, including, but not limited to, the following:
1. Substantial Completion procedures.
  2. Final completion procedures.
  3. Warranties.
  4. Final cleaning.
- 1.3 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION
- A. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete with request.
1. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the Work is not complete.
  2. Advise Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
  3. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
  4. Obtain and submit releases permitting Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
  5. Prepare and submit Project Record Documents, operation and maintenance manuals, final completion construction photographic documentation, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.
  6. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items to location designated by Owner. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
  7. Make final changeover of permanent locks and deliver keys to Owner. Advise Owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
  8. Complete startup testing of systems.
  9. Submit test/adjust/balance records.
  10. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from Project site, along with mockups, construction tools, and similar elements.
  11. Advise Owner of changeover in heat and other utilities.
  12. Submit changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
  13. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touchup painting.
  14. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection for Substantial Completion. On receipt of request, Architect will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Architect will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on Contractor's list or additional items identified by Architect, that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
1. Re-inspection: Request re-inspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
  2. Results of completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for final completion.
- 1.4 FINAL COMPLETION
- A. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting final inspection for determining final completion, complete the following:
1. Submit a final Application for Payment according to Division 01 Section "Payment Procedures."
  2. Submit certified copy of Architect's Substantial Completion inspection list of items to be completed or corrected (punch list), endorsed and dated by Architect. The certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance.
  3. Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.

4. Submit pest-control final inspection report and warranty.
  5. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems.
  - B. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection for acceptance. On receipt of request, Architect will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Architect will prepare a final Certificate for Payment after inspection or will notify Contractor of construction that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
    1. Re-inspection: Request re-inspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected. Include cost for re-inspection based on incomplete work of the Contractor.
- 1.5 LIST OF INCOMPLETE ITEMS (PUNCH LIST)
- A. Organization of List: Include name and identification of each space and area affected by construction operations for incomplete items and items needing correction including, if necessary, areas disturbed by Contractor that are outside the limits of construction. Use CSI Form 14.1A attached or form provide by Contractor and approved by Architect.
    1. Organize list of spaces in sequential order, starting with exterior areas first.
    2. Organize items applying to each space by major element, including categories for ceiling, individual walls, floors, equipment, and building systems.
    3. Include the following information at the top of each page:
      - a. Project name.
      - b. Date.
      - c. Name of Architect.
      - d. Name of Contractor.
      - e. Page number.
    4. Submit list of incomplete items in the following format:
      - a. PDF electronic file.
      - b. Three Insert number paper copies of product schedule or list, unless otherwise indicated. Architect will return two copies.
- 1.6 WARRANTIES
- A. Submittal Time: Submit written warranties on request of Architect for designated portions of the Work where commencement of warranties other than date of Substantial Completion is indicated.
  - B. Partial Occupancy: Submit properly executed warranties within 15 days of completion of designated portions of the Work that are completed and occupied or used by Owner during construction period by separate agreement with Contractor.
  - C. Organize warranty documents into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of the Project Manual.
    1. Bind warranties and bonds in heavy-duty, three-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, thickness as necessary to accommodate contents, and sized to receive 8-1/2-by-11-inch paper.
    2. Provide heavy paper dividers with plastic-covered tabs for each separate warranty. Mark tab to identify the product or installation. Provide a typed description of the product or installation, including the name of the product and the name, address, and telephone number of Installer.
    3. Identify each binder on the front and spine with the typed or printed title "WARRANTIES," Project name, and name of Contractor.
    4. Scan warranties and bonds and assemble complete warranty and bond submittal package into a single indexed electronic PDF file with links enabling navigation to each item. Provide table of contents at beginning of document.
  - D. Provide additional copies of each warranty to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

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

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 FINAL CLEANING**

- A. General: Perform final cleaning. Conduct cleaning and waste-removal operations to comply with local laws and ordinances and Federal and local environmental and antipollution regulations.
- B. Cleaning: Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to condition expected in an average commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for certification of Substantial Completion for entire Project or for a portion of Project:
    - a. Clean Project site, yard, and grounds, in areas disturbed by construction activities, including landscape development areas, of rubbish, waste material, litter, and other foreign substances.
    - b. Sweep paved areas broom clean. Remove petrochemical spills, stains, and other foreign deposits.
    - c. Rake grounds that are neither planted nor paved to a smooth, even-textured surface.
    - d. Remove tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from Project site.
    - e. Remove snow and ice to provide safe access to building.
    - f. Clean exposed exterior and interior hard-surfaced finishes to a dirt-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances. Avoid disturbing natural weathering of exterior surfaces. Restore reflective surfaces to their original condition.
    - g. Remove debris and surface dust from limited access spaces, including roofs, plenums, shafts, trenches, equipment vaults, manholes, attics, and similar spaces.
    - h. Sweep concrete floors broom clean in unoccupied spaces.
    - i. Vacuum carpet and similar soft surfaces, removing debris and excess nap; shampoo if visible soil or stains remain.
    - j. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other noticeable, vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Polish mirrors and glass, taking care not to scratch surfaces.
    - k. Remove labels that are not permanent.
    - l. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that cannot be satisfactorily repaired or restored or that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
      - 1) Do not paint over "UL" and other required labels and identification, including mechanical and electrical nameplates.
    - m. Wipe surfaces of mechanical and electrical equipment, elevator equipment, and similar equipment. Remove excess lubrication, paint and mortar droppings, and other foreign substances.
    - n. Replace parts subject to operating conditions during construction that may impede operation or reduce longevity.
    - o. Clean plumbing fixtures to a sanitary condition, free of stains, including stains resulting from water exposure.
    - p. Replace disposable air filters and clean permanent air filters. Clean exposed surfaces of diffusers, registers, and grills.
    - q. Clean ducts, blowers, and coils if units were operated without filters during construction or that display contamination with particulate matter upon inspection.
      - 1) Clean HVAC system in compliance with NADCA Standard 1992-01. Provide written report upon completion of cleaning.
    - r. Clean light fixtures, lamps, globes, and reflectors to function with full efficiency. Replace burned-out bulbs, and those noticeably dimmed by hours of use, and defective and noisy starters in fluorescent and mercury vapor fixtures to comply with requirements for new fixtures.
    - s. Leave Project clean and ready for occupancy.
- C. Pest Control: Engage an experienced, licensed exterminator to make a final inspection and rid Project of rodents, insects, and other pests. Prepare a report.
- D. Construction Waste Disposal: Comply with waste disposal requirements in Division 01 Section "Construction Waste Management and Disposal."

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 017823

### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for preparing operation and maintenance manuals, including the following:
    - 1. Operation and maintenance documentation directory.
    - 2. Emergency manuals.
    - 3. Operation manuals for systems, subsystems, and equipment.
    - 4. Product maintenance manuals.
    - 5. Systems and equipment maintenance manuals.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. System: An organized collection of parts, equipment, or subsystems united by regular interaction.
  - B. Subsystem: A portion of a system with characteristics similar to a system.
- 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
  - A. Manual Content: Operations and maintenance manual content is specified in individual specification sections to be reviewed at the time of Section submittals. Submit reviewed manual content formatted and organized as required by this Section.
    - 1. Where applicable, clarify and update reviewed manual content to correspond to modifications and field conditions.
  - B. Format: Submit operations and maintenance manuals in the following format:
    - 1. PDF electronic file. Assemble each manual into a composite electronically-indexed file. Submit on digital media acceptable to Architect.
      - a. Name each indexed document file in composite electronic index with applicable item name. Include a complete electronically-linked operation and maintenance directory.
      - b. Enable inserted reviewer comments on draft submittals.
    - 2. One paper copy. Include a complete operation and maintenance directory. Enclose title pages and directories in clear plastic sleeves. Architect will return.
  - C. Initial Manual Submittal: Submit draft copy of each manual at least 30 days before commencing demonstration and training. Architect and Commissioning Agent will comment on whether general scope and content of manual are acceptable.
  - D. Final Manual Submittal: Submit each manual in final form prior to requesting inspection for Substantial Completion and at least 15 days before commencing demonstration and training. Architect and Commissioning Agent will return copy with comments.
    - 1. Correct or modify each manual to comply with Architect's and Commissioning Agent's comments. Submit copies of each corrected manual within 15 days of receipt of Architect's and Commissioning Agent's comments and prior to commencing demonstration and training.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DOCUMENTATION DIRECTORY
  - A. Organization: Include a section in the directory for each of the following:
    - 1. List of documents.
    - 2. List of systems.
    - 3. List of equipment.
    - 4. Table of contents.
  - B. List of Systems and Subsystems: List systems alphabetically. Include references to operation and maintenance manuals that contain information about each system.
  - C. List of Equipment: List equipment for each system, organized alphabetically by system. For pieces of equipment not part of system, list alphabetically in separate list.
  - D. Tables of Contents: Include a table of contents for each emergency, operation, and maintenance manual.

- E. Identification: In the documentation directory and in each operation and maintenance manual, identify each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment with same designation used in the Contract Documents. If no designation exists, assign a designation according to ASHRAE Guideline 4, "Preparation of Operating and Maintenance Documentation for Building Systems."

## 2.2 REQUIREMENTS FOR EMERGENCY, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Organization: Unless otherwise indicated, organize each manual into a separate section for each system and subsystem, and a separate section for each piece of equipment not part of a system. Each manual shall contain the following materials, in the order listed:
  - 1. Title page.
  - 2. Table of contents.
  - 3. Manual contents.
- B. Title Page: Include the following information:
  - 1. Subject matter included in manual.
  - 2. Name and address of Project.
  - 3. Name and address of Owner.
  - 4. Date of submittal.
  - 5. Name and contact information for Contractor.
  - 6. Name and contact information for Construction Manager.
  - 7. Name and contact information for Architect.
  - 8. Name and contact information for Commissioning Agent.
  - 9. Names and contact information for major consultants to the Architect that designed the systems contained in the manuals.
  - 10. Cross-reference to related systems in other operation and maintenance manuals.
- C. Table of Contents: List each product included in manual, identified by product name, indexed to the content of the volume, and cross-referenced to Specification Section number in Project Manual.
  - 1. If operation or maintenance documentation requires more than one volume to accommodate data, include comprehensive table of contents for all volumes in each volume of the set.
- D. Manual Contents: Organize into sets of manageable size. Arrange contents alphabetically by system, subsystem, and equipment. If possible, assemble instructions for subsystems, equipment, and components of one system into a single binder.
- E. Manuals, Electronic Files: Submit manuals in the form of a multiple file composite electronic PDF file for each manual type required.
  - 1. Electronic Files: Use electronic files prepared by manufacturer where available. Where scanning of paper documents is required, configure scanned file for minimum readable file size.
  - 2. File Names and Bookmarks: Enable bookmarking of individual documents based upon file names. Name document files to correspond to system, subsystem, and equipment names used in manual directory and table of contents. Group documents for each system and subsystem into individual composite bookmarked files, then create composite manual, so that resulting bookmarks reflect the system, subsystem, and equipment names in a readily navigated file tree. Configure electronic manual to display bookmark panel upon opening file.
- F. Manuals, Paper Copy: Submit manuals in the form of hard copy, bound and labeled volumes.
  - 1. Binders: Heavy-duty, three-ring, vinyl-covered, post-type binders, in thickness necessary to accommodate contents, sized to hold 8-1/2-by-11-inch paper; with clear plastic sleeve on spine to hold label describing contents and with pockets inside covers to hold folded oversize sheets.
    - a. If two or more binders are necessary to accommodate data of a system, organize data in each binder into groupings by subsystem and related components. Cross-reference other binders if necessary to provide essential information for proper operation or maintenance of equipment or system.
    - b. Identify each binder on front and spine, with printed title "OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL," Project title or name, and subject matter of contents, and indicate Specification Section number on bottom of spine. Indicate volume number for multiple-volume sets.
  - 2. Dividers: Heavy-paper dividers with plastic-covered tabs for each section of the manual. Mark each tab to indicate contents. Include typed list of products and major components of equipment included in the section on each divider, cross-referenced to Specification Section number and title of Project Manual.
  - 3. Protective Plastic Sleeves: Transparent plastic sleeves designed to enclose diagnostic software storage media for computerized electronic equipment.
  - 4. Supplementary Text: Prepared on 8-1/2-by-11-inch (215-by-280-mm) white bond paper.
  - 5. Drawings: Attach reinforced, punched binder tabs on drawings and bind with text.
    - a. If oversize drawings are necessary, fold drawings to same size as text pages and use as foldouts.

- b. If drawings are too large to be used as foldouts, fold and place drawings in labeled envelopes and bind envelopes in rear of manual. At appropriate locations in manual, insert typewritten pages indicating drawing titles, descriptions of contents, and drawing locations.

## 2.3 EMERGENCY MANUALS

- A. Content: Organize manual into a separate section for each of the following:
  - 1. Type of emergency.
  - 2. Emergency instructions.
  - 3. Emergency procedures.
- B. Type of Emergency: Where applicable for each type of emergency indicated below, include instructions and procedures for each system, subsystem, piece of equipment, and component:
  - 1. Fire.
  - 2. Flood.
  - 3. Gas leak.
  - 4. Water leak.
  - 5. Power failure.
  - 6. Water outage.
  - 7. System, subsystem, or equipment failure.
  - 8. Chemical release or spill.
- C. Emergency Instructions: Describe and explain warnings, trouble indications, error messages, and similar codes and signals. Include responsibilities of Owner's operating personnel for notification of Installer, supplier, and manufacturer to maintain warranties.
- D. Emergency Procedures: Include the following, as applicable:
  - 1. Instructions on stopping.
  - 2. Shutdown instructions for each type of emergency.
  - 3. Operating instructions for conditions outside normal operating limits.
  - 4. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
  - 5. Special operating instructions and procedures.

## 2.4 OPERATION MANUALS

- A. Content: In addition to requirements in this Section, include operation data required in individual Specification Sections and the following information:
  - 1. System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions. Use designations for systems and equipment indicated on Contract Documents.
  - 2. Performance and design criteria if Contractor is delegated design responsibility.
  - 3. Operating standards.
  - 4. Operating procedures.
  - 5. Operating logs.
  - 6. Wiring diagrams.
  - 7. Control diagrams.
  - 8. Piped system diagrams.
  - 9. Precautions against improper use.
  - 10. License requirements including inspection and renewal dates.
- B. Descriptions: Include the following:
  - 1. Product name and model number. Use designations for products indicated on Contract Documents.
  - 2. Manufacturer's name.
  - 3. Equipment identification with serial number of each component.
  - 4. Equipment function.
  - 5. Operating characteristics.
  - 6. Limiting conditions.
  - 7. Performance curves.
  - 8. Engineering data and tests.
  - 9. Complete nomenclature and number of replacement parts.
- C. Operating Procedures: Include the following, as applicable:
  - 1. Startup procedures.
  - 2. Equipment or system break-in procedures.
  - 3. Routine and normal operating instructions.
  - 4. Regulation and control procedures.
  - 5. Instructions on stopping.
  - 6. Normal shutdown instructions.
  - 7. Seasonal and weekend operating instructions.

8. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
  9. Special operating instructions and procedures.
  - D. Systems and Equipment Controls: Describe the sequence of operation, and diagram controls as installed.
  - E. Piped Systems: Diagram piping as installed, and identify color-coding where required for identification.
- 2.5 PRODUCT MAINTENANCE MANUALS
- A. Content: Organize manual into a separate section for each product, material, and finish. Include source information, product information, maintenance procedures, repair materials and sources, and warranties and bonds, as described below.
  - B. Source Information: List each product included in manual, identified by product name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.
  - C. Product Information: Include the following, as applicable:
    1. Product name and model number.
    2. Manufacturer's name.
    3. Color, pattern, and texture.
    4. Material and chemical composition.
    5. Reordering information for specially manufactured products.
  - D. Maintenance Procedures: Include manufacturer's written recommendations and the following:
    1. Inspection procedures.
    2. Types of cleaning agents to be used and methods of cleaning.
    3. List of cleaning agents and methods of cleaning detrimental to product.
    4. Schedule for routine cleaning and maintenance.
    5. Repair instructions.
  - E. Repair Materials and Sources: Include lists of materials and local sources of materials and related services.
  - F. Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that would affect validity of warranties or bonds.
    1. Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.
- 2.6 SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE MANUALS
- A. Content: For each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system, include source information, manufacturers' maintenance documentation, maintenance procedures, maintenance and service schedules, spare parts list and source information, maintenance service contracts, and warranty and bond information, as described below.
  - B. Source Information: List each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment included in manual, identified by product name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.
  - C. Manufacturers' Maintenance Documentation: Manufacturers' maintenance documentation including the following information for each component part or piece of equipment:
    1. Standard maintenance instructions and bulletins.
    2. Drawings, diagrams, and instructions required for maintenance, including disassembly and component removal, replacement, and assembly.
    3. Identification and nomenclature of parts and components.
    4. List of items recommended to be stocked as spare parts.
  - D. Maintenance Procedures: Include the following information and items that detail essential maintenance procedures:
    1. Test and inspection instructions.
    2. Troubleshooting guide.
    3. Precautions against improper maintenance.
    4. Disassembly; component removal, repair, and replacement; and reassembly instructions.
    5. Aligning, adjusting, and checking instructions.
    6. Demonstration and training video recording, if available.
  - E. Maintenance and Service Schedules: Include service and lubrication requirements, list of required lubricants for equipment, and separate schedules for preventive and routine maintenance and service with standard time allotment.
    1. Scheduled Maintenance and Service: Tabulate actions for daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, semiannual, and annual frequencies.
    2. Maintenance and Service Record: Include manufacturers' forms for recording maintenance.

- F. Spare Parts List and Source Information: Include lists of replacement and repair parts, with parts identified and cross-referenced to manufacturers' maintenance documentation and local sources of maintenance materials and related services.
- G. Maintenance Service Contracts: Include copies of maintenance agreements with name and telephone number of service agent.
- H. Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that would affect validity of warranties or bonds.
  - 1. Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 MANUAL PREPARATION AND DELIVERY**

- A. Operation and Maintenance Documentation Directory: Prepare a separate manual that provides an organized reference to emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.
- B. Emergency Manual: Assemble a complete set of emergency information indicating procedures for use by emergency personnel and by Owner's operating personnel for types of emergencies indicated.
- C. Product Maintenance Manual: Assemble a complete set of maintenance data indicating care and maintenance of each product, material, and finish incorporated into the Work.
- D. Operation and Maintenance Manuals: Assemble a complete set of operation and maintenance data indicating operation and maintenance of each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.
  - 1. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to assemble and prepare information for each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.
  - 2. Prepare a separate manual for each system and subsystem, in the form of an instructional manual for use by Owner's operating personnel.
- E. Manufacturers' Data: Where manuals contain manufacturers' standard printed data, include only sheets pertinent to product or component installed. Mark each sheet to identify each product or component incorporated into the Work. If data include more than one item in a tabular format, identify each item using appropriate references from the Contract Documents. Identify data applicable to the Work and delete references to information not applicable.
  - 1. Prepare supplementary text if manufacturers' standard printed data are not available and where the information is necessary for proper operation and maintenance of equipment or systems.
- F. Drawings: Prepare drawings supplementing manufacturers' printed data to illustrate the relationship of component parts of equipment and systems and to illustrate control sequence and flow diagrams. Coordinate these drawings with information contained in record Drawings to ensure correct illustration of completed installation.
  - 1. Do not use original project record documents as part of operation and maintenance manuals.
  - 2. Comply with requirements of newly prepared record Drawings in Division 01 Section "Project Record Documents."
- G. Comply with Division 01 Section "Closeout Procedures" for schedule for submitting operation and maintenance documentation.
- H. Include transmittal with all deliveries to Owner. Request receipt confirmation.

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 017900

### DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for instructing Owner's personnel, including the following:
    - 1. Demonstration of operation of systems, subsystems, and equipment.
    - 2. Training in operation and maintenance of systems, subsystems, and equipment.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Divisions 02 through 49 Sections for specific requirements for demonstration and training for products in those Sections.
- 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Instruction Program: Submit outline of instructional program for demonstration and training, including a list of training modules and a schedule of proposed dates, times, length of instruction time, and instructors' names for each training module. Include learning objective and outline for each training module.
    - 1. Indicate proposed training modules utilizing manufacturer-produced demonstration and training video recordings for systems, equipment, and products in lieu of video recording of live instructional module.
  - B. Qualification Data: For facilitator.
  - C. Attendance Record: For each training module, submit list of participants and length of instruction time.
  - D. Evaluations: For each participant and for each training module, submit results and documentation of performance-based test.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Facilitator Qualifications: A firm or individual experienced in training or educating maintenance personnel in a training program similar in content and extent to that indicated for this Project, and whose work has resulted in training or education with a record of successful learning performance.
  - B. Instructor Qualifications: A factory-authorized service representative, complying with requirements in Division 01 Section "Quality Requirements," experienced in operation and maintenance procedures and training.
  - C. Pre-Instruction Conference: Conduct conference at Project site to comply with requirements in Division 01 Section "Project Management and Coordination." Review methods and procedures related to demonstration and training including, but not limited to, the following:
    - 1. Inspect and discuss locations and other facilities required for instruction.
    - 2. Review and finalize instruction schedule and verify availability of educational materials, instructors' personnel, audiovisual equipment, and facilities needed to avoid delays.
    - 3. Review required content of instruction.
    - 4. For instruction that must occur outside, review weather and forecasted weather conditions and procedures to follow if conditions are unfavorable.
- 1.5 COORDINATION
  - A. Coordinate instruction schedule with Owner's operations. Adjust schedule as required to minimize disrupting Owner's operations.
  - B. Coordinate instructors, including providing notification of dates, times, length of instruction time, and course content.
  - C. Coordinate content of training modules with content of approved emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals. Do not submit instruction program until operation and maintenance data has been reviewed and approved by Architect.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 INSTRUCTION PROGRAM

- A. Program Structure: Develop an instruction program that includes individual training modules for each system and for equipment not part of a system, as required by individual Specification Sections.
- B. Training Modules: Develop a learning objective and teaching outline for each module. Include a description of specific skills and knowledge that participant is expected to master. For each module, include instruction for the following as applicable to the system, equipment, or component:
  - 1. Basis of System Design, Operational Requirements, and Criteria: Include the following:
    - a. System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions.
    - b. Performance and design criteria if Contractor is delegated design responsibility.
    - c. Operating standards.
    - d. Regulatory requirements.
    - e. Equipment function.
    - f. Operating characteristics.
    - g. Limiting conditions.
    - h. Performance curves.
  - 2. Documentation: Review the following items in detail:
    - a. Emergency manuals.
    - b. Operations manuals.
    - c. Maintenance manuals.
    - d. Project record documents.
    - e. Identification systems.
    - f. Warranties and bonds.
    - g. Maintenance service agreements and similar continuing commitments.
  - 3. Emergencies: Include the following, as applicable:
    - a. Instructions on meaning of warnings, trouble indications, and error messages.
    - b. Instructions on stopping.
    - c. Shutdown instructions for each type of emergency.
    - d. Operating instructions for conditions outside of normal operating limits.
    - e. Sequences for electric or electronic systems.
    - f. Special operating instructions and procedures.
  - 4. Operations: Include the following, as applicable:
    - a. Startup procedures.
    - b. Equipment or system break-in procedures.
    - c. Routine and normal operating instructions.
    - d. Regulation and control procedures.
    - e. Control sequences.
    - f. Safety procedures.
    - g. Instructions on stopping.
    - h. Normal shutdown instructions.
    - i. Operating procedures for emergencies.
    - j. Operating procedures for system, subsystem, or equipment failure.
    - k. Seasonal and weekend operating instructions.
    - l. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
    - m. Special operating instructions and procedures.
  - 5. Adjustments: Include the following:
    - a. Alignments.
    - b. Checking adjustments.
    - c. Noise and vibration adjustments.
    - d. Economy and efficiency adjustments.
  - 6. Troubleshooting: Include the following:
    - a. Diagnostic instructions.
    - b. Test and inspection procedures.
  - 7. Maintenance: Include the following:
    - a. Inspection procedures.
    - b. Types of cleaning agents to be used and methods of cleaning.
    - c. List of cleaning agents and methods of cleaning detrimental to product.
    - d. Procedures for routine cleaning
    - e. Procedures for preventive maintenance.
    - f. Procedures for routine maintenance.
    - g. Instruction on use of special tools.

8. Repairs: Include the following:
  - a. Diagnosis instructions.
  - b. Repair instructions.
  - c. Disassembly; component removal, repair, and replacement; and reassembly instructions.
  - d. Instructions for identifying parts and components.
  - e. Review of spare parts needed for operation and maintenance.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 PREPARATION**

- A. Assemble educational materials necessary for instruction, including documentation and training module. Assemble training modules into a training manual organized in coordination with requirements in Division 01 Section "Operations and Maintenance Data."
- B. Set up instructional equipment at instruction location.

#### **3.2 INSTRUCTION**

- A. Facilitator: Engage a qualified facilitator to prepare instruction program and training modules, to coordinate instructors, and to coordinate between Contractor and Owner for number of participants, instruction times, and location.
- B. Engage qualified instructors to instruct Owner's personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain systems, subsystems, and equipment not part of a system.
- C. Scheduling: Provide instruction at mutually agreed on times. For equipment that requires seasonal operation, provide similar instruction at start of each season.
  1. Schedule training with Owner, through Construction Manager, with at least seven days' advance notice.
- D. Evaluation: At conclusion of each training module, assess and document each participant's mastery of module by use of a demonstration performance-based test.
- E. Cleanup: Collect used and leftover educational materials and give to Owner. Remove instructional equipment. Restore systems and equipment to condition existing before initial training use.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 031000**  
**CONCRETE FORMWORK**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. This section provides for the furnishing and installing of concrete formwork.
  - B. Work Included:
    - 1. Formwork for cast-in-place concrete with shoring, bracing and anchorage.
    - 2. Openings for other affected work.
    - 3. Form accessories.
    - 4. Stripping forms.
- 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Division 1-GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - B. Section 01457 – TESTING
  - C. Section 03200 – CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT
  - D. Section 03300 – CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE
- 1.3 REFERENCES
  - A. ACI 301 - Standard Specifications for Structural Concrete.
  - B. ACI 347 - Recommended Practice for Concrete Formwork.
  - C. PS 1 - Construction and Industrial Plywood.
- 1.4 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION
  - A. Design, engineer and construct formwork, shoring and bracing to meet design and code requirements so that resultant concrete conforms to required shapes, lines and dimensions.
  - B. Design bracing of exterior grade walls to withstand backfilling operations.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Construct and erect concrete formwork in accordance with ACI 301 and ACI 347.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver, store, and handle materials under provisions of Division 1 – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
  - B. Deliver form materials in manufacturer's packaging with installation instructions.
  - C. Store off ground in ventilated and protected area to prevent deterioration from moisture or damage.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 FORM MATERIALS
  - A. Plywood: PS-1, MDO Grade, Class I or II; thickness shall be as required by design.
  - B. Glass Fiber Fabric Reinforced Plastic Forms: Matched, tight fitting, stiffened to support weight of concrete without deflection detrimental to structural tolerances and appearance of finished concrete surface.
  - C. Lumber: Yellow pine species; construction grade with grade stamp clearly visible.
  - D. Steel: Minimum 16 gage sheet; well matched, tight fitting, stiffened to support weight of concrete without deflection detrimental to tolerances and appearance of finished surfaces.
- 2.2 FORMWORK ACCESSORIES
  - A. Form Ties: Removable or snap-off metal of fixed length, one inch break back dimension; free of defects that will leave holes no larger than one inch diameter in concrete surface.
  - B. Form Release Agent: Colorless non-grain raising material which will not stain concrete or absorb moisture or impair natural bonding of concrete.
  - C. Nails, Spikes, Lag Bolts, Through Bolts, Anchorages: Sized as required; of strength and character to maintain formwork in place while placing concrete.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Earth forms are permitted at exterior grade beams and footings.
- B. Hand-trim sides and bottoms of earth forms; remove loose dirt prior to placing concrete.
- C. Minimize form joints. Symmetrically align joints.
- D. Arrange and assemble formwork to permit stripping so that concrete is not damaged during its removal.

#### 3.2 ERECTION

- A. Forms shall be constructed of sound material, of the correct shape and dimensions, mortar tight, of sufficient strength and so braced and tied together that the movement of men, equipment, materials or placing and vibrating the concrete will not throw them out of line or position. Forms shall be strong enough to maintain their exact shape under all imposed loads. Camber where necessary to assure level finished soffits. Forms shall be so constructed that they may be easily removed without damage to the concrete. All wedging and bracing shall be completed in advance of placing of concrete.
- B. Framing and Bracing: Framing, bracing, supporting members and centering shall be of ample size and strength to safely carry, without deflection, all dead and live loads to which forms may be subjected, and shall be spaced sufficiently close to prevent any bulging or sagging of forms. Distribute bracing loads over base area on which bracing is erected. When placed on ground, protect against undermining or settlement.
- C. Provide temporary ports in formwork to facilitate cleaning and inspection. Locate openings at bottom of forms to allow flushing water to drain. Close ports with tight fitting panels, flush with inside face of forms, neatly fitted so that joints will not be apparent in exposed concrete surfaces.
- D. Form Ties: Form ties shall be of sufficient strength and used in sufficient quantities to prevent spreading of the forms. Ties shall be placed at least one inch away from the finished surface of the concrete. The use of ties consisting of twisted wire loops will not be permitted. Inner rods shall be left in concrete when forms are stripped. All form ties used in exposed concrete shall be spaced equidistant and symmetrical, and shall line up both vertically and horizontally.
- E. Provide 3/4 inch by 3/4 inch chamfer strips on internal exposed corners or as noted on Drawings.
- F. Construct formwork to maintain tolerances in accordance with ACI 301, and as modified by the following:
  - 1. Variation from plumb:
    - a. In lines and surfaces of columns, piers, walls, and in rises:
      - 1) in any ten foot length: 1/4 inch
      - 2) maximum for entire length: 1/2 inch
    - b. For exposed corner columns, control-joint grooves, and other conspicuous lines:
      - 1) in any 20 foot length: 1/4 inch
      - 2) maximum for entire length: 1/2 inch
  - 2. Variation of the linear building lines from established position in plan and related position of columns, piers, walls, and partitions:
    - a. in any bay: 1/2 inch
    - b. in any 20 foot length: 1/2 inch
    - c. maximum for entire length: 1 inch
  - 3. Variation in the size and location of sleeves, floor openings, and wall openings:
    - a. plus or minus 1/4 inch
  - 4. Variation in cross sectional dimensions of columns, piers and beams, and in the thickness of slabs and walls:
    - a. minus 1/4 inch
    - b. plus 1/2 inch
  - 5. Footings:
    - a. Variations in dimensions in plan:
      - 1) minus 1/2 inch
      - 2) plus 2 inch
    - b. Misplacement or eccentricity:
      - 1) 2 percent of the footing width in the direction of misplacement but not more than 2-inch
    - c. Thickness:
      - 1) decrease in specified thickness: 5 percent
      - 2) increase in specified thickness: no limit
  - 6. Variation in steps:
    - a. In a flight of stairs:
      - 1) rise: plus or minus 1/8 inch
      - 2) tread: plus or minus 1/4 inch

- b. In consecutive steps:
      - 1) rise: plus or minus 1/16 inch
      - 2) tread: plus or minus 1/8 inch
  - G. Formwork exceeding tolerances shall be reconstructed in accordance with the specifications and at NO extra cost to the Owner.
- 3.3 APPLICATION OF FORM RELEASE AGENT
  - A. Apply form release agent on formwork in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. Apply prior to placing reinforcing steel, anchoring devices, and embedded items.
  - B. Do not apply form release agent where concrete surfaces are scheduled to receive special finishes or applied coverings which may be affected by agent. Soak contact surfaces of untreated forms with clean water. Keep surfaces wet prior to placing concrete.
- 3.4 INSERTS, EMBEDDED PARTS AND OPENINGS
  - A. Frame openings in concrete where indicated on the Drawings. Contractor shall establish exact locations, sizes and other conditions required for openings and attachment of work specified under other sections. The Contractor shall be held responsible for proper coordination of all work of this nature in order that there will be no unnecessary cutting and patching of concrete. Any cutting and repairing to concrete required as result of failure to provide for such openings shall be paid for by the Contractor at NO extra cost to the Owner.
  - B. Provisions shall be made for pipes, sleeves, anchors, inserts, reglets, anchor slots, nailers, waterstops, and other features. No wood other than necessary nailing blocks shall be embedded in concrete. Complete cooperation shall be extended to suppliers of embedded items in their installation. Secure information for embedded items from other trades as required. All embedded items shall be securely anchored in correct location and alignment prior to placing concrete. Electrical and telephone conduits shall be run in concrete only upon the written approval of The Owner. Under no circumstances will aluminum conduit be permitted in concrete.
  - C. Install accessories in accordance with manufacturer's instructions; level and plumb. Ensure items are not disturbed during concrete placement.
- 3.5 FORM REMOVAL
  - A. Do not remove forms or bracing until concrete has sufficient strength to support its own weight and construction and design loads which may be imposed upon it.
  - B. Remove formwork progressively so no unbalanced loads are imposed on structure.
  - C. Do not damage concrete surfaces during form removal.
  - D. Remove formwork in same sequence as concrete placement to achieve similar concrete surface coloration.
  - E. For exposed concrete surfaces, do not reuse wood formwork more than four times. DO NOT PATCH FORMWORK. The Owner may direct the Contractor to discontinue use of defective formwork at anytime.
  - F. When form removal time is less than curing time, take measures to provide adequate curing and thermal protection of exposed concrete.
  - G. Bracing of exterior foundation walls shall remain in place for a minimum of seven (7) days and until backfilling operations are complete.
- 3.6 CLEANING
  - A. Clean forms to remove foreign matter as erection proceeds.
  - B. Ensure that water and debris drain to exterior through cleanout ports.
  - C. During cold weather, remove ice and snow from forms. Do not use de-icing salts. Do not use water to clean out completed forms unless formwork and construction proceed within heated enclosure. Use compressed air to remove foreign matter.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 032000**  
**CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

- 1.1 SCOPE
- A. This section provides for the furnishing and installing of concrete reinforcement.
  - B. Work Included:
    - 1. Reinforcing steel bars.
    - 2. Welded steel wire fabric.
    - 3. Support chairs.
    - 4. Bolsters bar supports.
    - 5. Spacers.
    - 6. Anchor Bolts.
    - 7. Threaded dowel splices.
- 1.2 REFERENCES
- A. ACI 301 - Standard Specifications for Structural Concrete.
  - B. ACI 315 - Details and Detailing of Concrete Reinforcement.
  - C. ANSI/ASTM A185 - Welded Steel Wire Fabric for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - D. ANSI/AWS D1.4 - Structural Welding Code Reinforcing Steel.
  - E. ASTM A36 - Carbon Structural Steel.
  - F. ASTM A510 - Wire Rods and Coarse Round Wire, Carbon Steel.
  - G. ASTM A563 - Carbon and Alloy Steel Nuts.
  - H. ASTM A615 - Deformed and Plain Billet-Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - I. CRSI - Manual of Standard Practice.
  - J. CRSI 63 - Recommended Practice for Placing Reinforcing Bars.
  - K. CRSI 65 - Recommended Practice for Placing Bar Supports, Specifications and Nomenclature.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
- A. Product Data:
    - 1. Manufacturers Literature: Submit for review, manufacturer's specifications and installation instructions for any proprietary splicing method used to show compliance with these specifications.
  - B. Shop Drawings:
    - 1. Indicate sizes, spacings, locations and quantities of reinforcing steel, wire fabric, bending and cutting schedules, location of splices, and stirrup/tie spacing.
    - 2. Submit drawings, separate from reinforcing steel, indicating anchor bolt sizes, spacings, locations, and quantities.
    - 3. Furnish one (1) complete set of final shop drawings to the Owner's testing agency for its use in reinforcing placement inspection.
  - C. Certificates: Submit to The Owner and General Contractor, mill test certificates of supplied concrete reinforcing, anchor bolts, nuts, and washers, indicating physical and chemical analysis.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
- A. Perform concrete reinforcement work in accordance with CRSI Manual of Standard Practice and the General Conditions.
  - B. Conform to ACI 315.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
- A. Deliver reinforcement in bundles properly tagged showing quantity, grade, and suitable identification marks to allow checking, sorting, and placing.
  - B. Store reinforcement off ground; cover; keep clean.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Reinforcing Steel: ASTM A615, 60 ksi yield grade new billet steel deformed bars; uncoated finish. Reinforcing steel shall be the grade as indicated on the contract Drawings.
- B. Welded Steel Wire Fabric: ANSI/ASTM A1064, plain type; in flat sheets; uncoated finish.
- C. Reinforcing Steel: Where specified on the contract Drawings, ASTM A706 Grade 60.
- D. Dowels:
  - 1. Round Dowels: Where indicated, provide smooth steel round dowels; ASTM A36 or ASTM A615, GR60 ksi yield grade new billet steel plain bars; uncoated finish.
  - 2. Diamond Plate Dowels: At construction joints, provide diamond shaped plate dowels in accordance with the Diamond Dowel® System™ of load transfer as manufactured by PNA, Inc. (800) 542-0214. Refer to Drawings for details.
  - 3. Plate Dowels for saw cut joints: PNA PD3 Basket Assembly as manufactured by PNA, Inc. (800)542-0214. Refer to Drawings for details
- E. Reinforcing Steel Dowel Anchorage: Grout for drilled dowels into new or existing concrete shall be Hilti H adhesive or an approved equal.
- F. All reinforcing steel, anchor bolts and welded steel wire fabric shall be manufactured in the United States.

### 2.2 ACCESSORY MATERIALS

- A. Tie Wire: Minimum 18 gage, annealed type.
- B. Chairs, Bolsters, Bar Supports, Spacers:
  - 1. Standard CRSI; galvanized; sized and shaped for strength and support of reinforcement during installation and placement of concrete.
  - 2. In exposed concrete with supports or spacers in contact with formwork, use plastic supports, hot-dipped galvanized bar supports with plastic feet, or stainless steel.

### 2.3 FABRICATION

- A. Fabricate in accordance with ACI 315; provide concrete cover as specified on the contract Drawings.
- B. Locate reinforcing splices not indicated on Drawings at points of minimum stress.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Reinforcing and anchor bolts are to be installed only from placement drawings which have been reviewed and approved by The Owner, General Contractor and Engineer.
- B. Before placing concrete, clean reinforcement of foreign particles or coatings.
- C. Place reinforcement in accordance with CRSI 63 and CRSI 65.
- D. Tolerances:
  - 1. Maintain surface clearance dimensions shown, plus or minus 1/4 inch.
  - 2. Secure reinforcing with accessories and tie wire to prevent displacement before and during concreting. Concrete shall not be poured if bars are not properly and securely placed with adequate supports.
- E. Dowels:
  - 1. Secure cast-in-place dowels in position prior to pouring concrete.
  - 2. Install drilled dowel grout anchorage in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
  - 3. Install Diamond Dowel® System™ in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
- F. Interferences: Give notice whenever pipes, conduits, sleeves, and other construction interferes with placement; obtain method of procedure to resolve interference.

### 3.2 SPLICES

- A. Lap splice all bars in accordance with standard detailing practice unless otherwise indicated on the Drawings.

3.3 REPAIRS

- A. Contractor shall notify The Owner and Owner's testing agency at least 24 hours ahead of each concrete pour, and no concrete shall be placed until all reinforcing steel has been installed by the Contractor and approved by the Owner's testing agency.
- B. Capable steel workmen shall be kept on the work at all times during the placing of concrete and shall properly reset any reinforcement displaced.
- C. The following reinforcing steel work will be considered defective and may be ordered, by the Owner's testing agency, to be removed and replaced by the Contractor at no extra cost to the Owner.
  - 1. Bars with kinks or bends not shown on Drawings.
  - 2. Bars injured due to bending or straightening.
  - 3. Bars heated for bending.
  - 4. Reinforcement not placed in accordance with the Drawings and/or specifications.
  - 5. Smooth bar and square dowels where not properly aligned or where ends are crimped.

**END OF SECTION**

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SECTION 03 30 00

CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION

- A. This Section describes the requirements for providing cast-in-place concrete.
- B. Related Sections:
  - 1. Concrete floor sealer is specified in Section 03 05 00.
  - 2. Concrete forming is specified in Section 03 11 00.
  - 3. Concrete reinforcing is specified in Section 03 20 00.
  - 4. Below grade vapor retarders are specified in Section 07 26 16.

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1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. General: Comply with Section 01 33 00.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's product data, specifications with application and installation instructions for proprietary materials and items, including admixtures, bonding agents, waterstops, joint systems, chemical floor hardeners, and dry shake finish materials.
- C. Samples: Samples of specified materials if requested by Architect. Include names, sources and descriptions.
- D. Laboratory Test Reports: Laboratory test reports for concrete materials, mix design tests.
- E. Material Certificates: Furnish materials certificates in lieu of laboratory test reports when permitted by Architect. Material certificates shall be signed by material producer and Contractor, certifying that each material item complies with, or exceeds specified requirements.
- F. Delivery Tickets: Furnish copies of delivery tickets for each load of concrete delivered to site. Provide information specified.

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Requirements of Regulatory Agencies: Materials and execution shall be in accordance with CBC Chapter 19 and ACI 318 the Referenced Standards.
- B. Concrete construction shall comply with ACI 117 Manual of Concrete Practice. A copy of this publication shall be kept in the field office during concrete construction.
- C. Concrete Testing Service:
  - 1. Contractor shall employ a testing laboratory experienced in design and testing concrete materials and mixes to perform material evaluation tests and to design concrete mixes. Person taking the tests shall be an ACI Field Technician Grade 1.
  - 2. Materials and installed work may require testing and retesting, as directed by Architect, during progress of work.
    - a. Allow access to material stockpiles and facilities.
    - b. Tests, including retesting of rejected materials and installed work, shall be done at Contractor's expense.
- D. Tests for Concrete Materials:

1. For normal weight concrete, test aggregates by methods of sampling and testing of ASTM C33.
2. For lightweight concrete, test aggregates by methods of sampling and testing of ASTM C330.
3. For portland cement, sample cement and determine chemical and physical properties by methods of test of ASTM C150.
4. Submit written reports to Architect, for each material sampled and tested, prior to start of work.
5. Certificates of material properties and compliance with specified requirements may be submitted in lieu of testing, when acceptable to Architect. Certificates of compliance shall be signed by materials producer and Contractor.

1.04 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Comply with Section 01 61 00.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 CONCRETE MATERIALS

- A. Portland Cement: ASTM C150, Type II unless otherwise approved. Use only one brand of cement for each required type throughout Project, unless otherwise approved by Architect.
- B. Fly Ash: ASTM C618, Class F. Sampling and testing of fly ash shall be in accordance with ASTM C311.
- C. Normal Weight Aggregates: ASTM C33 and as specified.
- D. Lightweight Aggregates: ASTM C330.
- E. Water: Clean, fresh, drinkable.
- F. Admixtures:
1. Water Reducing Admixture: ASTM C494; Euclid Chemical Co. "Eucon WR-75", Master Builders "Pozzolith 200N", Sika Chemical Corp. "Plastocrete 160" or approved equal.
  2. Water Reducing, Retarding Admixture: ASTM C494; Euclid Chemical Co. "Eucon Retarder-75", Master Builders "Pozzolith 100XR", Sika Chemical Corp. "Plastiment" or approved equal.
  3. High Range Water Reducing Admixture: ASTM C494 Type F or G; Euclid Chemical Co. "Eucon 37", Sika Chemical Corp. "Sikament" or approved equal.
  4. Air Entraining Admixture: ASTM C260.
  5. Non-Corrosive, Non-Chloride Accelerator: ASTM C494, Type C or E; Euclid Chemical Co. "Accelguard 80" or approved equal. The admixture manufacturer shall have long-term non-corrosive test data from an independent testing laboratory using an acceptable accelerated corrosion test method such as that using electrical potential measures.
  6. Prohibited Admixtures: Calcium chloride, thiocyanates or admixtures containing more than 0.05-percent chloride ions are not permitted.

2.02 RELATED MATERIALS

- A. Non-Shrink Structural Grout: Pre-packaged, non-metallic, non-gaseous, non-shrink when tested in accordance with ASTM C1107, Grade C at fluid (flow cone) consistency of 20- to 30-seconds. Grout shall attain 7,500-psi compressive strength in 28-days at specified flow and shall not bleed. Euclid Chemical Co. "Hi-Flow Grout", L&M Construction Chemicals "Crystex", Master Builders "Masterflow 928" or approved equal.
- B. Evaporation Retarder: Euclid Chemical Co. "Euco-Bar", L&M Construction Chemicals "E-Con", Master Builders "Confilm" or approved equal. Use to prevent plastic shrinkage drying cracks in rapid moisture loss conditions.

## 2.03 PROPORTIONING AND DESIGN OF MIXES

- A. Develop mix proportions in accordance with ACI 318, CHPT 5.
  - 1. Proportioning on the basis of field experience or trial mixes shall comply with CBC Section 1905.3.
  - 2. Proportioning without field experience or trial mixtures is not allowed.
- B. Cementitious Materials: Use fly ash, pozzolan, ground granulated blast-furnace slag, and silica fume as needed to reduce the total amount of portland cement, which would otherwise be used, by not less than 15-percent.
- C. Submit written reports to Architect of each proposed mix for each type of concrete at least 15-days prior to start of work. Do not begin concrete production until mixes have been reviewed.
- D. Admixtures:
  - 1. Concrete shall contain the specified water-reducing or water-reducing retarding admixture and/or high-range water-reducing admixture. Concrete required to be air-entrained shall contain and approved air-retraining admixture. Pumped concrete, concrete for industrial slabs, fiber concrete, architectural concrete, concrete required to be watertight, and concrete with a water-cement ratio below 0.50 shall contain water-reducing admixture.
- E. Concrete Types: Concrete Strengths (all normal weight). Shall be per the plans
- F. Slump Limits: Concrete containing high-range water-reducing admixture shall have a maximum slump of 9-inches unless otherwise approved by the Architect. The concrete shall batch at a slump of 2- to 3-inches, be verified, then the high-range water-reducing admixture added to increase the slump to the approved level. All other concrete shall have a slump of 4-inches for slabs and 4-inches for other members, (+) or (-) 1"
- G. Chloride ion content of aggregates of constituents shall be tested by the laboratory when directed by the Architect. The total chloride ion content of the mix including all constituents shall not exceed 0.03-percent or 0.56-percent or 0.075-percent chloride ions by weight of cement.

## 2.04 RESTORATION MATERIALS

- A. Bonding Agent: ASTM C1059, Type II; Euclid Chemical Co. "Flex-Con", L&M Construction Chemicals "Everbond", Master Builders "Acryl-Set" or approved equal.
- B. Structural Bonding Epoxy Adhesive: Two-component, 100-percent solids, 100-percent reactive compound suitable for use on dry or damp surfaces; Euclid Chemical Co. "Euco Epoxy #452MV or #620", Sika Chemical Corp. "Sikadur Hi-Mod" or approved equal.
- C. Overhead Repair Mortar: L&M Construction Chemicals "Durapatch VOH" or approved equal.
- D. Self-Leveling Cementitious Underlayment: Ardex "Ardex K-15", L&M Construction Chemicals "Levelex" or approved equal.

## 2.05 CONCRETE CURING MATERIALS

- A. Liquid Membrane Forming Curing Compounds:
  - 1. Dissipating Resin Curing Compound: VOC compliant, clear, water-based resin, complying with ASTM C309, Type 1 (or 1D with dye), Class B; Euclid Chemical Company "Kurez VOX", L&M Construction Chemicals "L&M Cure R" or approved equal. Use in areas to receive subsequently applied flooring.

## 2.06 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The Laboratory will:
  - 1. Review mix designs and certificates of compliance for materials Contractor proposes to use.

2. Inspect batch plant to verify plant quality controls are adequate. Obtain sample of aggregates when it appears they may not conform to specified requirements.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Preplacement Inspection:
  1. Before placing concrete, inspect formwork, reinforcing steel, and items to be embedded or cast-in.
  2. Moisten wood forms immediately before placing concrete where form coatings are not used.
  3. Soil at bottom of foundation systems is subject to testing for soil bearing value by the testing laboratory. Place concrete immediately after approval of excavations.
  4. Coordinate installation of joint materials and moisture barriers with placement of forms and reinforcing steel.

#### 3.02 CONCRETE MIXING

- A. Measurement: Materials for concrete shall be measured by weighing the aggregates and cement using equipment that is suitable, designed and constructed for this purpose. Each size of aggregate and the cement shall be weighed separately. The accuracy of measuring devices shall be such that quantities be measured to within the following percentages of the desired amount: 1-percent for cement and water, 2-percent for aggregates, 3-percent for admixtures. Mixing water and admixtures shall be measured by volume.
- B. Mixing: All concrete shall be ready-mixed and delivered in accordance with ACI 318, Chapter 5. Deposit concrete into final position within one-hour of introduction of mixing water.

#### 3.03 CONCRETE PLACEMENT

- A. Placing Record: Record time and date of casting concrete in units of building; maintain record open to inspection.
- B. General: Place concrete in compliance with ACI 318, Chapter 5, and as specified.
  1. Deposit concrete continuously or in layers so that concrete will not be placed on concrete which has hardened sufficiently to cause formation of seams or planes of weakness. If a section cannot be placed continuously, provide construction joints as specified. Deposit concrete as nearly as possible to its final location to avoid segregation.
  2. Screed concrete to receive other construction to proper level to avoid excessive skimming or grouting.
  3. Do not use concrete which becomes non-plastic and unworkable, does not meet required quality control limits, or which has been contaminated by foreign materials.
  4. Do not retemper concrete.
  5. Remove rejected concrete from Project site.
- C. Concrete Conveying: Comply with ACI 318, Chapter 5. Handle concrete from point of delivery and transfer to concrete conveying equipment and to locations of final deposit as rapidly as possible by methods to prevent segregation and loss of mix materials.
  1. Provide mechanical equipment for conveying concrete to ensure continuous flow at delivery end.
  2. Provide runways for wheeled concrete conveying equipment from delivery point to locations of final deposit.
  3. Keep interior surfaces of conveying equipment, including chutes, free of hardened concrete, debris, water, snow, ice and other deleterious materials.

- D. Placing Concrete into Forms:
1. Deposit in forms in horizontal layers not deeper than 24-inches, in a manner to avoid inclined construction joints.
  2. Where placement consists of several layers, place each while preceding layer is still plastic to avoid cold joints.
  3. Remove temporary spreaders in forms when concrete placing has reached elevations of spreaders.
  4. Consolidate concrete by mechanical vibrating equipment supplemented by hand-spading, rodding or tamping. Do not vibrate forms and reinforcing.
  5. Do not use vibrators to transport concrete inside forms.
    - a. Insert and withdraw vibrators vertically at uniformly spaced locations not farther than the visible effectiveness of machine.
    - b. Place vibrators to rapidly penetrate at least 6-inches into preceding layer.
    - c. Do not insert vibrators into lower layers of concrete that have begun to set.
    - d. At each insertion, limit duration of vibration to time necessary to consolidate concrete and complete embedment of reinforcement and other items without causing segregation of mix.
- E. Placing Concrete Slabs: Deposit and consolidate concrete slabs in continuous operation, within limits of construction joints, until the panel or section is completed.
- F. Consolidate concrete during placing operations using mechanical vibrating equipment, so that concrete is thoroughly worked around reinforcement, other embedded items, and into corners.
- G. Bring slab surfaces to correct level with a straightedge and strike off.
1. Use bull floats or darbies to smooth surface, leaving it free of humps or hollows.
  2. Do not disturb slab surface prior to beginning finishing operations.
- H. Maintain reinforcing steel in proper position during concrete placement operations.
- I. Bonding: Roughen surface of set concrete at joints, to a minimum amplitude of  $\frac{1}{4}$ ", and clean surfaces of laitance, coatings, loose particles, and foreign matter. Apply bonding agent when noted on plans.
1. Roughen surfaces to expose bonded aggregate uniformly; leave no laitance, loose particles of aggregate, or damaged concrete at surface.
  2. Bond fresh concrete to new concrete that has set but is not fully cured, as follows:
    - a. At joints between footings and walls or columns, and between walls or columns and beams or slabs they support, and elsewhere unless otherwise specified, dampen, but do not saturate, roughened and cleaned surface of set concrete immediately before placing fresh concrete.
    - b. At joints in exposed work, at vertical joints in walls, at joints in girders, beams, supported slabs and other structural members, and at joints designed to contain liquids, apply a commercial bonding agent to roughened and cleaned surface of set concrete.
      - 1) Apply commercial bonding agent in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.
  3. Bond fresh concrete to fully-cured hardened concrete or existing concrete. Before depositing fresh concrete, thoroughly roughen and clean hardened surfaces.
  4. Bond curbs and equipment pads to base slabs with bonding agent in accordance with manufacturer's

directions.

5. Topping Slab: Prior to placement of heavy-duty floor topping, the base slab shall be cleaned, saturated surface dry, and a bonding agent approved by the topping manufacturer applied. Place topping in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

- J. Cold Weather Placing: Protect concrete work from damage or reduced strength caused by frost, or low temperatures, in compliance with the requirements of ACI 318, Section 5.12, and as specified.

1. When air temperature has fallen to or is expected to fall below 40-deg. F., uniformly heat water and aggregates before mixing to obtain a concrete placement temperature of not less than 50-deg. F. and not more than 90-deg. F.
2. Maintain concrete at a minimum temperature of 50-deg. F. for not less than 72-hours after placing.
3. Verify that forms, reinforcing steel, and adjacent concrete surfaces are free of frost, before placing concrete.
4. Only the specified non-corrosive non-chloride accelerator shall be used. Calcium chloride, thiocyanates or admixtures containing more than 0.05-percent chloride ions are not permitted.

- K. Hot Weather Placing: When hot weather conditions exist that would impair quality and strength of concrete, place in compliance with ACI 318, Section 5.13, and as specified.

1. Cool ingredients before mixing to maintain concrete placement temperature below 90-deg. F. Mixing water may be chilled, or chopped ice may be used provided water equivalent of ice is calculated to total amount of mixing water.
2. Cover reinforcing steel with water-soaked burlap so that steel temperature will not exceed ambient air temperature immediately before embedment in concrete.
3. Fog spray forms, reinforcing steel and subgrade just prior to placing concrete.
4. Use water-reducing retarding admixture when required by high temperatures, low humidity, or other adverse placing conditions.

- L. Non-Shrink Grout Placement: Column base plates, equipment bases and other locations indicated shall be grouted with the specified non-shrink grout.

1. Prior to grouting, roughen and clean concrete free of laitance or contaminants.
2. Presoak, saturate surface dry the area to be grouted.
3. Clean plate free of grease, rust, oil or contaminants.
4. Follow ACI guidelines.
5. Place grout in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. Avoid the formation of cold joints or voids.

### 3.04 JOINTS

- A. Construction Joints: Locate and install construction joints as indicated or if not indicated so as to not impair strength and appearance of structure, as approved by Architect. Comply with requirements of CBC Section 1906.4.

1. Provide keyways per plan.
2. Place construction joints perpendicular to main reinforcement. Continue reinforcement across construction joint, except for slabs on grade.

- B. Isolation Joints in Slabs on Ground: Provide at points of contact between slabs on ground and columns, per plan.

- C. Control Joints in Slabs on Ground: Provide control joints in slabs on ground to form panels or patterns as indicated. Use inserts 1/8- to 1/4-inch wide x 1/4 of slab depth, unless otherwise indicated.
1. Form control joints by inserting remolded plastic, hardboard or fiberboard strip into fresh concrete until top surface of strip is flush with slab surface. Tool slab edges round on each side of insert.
  2. After concrete has cured, remove inserts and clean groove of loose debris.
  3. Control joints may be produced by saw cuts 1-inch deep, using powered cutters when concrete has cured sufficiently to carry the machine weight and without dislodging aggregate.
  4. Unless otherwise indicated, joint spacing in slabs on grade shall be 24 to 36 times slab thickness.

### 3.05 FINISH ON FORMED SURFACES

- A. Rough Form Finish: Provide as-cast rough form finish to formed concrete surfaces concealed in finish work or by other construction, unless otherwise indicated.
1. Standard rough form finish shall be the texture imparted by the form facing material used, with tie holes and defective areas repaired and patched, and fins and other projections exceeding 1/4-inch in height rubbed down or chipped off.
- B. Smooth Form Finish: Provide as-cast smooth form finish for formed surfaces exposed to view, or that are covered with a coating material applied directly to concrete, or a covering material bonded to concrete such as waterproofing, damp proofing, painting, or similar system.
1. Produce smooth form finish by selecting form material to impart a smooth, hard, uniform texture and arranging them orderly and symmetrically with a minimum of seams.
  2. Repair and patch defective areas; remove and smooth fins and other projections.

### 3.06 MONOLITHIC SLAB FINISHES

- A. Floor surfaces shall be within +or- 3/4-inch of finished floor elevations indicated. If variations greater than this exist, the Architect may direct the Contractor to grind the surfaces to bring them within the requirements. Patching of low spots shall not be permitted. Grinding shall be done as soon as possible but not until the concrete is sufficiently strong to prevent dislodging coarse aggregate particles.
- B. Scratch Finish: Apply to slab surfaces to receive concrete floor topping or mortar setting beds for tile and other bonded applied cementitious finish flooring material, and as indicated.
1. After placing slabs, plane surface to a tolerance  $F_F 15 / F_L 13$ .
  2. Slope surfaces uniformly to drains where required.
  3. After leveling, roughen the surface before final set with stiff brushes, brooms or rakes.
- C. Float Finish: Apply to slab surfaces to receive trowel finish and other finishes as specified, and slab surfaces to be covered with membrane or elastic waterproofing and as indicated.
1. After screeding, consolidating, and leveling, do not work surface until ready for floating.
  2. Begin floating when surface water has disappeared or when concrete has stiffened sufficiently to permit operation of power-driven floats or hand floats.
  3. Consolidate surface with power-driven floats, or by hand floating.
  4. Check and level surface plane to a tolerance  $F_F 20 / F_L 17$ .
  5. Cut down high spots and fill low spots.
  6. Uniformly slope surfaces to drains.

7. Refloat surface to uniform, smooth, granular texture immediately after leveling.
- D. Trowel Finish: Apply to slab surfaces exposed to view, unless otherwise indicated, and slab surfaces to be covered with resilient flooring, paint, or other thin-film finish coating system.
  1. After floating, begin first troweling using power-driven trowel.
  2. Begin final troweling when surface produces ringing sound as trowel is moved over surface.
  3. Consolidate concrete surface by final hand troweling, free of trowel marks, uniform in texture and appearance, and with surface plane tolerance  $F_F 30 / F_L 25$ .
  4. Grind smooth surface defects which would telegraph through applied floor covering system.
- E. Trowel and Fine Broom Finish: Where ceramic tile is to be installed with thin-set mortar, apply trowel finish as specified, and immediately follow by slightly scarifying surface with a fine broom.
- F. Non-Slip Broom Finish: Apply to exterior concrete platforms, steps, and ramps, and where indicated.
  1. Immediately after trowel finishing, slightly roughen concrete surface by brooming in direction perpendicular to main traffic route.
  2. Coordinate final finish with Architect before application.

### 3.07 CONCRETE CURING AND PROTECTION

- A. General: Protect freshly placed concrete from premature drying and excessive cold or hot temperatures. Comply with ACI 318, Section 5.11.
- B. Cure slabs and other non-formed surfaces using one of the following methods:
  1. Application of the specified membrane-forming curing and sealing compound applied in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions immediately after final finishing.
    - a. Membrane curing compound used in floor slabs receiving applied finish flooring shall be guaranteed by the manufacturer, in writing, not to impair bonding of adhesive.
    - b. Apply membrane-forming curing compound to damp concrete surfaces as soon as possible after final finishing operations are complete, but no later than 2-hours.
    - c. Apply uniformly in continuous operation by power spray or rollers in accordance with manufacturer's directions.
    - d. Recoat areas which are subjected to heavy rainfall within 3-hours after initial application.
    - e. Maintain continuity of coating and repair damage during curing period.
    - f. Apply to horizontal surfaces when concrete is dry to touch with power spray or hair broom, in accordance with manufacturer's directions.
- C. Submit Concrete Curing procedure to include all methods and materials to be employed to aid in concrete curing at least 15 days prior to placing concrete.

### 3.08 CONCRETE SURFACE REPAIRS

- A. Patch defective areas with specified proprietary patching mortar or cement mortar immediately after removal of forms, when directed by Architect.
  1. Cut out honeycomb, rock pockets, and voids over 1/4-inch and holes left by tie rods and bolts, down to solid concrete or to a depth of 1-inch.
    - a. Make edges of cuts perpendicular to concrete surface.

- b. Before placing patching mortar, clean, dampen with water, and brush-coat area to be patched with bonding agent.
    - 2. For exposed-to-view surfaces, blend white portland cement and standard portland cement so that when dry, patching mortar will match color of surrounding concrete.
      - a. Provide test areas at inconspicuous locations to verify mixture and color match before proceeding with patching.
      - b. Compact mortar in place and strike off slightly higher than surrounding surface.
  - B. Repair of Formed Surfaces: Repair exposed-to-view formed concrete surfaces that contain defects impacting finish appearance.
    - 1. Remove and replace concrete having defective surfaces if defects cannot be repaired to satisfaction of Architect.
    - 2. Surface defects include color and texture irregularities, cracks, spalls, air bubbles, honeycomb, rock pockets; fins and other projections on surface; and stains and other discolorations that cannot be removed by cleaning.
    - 3. Flush out form tie holes, fill with dry pack mortar, or precast cement plugs secured in place with bonding agent.
    - 4. Repair concealed formed concrete surfaces containing defects that adversely affect durability of concrete. If defects cannot be repaired, remove and replace concrete having defective surfaces.
  - C. Repair of Slab Surfaces: The Owner's Testing Laboratory may test slab surfaces for conformance with specified floor flatness and levelness values as specified in QUALITY CONTROL DURING CONSTRUCTION Article.
    - 1. Test floor surfaces sloped to drain for trueness of slope, in addition to smoothness, using template having required slope. Correct high and low areas as specified.
    - 2. Repair defective areas, except random cracks and single holes not exceeding 1-inch diameter, by cutting out and replacing with fresh concrete.
      - a. Remove defective areas to sound concrete with clean, square cuts, and expose reinforcing steel with at least 3/4-inch clearance around.
      - b. Dampen concrete surfaces in contact with patching concrete and apply bonding compound.
      - c. Mix patching concrete to produce concrete of same type or class as original adjacent concrete.
      - d. Place, compact and finish as required to blend with adjacent finished concrete.
      - e. Cure in same manner as adjacent concrete.

### 3.09 QUALITY CONTROL TESTING DURING CONSTRUCTION

- A. Owner will employ a special inspector to perform inspection during constructions, as follows:
  - 1. Code Required Testing: Comply with CBC Section 1705 and Table 1705.3.
  - 2. Test concrete to control slumps in accordance with ASTM C143.
  - 3. Test concrete for compressive strength as follows:
    - a. Make and cure three cylinders according to ASTM C31 for each 50-cubic yards or 2000-square feet of surface area for slabs or walls, or fraction thereof, at each class of structural concrete poured at site each day.

- b. In addition, samples for strength tests for each class of concrete shall be taken for 7-day tests at the beginning of the concrete work or whenever the mix or aggregate is changed.
    - c. Test one cylinder at 7-days and two cylinders at 28-days for strength in accordance with ASTM C39.
  - B. Pay the Owner's testing laboratory for taking core specimens of hardened structural concrete and testing specimens according to ASTM C42 when laboratory tests of specimen cylinders show compressive strengths below specified minimum.
  - C. Additional sampling and testing for field quality control during placement of concrete may include the following, as directed by the Architect.
    - 1. Sampling Fresh Concrete: ASTM C172, except modified for slump to comply with ASTM C94.
      - a. Slump: ASTM C143; one test for each concrete load at point of discharge; and one for each set of compressive strength test specimens.
      - b. Air Content: ASTM C173, volumetric method for lightweight or normal weight concrete; ASTM C231 pressure method for normal weight concrete; one for each days pour of each type of air entrained concrete.
      - c. Concrete Temperature: Test hourly when air temperature is 40-deg. F. and below, and when 80-deg. F. and above; and each time a set of compression test specimens are made.
  - D. Test results shall be reported in writing to Architect and Contractor within 24-hours of making.

END OF SECTION

**SECTION 061000**  
**ROUGH CARPENTRY**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

**1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS**

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

**1.2 SUMMARY**

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Rooftop equipment bases and support curbs.
  - 2. Wood blocking and nailers.
  - 3. Plywood backing panels.

**1.3 DEFINITIONS**

- A. Dimension Lumber: Lumber of 2 inches nominal or greater but less than 5 inches nominal in least dimension.
- B. Lumber grading agencies, and the abbreviations used to reference them, include the following:
  - 1. NeLMA: Northeastern Lumber Manufacturers' Association.
  - 2. WCLIB: West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau.
  - 3. WWPA: Western Wood Products Association.

**1.4 SUBMITTALS**

- A. Product Data: For each type of process and factory-fabricated product. Indicate component materials and dimensions and include construction and application details.
  - 1. Include data for wood-preservative treatment from chemical treatment manufacturer and certification by treating plant that treated materials comply with requirements. Indicate type of preservative used and net amount of preservative retained.
  - 2. Include data for fire-retardant treatment from chemical treatment manufacturer and certification by treating plant that treated materials comply with requirements. Include physical properties of treated materials based on testing by a qualified independent testing agency.

**1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: For testing agency providing classification marking for fire-retardant treated material, an inspection agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction that periodically performs inspections to verify that the material bearing the classification marking is representative of the material tested.
- B. Forest Certification: Provide interior architectural woodwork produced from wood obtained from forests certified by an FSC-accredited certification body to comply with FSC STD-01-001, "FSC Principles and Criteria for Forest Stewardship."

**1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING**

- A. Stack lumber flat with spacers beneath and between each bundle to provide air circulation. Protect lumber from weather by covering with waterproof sheeting, securely anchored. Provide for air circulation around stacks and under coverings.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

**2.1 WOOD PRODUCTS, GENERAL**

- A. Lumber: DOC PS 20 and applicable rules of grading agencies indicated. If no grading agency is indicated, provide lumber that complies with the applicable rules of any rules-writing agency certified by the ALSC Board of Review. Provide lumber graded by an agency certified by the ALSC Board of Review to inspect and grade lumber under the rules indicated.
  - 1. Factory mark each piece of lumber with grade stamp of grading agency.
  - 2. Where nominal sizes are indicated, provide actual sizes required by DOC PS 20 for moisture content specified. Where actual sizes are indicated, they are minimum dressed sizes for dry lumber.
  - 3. Provide dressed lumber, S4S, unless otherwise indicated.

- B. Maximum Moisture Content of Lumber: 15 percent for 2-inch nominal thickness or less, 19 percent for more than 2-inch nominal thickness unless otherwise indicated.

## 2.2 WOOD-PRESERVATIVE-TREATED LUMBER

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

## 2.3 FIRE-RETARDANT-TREATED MATERIALS

- A. General: Where fire-retardant-treated materials are indicated, use materials complying with requirements in this article, that are acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and with fire-test-response characteristics specified as determined by testing identical products per test method indicated by a qualified testing agency.
- B. Fire-Retardant-Treated Lumber and Plywood by Pressure Process: Products with a flame spread index of 25 or less when tested according to ASTM E 84, and with no evidence of significant progressive combustion when the test is extended an additional 20 minutes, and with the flame front not extending more than 10.5 feet 3.2 m beyond the centerline of the burners at any time during the test.
  - 1. Use treatment that does not promote corrosion of metal fasteners.
  - 2. Exterior Type: Treated materials shall comply with requirements specified above for fire-retardant-treated lumber and plywood by pressure process after being subjected to accelerated weathering according to ASTM D 2898. Use for exterior locations and where indicated.
  - 3. Interior Type A: Treated materials shall have a moisture content of 28 percent or less when tested according to ASTM D 3201 at 92 percent relative humidity. Use where exterior type is not indicated.
  - 4. Design Value Adjustment Factors: Treated lumber shall be tested according to ASTM D 5664 and design value adjustment factors shall be calculated according to ASTM D 6841.
- C. Kiln-dry lumber after treatment to a maximum moisture content of 19 percent. Kiln-dry plywood after treatment to a maximum moisture content of 15 percent.
- D. Identify fire-retardant-treated wood with appropriate classification marking of qualified testing agency.
- E. Application: Treat all rough carpentry unless otherwise indicated.

## 2.4 MISCELLANEOUS LUMBER

- A. General: Provide miscellaneous lumber indicated and lumber for support or attachment of other construction, including the following:
  - 1. Blocking.
  - 2. Nailers.
  - 3. Rooftop equipment bases and support curbs.
  - 4. Cants around roof hatches.
- B. For items of dimension lumber size, provide No. 2 grade lumber and any of the following species:
  - 1. Spruce-pine-fir (south); NeLMA, WCLIB, or WWPA.
- C. For blocking not used for attachment of other construction, Utility, Stud, or No. 2 grade lumber of any species may be used provided that it is cut and selected to eliminate defects that will interfere with its attachment and purpose.
- D. For blocking and nailers used for attachment of other construction, select and cut lumber to eliminate knots and other defects that will interfere with attachment of other work.

## 2.5 PLYWOOD BACKING PANELS

- A. Equipment Backing Panels: DOC PS 1, Exterior, A-C, fire-retardant treated, in thickness indicated or, if not indicated, not less than 3/4-inch nominal thickness.

## 2.6 FASTENERS

- A. General: Provide fasteners of size and type indicated that comply with requirements specified in this article for material and manufacture.
  - 1. Where rough carpentry is exposed to weather, in ground contact, pressure-preservative treated, or in area of high relative humidity, provide fasteners of Type 304 stainless steel.
- B. Nails, Brads, and Staples: ASTM F 1667.
- C. Power-Driven Fasteners: NES NER-272.
- D. Wood Screws: ASME B18.6.1.
- E. Lag Bolts: ASME B18.2.1ASME B18.2.3.8M.
- F. Bolts: Steel bolts complying with ASTM A 307, Grade AASTM F 568M, Property Class 4.6; with ASTM A 563 ASTM A 563M hex nuts and, where indicated, flat washers.
- G. Expansion Anchors: Anchor bolt and sleeve assembly of material indicated below with capability to sustain, without failure, a load equal to six times the load imposed when installed in unit masonry assemblies and equal to four times the load imposed when installed in concrete as determined by testing per ASTM E 488 conducted by a qualified independent testing and inspecting agency.
  - 1. Material: Carbon-steel components, zinc plated to comply with ASTM B 633, Class Fe/Zn 5.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Set rough carpentry to required levels and lines, with members plumb, true to line, cut, and fitted. Fit rough carpentry to other construction; scribe and cope as needed for accurate fit. Locate nailers, blocking, grounds, and similar supports to comply with requirements for attaching other construction.
- B. Install plywood backing panels by fastening to studs; coordinate locations with utilities requiring backing panels. Install fire-retardant treated plywood backing panels with classification marking of testing agency exposed to view.
- C. Sort and select lumber so that natural characteristics will not interfere with installation or with fastening other materials to lumber. Do not use materials with defects that interfere with function of member or pieces that are too small to use with minimum number of joints or optimum joint arrangement.
- D. Comply with AWP A M4 for applying field treatment to cut surfaces of preservative-treated lumber.
  - 1. Use inorganic boron for items that are continuously protected from liquid water.
  - 2. Use copper naphthenate for items not continuously protected from liquid water.
- E. Securely attach rough carpentry work to substrate by anchoring and fastening as indicated, complying with the following:
  - 1. Table 2304.9.1, "Fastening Schedule," in ICC's International Building Code.
  - 2. Table R602.3(1), "Fastener Schedule for Structural Members," and Table R602.3(2), "Alternate Attachments," in ICC's International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings.

### 3.2 WOOD BLOCKING, AND NAILER INSTALLATION

- A. Install where indicated and where required for attaching other work. Form to shapes indicated and cut as required for true line and level of attached work. Coordinate locations with other work involved.
- B. Attach items to substrates to support applied loading. Recess bolts and nuts flush with surfaces unless otherwise indicated.

### 3.3 PROTECTION

- A. Protect rough carpentry from weather. If, despite protection, rough carpentry becomes wet, apply EPA-registered borate treatment. Apply borate solution by spraying to comply with EPA-registered label.

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 061600 SHEATHING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Wall sheathing.
    - 2. Sheathing joint and penetration treatment.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of process and factory-fabricated product. Indicate component materials and dimensions and include construction and application details.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Testing Agency Qualifications: For testing agency providing classification marking for fire-retardant-treated material, an inspection agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction that periodically performs inspections to verify that the material bearing the classification marking is representative of the material tested.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Stack panels flat with spacers beneath and between each bundle to provide air circulation. Protect sheathing from weather by covering with waterproof sheeting, securely anchored. Provide for air circulation around stacks and under coverings.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: For assemblies with fire-resistance ratings, provide materials and construction identical to those of assemblies tested for fire resistance per ASTM E 119 by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
    - 1. Fire-Resistance Ratings: Indicated by design designations from UL's "Fire Resistance Directory."
- 2.2 WALL SHEATHING
  - A. Glass-Mat Gypsum Wall Sheathing: ASTM C 1177.
    - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - a. CertainTeed Corporation; GlasRoc.
      - b. G-P Gypsum Corporation; Dens-Glass Gold.
      - c. Temple-Inland Inc.; GreenGlass
      - d. United States Gypsum Co.; Securock.
    - 2. Type and Thickness: ½ inch [Type X, 5/8 inch] thick.
    - 3. Size: 48 by 108 inches.
- 2.3 SHEATHING JOINT-AND-PENETRATION TREATMENT MATERIALS
  - A. Sealant for Glass-Mat Gypsum Sheathing: Elastomeric, medium-modulus, neutral-curing silicone joint sealant compatible with joint substrates formed by gypsum sheathing and other materials, recommended by sheathing manufacturer for application indicated and complying with requirements for elastomeric sealants specified in Division 07 Section "Joint Sealants."
  - B. Sealant for Glass-Mat Gypsum Sheathing: Silicone emulsion sealant complying with ASTM C 834, compatible with sheathing tape and sheathing and recommended by tape and sheathing manufacturers for use with glass-fiber sheathing tape and for covering exposed fasteners.
    - 1. Sheathing Tape: Self-adhering glass-fiber tape, minimum 2 inches wide, 10 by 10 or 10 by 20 threads/inch, of type recommended by sheathing and tape manufacturers for use with silicone emulsion sealant in sealing joints in glass-mat gypsum sheathing and with a history of successful in-service use.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL**

- A. Do not use materials with defects that impair quality of sheathing or pieces that are too small to use with minimum number of joints or optimum joint arrangement. Arrange joints so that pieces do not span between fewer than three support members.
- B. Cut panels at penetrations, edges, and other obstructions of work; fit tightly against abutting construction unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Securely attach to substrate by fastening as indicated, complying with the following:
  - 1. NES NER-272 for power-driven fasteners.
  - 2. Table 2304.9.1, "Fastening Schedule," in ICC's "International Building Code."
- D. Use common wire nails unless otherwise indicated. Select fasteners of size that will not fully penetrate members where opposite side will be exposed to view or will receive finish materials. Make tight connections. Install fasteners without splitting wood.
- E. Coordinate wall sheathing installation with flashing and joint-sealant installation so these materials are installed in sequence and manner that prevent exterior moisture from passing through completed assembly.
- F. Do not bridge building expansion joints; cut and space edges of panels to match spacing of structural support elements.
- G. Coordinate sheathing installation with installation of materials installed over sheathing so sheathing is not exposed to precipitation or left exposed at end of the workday when rain is forecast.

#### **3.2 GYPSUM SHEATHING INSTALLATION**

- A. Comply with GA-253 and with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Fasten gypsum sheathing to cold-formed metal framing with screws.
  - 2. Install boards with a 3/8-inch gap where non-load-bearing construction abuts structural elements.
  - 3. Install boards with a 1/4-inch gap where they abut masonry or similar materials that might retain moisture, to prevent wicking.
- B. Apply fasteners so heads bear tightly against face of sheathing, but do not cut into facing.
- C. Vertical Installation: Install board vertical edges centered over studs. Abut ends and edges of each board with those of adjacent boards. Attach boards at perimeter and within field of board to each stud.
  - 1. Space fasteners approximately 8 inches o.c. and set back a minimum of 3/8 inch from edges and ends of boards.
  - 2. For sheathing under stucco cladding, boards may be initially tacked in place with screws if overlying self-furring metal lath is screw-attached through sheathing to studs immediately after sheathing is installed.
- D. Seal sheathing joints according to sheathing manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Apply elastomeric sealant to joints and fasteners and trowel flat. Apply sufficient amount of sealant to completely cover joints and fasteners after troweling. Seal other penetrations and openings.
  - 2. Apply glass-fiber sheathing tape to glass-mat gypsum sheathing joints and apply and trowel silicone emulsion sealant to embed entire face of tape in sealant. Apply sealant to exposed fasteners with a trowel so fasteners are completely covered. Seal other penetrations and openings.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 068316**  
**FIBERGLASS REINFORCED PANELING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Fiberglass reinforced plastic panels.
  - B. Trim.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. 9 CFR 416.2 - Regulatory Requirements Under the Federal Meat Inspection Act and the Poultry Products Inspection Act, Part 416-Sanitation current edition.
  - B. ASTM D256 - Standard Test Methods for Determining the Izod Pendulum Impact Resistance of Plastics 2010 (Reapproved 2018).
  - C. ASTM D2583 - Standard Test Method for Indentation Hardness of Rigid Plastics by Means of a Barcol Impressor 2013a.
  - D. ASTM D3273 - Standard Test Method for Resistance to Growth of Mold on the Surface of Interior Coatings in an Environmental Chamber 2021.
  - E. ASTM D5319 - Standard Specification for Glass-Fiber Reinforced Polyester Wall and Ceiling Panels 2017.
  - F. ASTM E84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials 2022.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Provide data on specified products, describing physical and performance characteristics; including sizes, patterns and colors available; and installation instructions.
  - C. Maintenance Materials: Furnish the following for Owner's use in maintenance of project.
    - 1. See Section 016000 - Product Requirements, for additional provisions.
- 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Store panels flat, indoors, on a clean, dry surface. Remove packaging and allow panels to acclimate to room temperature for 48 hours prior to installation.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic Panels:
    - 1. Crane Composites, Inc: [www.cranecomposites.com/#sle](http://www.cranecomposites.com/#sle).
    - 2. Marlite, Inc: [www.marlite.com/#sle](http://www.marlite.com/#sle).
    - 3. Nudo Products, Inc: [www.nudo.com/#sle](http://www.nudo.com/#sle).
    - 4. Substitutions: See Section 01 6000 - Product Requirements.
- 2.2 PANEL SYSTEMS
  - A. Wall Panels:
    - 1. Panel Size: 4 by 8 feet.
    - 2. Panel Thickness: 0.10 inch.
    - 3. Surface Design: Embossed.
    - 4. Color: White.
    - 5. Attachment Method: Adhesive only, with trim and sealant in joints.
- 2.3 MATERIALS
  - A. Panels: Fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP), complying with ASTM D5319.
    - 1. Surface Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame spread index of 25 and smoke developed index of 450; when system tested in accordance with ASTM E84.
    - 2. Mold Resistance: Score of 10, when tested in accordance with ASTM D3273.

3. Scratch Resistance: Barcol hardness score greater than 35, when tested in accordance with ASTM D2583.
  4. Impact Strength: Greater than 6 ft lb force per inch, when tested in accordance with ASTM D256.
  5. Sanitation and Cleanability: Comply with 9 CFR 416.2.
- B. Trim: Vinyl; color coordinating with panel.
- C. Adhesive: Type recommended by panel manufacturer.
- D. Sealant: Type recommended by panel manufacturer; white.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify existing conditions and substrate flatness before starting work.
- B. Verify that substrate conditions are ready to receive the work of this section.
- C. Verify that layout of hangers will not interfere with other work; make adjustments in layout as necessary.

#### **3.2 INSTALLATION - WALLS**

- A. Install panels in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Cut and drill panels with carbide tipped saw blades, drill bits, or snips.
- C. Apply adhesive to the back side of the panel using trowel as recommended by adhesive manufacturer.
- D. Apply panels to wall with seams plumb and pattern aligned with adjoining panels.
- E. Install panels with manufacturer's recommended gap for panel field and corner joints.
- F. Place trim on panel before fastening edges, as required.
- G. Fill channels in trim with sealant before attaching to panel.
- H. Install trim with adhesive and screws or nails, as required.
- I. Seal gaps at floor, ceiling, and between panels with applicable sealant to prevent moisture intrusion.
- J. Remove excess sealant after paneling is installed and prior to curing.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 072100**  
**THERMAL INSULATION**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Foam-plastic board insulation.
    - 2. Glass-fiber blanket insulation.
    - 3. Mineral-wool blanket insulation.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
  - B. Research/Evaluation Reports: For foam-plastic insulation, from ICC-ES.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Surface-Burning Characteristics: As determined by testing identical products according to ASTM E 84 by a qualified testing agency. Identify products with appropriate markings of applicable testing agency.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Protect insulation materials from physical damage and from deterioration due to moisture, soiling, and other sources. Store inside and in a dry location. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for handling, storing, and protecting during installation.
  - B. Protect foam-plastic board insulation as follows:
    - 1. Do not expose to sunlight except to necessary extent for period of installation and concealment.
    - 2. Protect against ignition at all times. Do not deliver foam-plastic board materials to Project site before installation time.
    - 3. Quickly complete installation and concealment of foam-plastic board insulation in each area of construction.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 FOAM-PLASTIC BOARD INSULATION
  - A. Polyisocyanurate Board Insulation, Foil Faced: ASTM C1289, foil faced, Type I, Class 1 or 2.
    - 1. Application: Below-grade at foundation.
    - 2. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
      - a. Energy Shield by Atlas
      - b. Tuff R Commercial by Dow Chemical Co.
      - c. Firestone Building Products.
      - d. Johns Manville; a Berkshire Hathaway company.
    - 1. Fire Propagation Characteristics: Passes NFPA 285 testing as part of an approved assembly.
    - 2. Labeling: Provide identification of mark indicating R-value of each piece of insulation 12 inches and wider in width.
  - B. Adhesive for Bonding Insulation: Product with demonstrated capability to bond insulation securely to substrates without damaging insulation and substrates.
- 2.2 GLASS-FIBER BLANKET INSULATION
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - 1. CertainTeed Corporation.
    - 2. Guardian Building Products, Inc.
    - 3. Johns Manville.
    - 4. Knauf Insulation.
    - 5. Owens Corning.
  - B. Unfaced, Glass-Fiber Blanket Insulation: ASTM C 665, Type I; with maximum flame-spread and smoke-developed indexes of 25 and 50, respectively, per ASTM E 84; passing ASTM E 136 for combustion

- characteristics.
- C. Sustainability Requirements: Provide glass-fiber blanket insulation as follows:
1. Free of Formaldehyde: Insulation manufactured with 100 percent acrylic binders and no formaldehyde.
  2. Low Emitting: Insulation tested according to ASTM D 5116 and shown to emit less than 0.05-ppm formaldehyde.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 PREPARATION**

- A. Clean substrates of substances that are harmful to insulation or that interfere with insulation attachment.

#### **3.2 INSTALLATION, GENERAL**

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

#### **3.3 INSTALLATION OF BELOW-GRADE INSULATION**

- A. On vertical footing and foundation wall surfaces, set insulation units using manufacturer's recommended adhesive according to manufacturer's written instructions.
1. If not otherwise indicated, extend insulation a minimum of 36 inches below exterior grade line.

#### **3.4 INSTALLATION OF CAVITY-WALL INSULATION**

- A. Foam-Plastic Board Insulation: Install pads of adhesive spaced approximately 24 inches o.c. both ways on inside face, and as recommended by manufacturer. Fit courses of insulation between wall ties and other obstructions, with edges butted tightly in both directions. Press units firmly against inside substrates.

#### **3.5 INSTALLATION OF INSULATION FOR FRAMED CONSTRUCTION**

- A. Apply insulation units to substrates by method indicated, complying with manufacturer's written instructions. If no specific method is indicated, bond units to substrate with adhesive or use mechanical anchorage to provide permanent placement and support of units.
- B. Foam-Plastic Board Insulation: Seal joints between units by applying adhesive, mastic, or sealant to edges of each unit to form a tight seal as units are shoved into place. Fill voids in completed installation with adhesive, mastic, or sealant as recommended by insulation manufacturer.
- C. Glass-Fiber or Mineral-Wool Blanket Insulation: Install in cavities formed by framing members according to the following requirements:
1. Use insulation widths and lengths that fill the cavities formed by framing members. If more than one length is required to fill the cavities, provide lengths that will produce a snug fit between ends.
  2. Place insulation in cavities formed by framing members to produce a friction fit between edges of insulation and adjoining framing members.
  3. Maintain 3-inch clearance of insulation around recessed lighting fixtures not rated for or protected from contact with insulation.
  4. For metal-framed wall cavities where cavity heights exceed 96 inches, support unfaced blankets mechanically and support faced blankets by taping flanges of insulation to flanges of metal studs.
  5. For wood-framed construction, install blankets according to ASTM C 1320 and as follows:
    - a. With faced blankets having stapling flanges, secure insulation by inset, stapling flanges to sides of framing members.
    - b. With faced blankets having stapling flanges, lap blanket flange over flange of adjacent blanket to maintain continuity of vapor retarder once finish material is installed over it.

#### **3.6 INSTALLATION OF INSULATION IN CEILINGS FOR SOUND ATTENUATION**

- A. Where glass-fiber blankets are indicated for sound attenuation above ceilings, install blanket insulation over entire ceiling area in thicknesses indicated. Extend insulation 48 inches up either side of partitions.

#### **3.7 PROTECTION**

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

**END OF SECTION**

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## SECTION 072600

### UNDER SLAB VAPOR BARRIER

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes:
    - 1. Sheet materials for controlling vapor diffusion through concrete slabs-on-grade.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Written certification from the manufacturer that the materials and their application as noted in this Specification and on the Drawings is appropriate and approved for this project.
  - B. Product Data: Manufacturer's product data, specifications, and installation instructions. Include vapor barrier manufacturer's requirements for placement, seaming and pipe boot installation.
  - C. Sample Warranties: Copies of waterproofing manufacturer's warranty, Installer's warranty, and General Contractor's warranty, all stating obligations, remedies, limitations, and exclusions. Submitted with Bid.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Installer Qualifications: An experienced installer (applicator) who is acceptable to manufacturer, who has completed applications similar in material and extent to that required for this Project, and whose work has resulted in construction with a record of successful in-service performance.
  - B. Source Limitations: Vapor Barrier and components to be from one source from a single manufacturer .
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver materials in original packages and containers, with seals unbroken, bearing manufacturer's labels indicating brand name and directions for storage and application.
  - B. Store materials in a clean dry location in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions to prevent deterioration from moisture or other detrimental effects.
  - C. Stack membrane on elevated wood platform to eliminate warping.
  - D. Protect materials during handling and application to prevent damage or contamination.
- 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Environmental Limitations: Comply with manufacturer's written recommendations for substrate temperature and moisture content, ambient temperature and humidity, ventilation, and other conditions affecting materials performance. Do not apply on frozen ground.
  - B. Close areas to traffic during application and for time period after application recommended in writing by manufacturer.
- 1.7 COORDINATION
  - A. Coordinate placement of sheet vapor barrier with Division 3 sections.
  - B. Coordinate placement of sealer and hardener with Division 3 sections and with requirements of finish flooring products, including adhesives, specified in Division 9 Sections.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MATERIALS
  - A. Sheet Vapor Barrier:
    - 1. Type: 15 mil polyolefin film meeting requirements of ASTM E 1745, Class A.
    - 2. Water Vapor Transmittance: ASTM E 154; maximum 0.011 grains per square foot per hour; Maximum perm rating of 0.027.
    - 3. Tensile Strength: ASTM E 154; minimum 77 lbs/in, for new material; Minimum 82 lbs/in after soaking.
    - 4. Puncture Resistance: ASTM D 1709, minimum 2400 grams.
    - 5. Tear Resistance: 7.40 pounds per foot MD per ASTM D 1004.

- B. Acceptable Products:
  - 1. Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Stego Wrap Vapor Barrier by Stego Industries, LLC, 15 mils.
    - b. Zero-Perm Vapor Barrier by Alumiseal.
    - c. Perminator by W.R. Meadows.
- C. Accessories:
  - 1. Bonding Agent: Manufacturer's approved or recommended vapor barrier bonding agent.
  - 2. Sealing and Seaming Tape: High density polyethylene tape a minimum of 4 inches in width, compatible with vapor barrier membrane, and manufactured by or recommended by vapor barrier membrane manufacturer. Tape for joints shall have at least the same permeability rating as the vapor barrier specified.
  - 3. Vapor Proofing Mastic: Manufacturer's approved or recommended vapor proofing mastic with the same permeability rating as the vapor barrier specified.
  - 4. Pipe Boot: Construct pipe boots from vapor barrier material and pressure sensitive tape in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine surfaces to receive membrane. Notify Architect if surfaces are not acceptable. Do not begin surface preparation or application until unacceptable conditions have been corrected.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Level or tamp or roll aggregate, sand or granular base.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION
  - A. Vapor Barrier:
    - 1. Place, protect, and repair vapor barrier sheets according to ASTM E 1643 and manufacturer's written instructions.
    - 2. Unroll vapor barrier with the longest dimension parallel with the direction of the concrete pour.
    - 3. Install vapor barrier without tears, voids, and holes. Lap ends and edges as recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 6 inches over adjacent sheets. Seal laps with tape.
    - 4. Turn up sheets at perimeter, at footings and vertical walls, and against penetrations, and seal joints with tape.
    - 5. Seal joints, tears, holes, perimeter, and penetrations through vapor with tape in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
    - 6. Point exposed edges with pointing mastic to prevent water from traveling under membrane.
    - 7. Adhere membrane to vertical surfaces with adhesive.
- 3.4 PROTECTION
  - A. Protect complete membrane from damage. Prior to pouring concrete, inspect membrane for punctures or damage and repair as required to maintain vapor barrier integrity.

**END OF SECTION**

## SECTION 081113

### HOLLOW METAL DOORS AND FRAMES

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
  - B. Building Envelope Requirements
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Standard hollow metal doors frames.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include construction details, material descriptions, core descriptions, fire-resistance rating, and finishes.
  - B. Shop Drawings: Include the following:
    - 1. Elevations of each door design.
    - 2. Details of doors, including vertical and horizontal edge details and metal thicknesses.
    - 3. Frame details for each frame type, including dimensioned profiles and metal thicknesses.
    - 4. Locations of reinforcement and preparations for hardware.
    - 5. Details of each different wall opening condition.
    - 6. Details of anchorages, joints, field splices, and connections.
    - 7. Details of accessories.
    - 8. Details of moldings, removable stops, and glazing.
    - 9. Details of conduit and preparations for power, signal, and control systems.
  - C. Other Action Submittals:
    - 1. Schedule: Provide a schedule of hollow metal work prepared by or under the supervision of supplier, using same reference numbers for details and openings as those on Drawings. Coordinate with door hardware schedule.
    - 2. Supplier to submit shop drawing schedules with in two weeks of written notification from Contractor in the event to expedite the process of frames to jobsite.
    - 3. Certificate: current certificate stating the manufacture is a member of SDI.
  - D. Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency, for each type of hollow metal door and frame assembly.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Source Limitations: Obtain hollow metal doors and frames from single source manufacturer.
  - B. Fire-Rated Door Assemblies: Assemblies complying with NFPA 80 that are listed and labeled by a qualified testing agency, for fire-protection ratings indicated, based on testing at positive pressure according to NFPA 252 and UL10C, embossed labels are acceptable on standard 3 sided door frames.
    - 1. Oversize Fire-Rated Door Assemblies: For units exceeding sizes of tested assemblies, provide certification by a qualified testing agency that doors comply with standard construction requirements for tested and labeled fire-rated door assemblies except for size.
    - 2. Temperature-Rise Limit [At vertical exit enclosures and exit passageways], provide doors that have a maximum transmitted temperature end point of not more than 450 deg F above ambient after 30 minutes of standard fire-test exposure.
  - C. Windborne-Debris Impact Resistance: Pass missile-impact and cyclic-pressure tests when tested according to ASTM E 1886 and testing information in ASTM E 1996 for Wind Zone 1.
    - 1. Large-Missile Test: For doors located within 30 feet (9.1 m) of grade.
    - 2. Provide Miami Dade County NOA documenting product compliance with TAS 201, 202, and 203.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver hollow metal work palletized, wrapped, or crated to provide protection during transit and Project-site storage. Do not use non-vented plastic.
    - 1. Provide additional protection to prevent damage to finish of factory-finished units.
  - B. Deliver welded frames with two removable spreader bars across bottom of frames, tack welded to jambs and mullions.

- C. Store hollow metal work under cover at Project site. Place in stacks of five units maximum in a vertical position with heads up, spaced by blocking, on minimum 4-inch high wood blocking. Do not store in a manner that traps excess humidity.
  - 1. Provide minimum 1/4-inch space between each stacked door to permit air circulation.
  - 2. Any scratches or disfigurements caused in shipping or handling are promptly cleaned and touched up with a rust-inhibitive primer to new conditions
- 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Field Measurements: Verify actual dimensions of openings by field measurements before fabrication.
- 1.7 COORDINATION
  - A. Coordinate installation of anchorages for hollow metal frames. Furnish setting drawings, templates, and directions for installing anchorages, including sleeves, concrete inserts, anchor bolts, and items with integral anchors. Deliver such items to Project site in time for installation.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following: Manufacturers of current SDI membership:
    - 1. Amweld Building Products, LLC.
    - 2. Benchmark; a division of Therma-Tru Corporation.
    - 3. Ceco Door Products; an Assa Abloy Group company.
    - 4. Curries Company; an Assa Abloy Group company.
    - 5. Steelcraft; an Ingersoll-Rand company.
- 2.2 MATERIALS
  - A. Cold-Rolled Steel Sheet: ASTM A 1008, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; suitable for exposed applications.
  - B. Hot-Rolled Steel Sheet: ASTM A 1011, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; free of scale, pitting, or surface defects; pickled and oiled.
  - C. Metallic-Coated Steel Sheet: ASTM A 653, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; with minimum G60 Z180 or A60ZF180 metallic coating.
  - D. Frame Anchors: ASTM A 591, Commercial Steel (CS), 40Z 12G coating designation; mill phosphatized.
    - 1. For anchors built into exterior walls, steel sheet complying with ASTM A 1008/A 1008M or ASTM A 1011, hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 153, Class B.
  - E. Inserts, Bolts, and Fasteners: Hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 153.
  - F. Powder-Actuated Fasteners in Concrete: Fastener system of type suitable for application indicated, fabricated from corrosion-resistant materials, with clips or other accessory devices for attaching hollow metal frames of type indicated.
  - G. Glazing: Comply with requirements in Division 08 Section "Glazing."
- 2.3 STANDARD HOLLOW METAL DOORS
  - A. General: Provide doors of design indicated, not less than thickness indicated; fabricated with smooth surfaces, without visible joints or seams on exposed faces unless otherwise indicated. Comply with ANSI/SDI A250.8.
    - 1. Design: Flush panel.
    - 2. Core Construction: Manufacturer's standard polystyrene, polyurethane, polyisocyanurate, mineral-board, or vertical steel-stiffener core.
      - a. Fire Door Core: As required to provide fire-protection and temperature-rise ratings indicated.
      - b. Steel-stiffened door at interior and exterior shipping and receiving locations.
      - c. Thermal-Rated (Insulated) Doors: Where indicated, provide doors fabricated with thermal-resistance value (R-value) of not less than 11.0 when tested to ASTM C518 calculated and 3.0 when tested to ASTM C1363 operable.
        - 1) Locations: All exterior doors, and as indicated on Door Schedule..
    - 3. Vertical Edges for Single-Acting Doors:
      - a. Beveled Edges: 1/8 inch in 2 inches.
        - 1) At meeting edges of pairs of doors bevel edge at active leaf, square edge at inactive leaf.
        - 2) Universal hinge preps for reverse swinging of doors are not acceptable.
    - 4. Vertical Edges for Double-Acting Doors: Round vertical edges with 2-1/8 inch radius.

5. Top and Bottom Edges: Closed with flush or inverted 0.042-inch thick, end closures or channels of same material as face sheets.
  6. Tolerances: Comply with SDI 117, "Manufacturing Tolerances for Standard Steel Doors and Frames."
  - B. Exterior Doors: Face sheets fabricated from metallic-coated steel sheet. Provide doors complying with requirements indicated below by referencing ANSI/SDI A250.8 for level and model and ANSI/SDI A250.4 for physical performance level:
    1. Level 3 and Physical Performance Level A (Extra Heavy Duty), Model 2 (Full Flush).
  - C. Interior Doors: Face sheets fabricated from cold-rolled steel sheet unless metallic-coated sheet is indicated. Provide doors complying with requirements indicated below by referencing ANSI/SDI A250.8 for level and model and ANSI/SDI A250.4 for physical performance level:
    1. Level 3 and Physical Performance Level B (Heavy Duty), Model 1 (Full Flush).
  - D. Hardware Reinforcement: Fabricate according to ANSI/SDI A250.6 with reinforcing plates from same material as door face sheets.
  - E. Fabricate concealed stiffeners and hardware reinforcement from either cold- or hot-rolled steel sheet.
- 2.4 STANDARD HOLLOW METAL FRAMES
- A. General: Comply with ANSI/SDI A250.8 and with details indicated for type and profile.
  - B. Exterior Frames: Fabricated from metallic-coated steel sheet.
    1. Fabricate frames with mitered or coped corners.
    2. Fabricate frames as face welded joints and back weld joints continuously, unless otherwise indicated.
    3. Frames for Level 3 Steel Doors: (14 gage) thick steel sheet.
  - C. Interior Frames: Fabricated from cold-rolled steel sheet unless metallic-coated sheet is indicated.
    1. Fabricate frames with mitered or coped corners.
    2. Fabricate frames as full profile and Knock- Down style unless otherwise indicated.
    3. Frames for Level 3 Steel Doors: 16 gage thick steel sheet.
    4. Frames 48-inches and wider in opening width are required to be min. 14 gage thick steel sheet.
    5. Frames for Wood Doors: 16 gage thick steel sheet.
    6. Frames for Borrowed Lights: 16 gage thick steel sheet.
  - D. Hardware Reinforcement: Fabricate according to ANSI/SDI A250.6 with reinforcement plates from same material as frames.
  - E. Knock down frames are not acceptable.
- 2.5 FRAME ANCHORS
- A. Jamb Anchors:
    1. Masonry Anchors: Frames for installation in masonry walls shall be provided with adjustable jamb anchors of the (T-strap). Anchors shall be not less than 16 gage steel. T-straps shall be not less than 2" X 10" in size, corrugated and/or perforated. The number of anchors provided on each jamb shall be as follows:

a. Frames up to 60" height	2 anchors.
b. Frames greater than 60" up to 90"	3 anchors.
c. Frames greater than 90" up to 96"	4 anchors.
d. Frames greater than 96"	4 anchors plus one for each 24" or fraction thereof over 96", spaced at 24" maximum between anchors.
    2. Stud Anchors: Welded frames for installation in stud partitions shall be provided with welded in steel anchors of suitable design, not less than 18 gage thickness, secured inside each jamb as follows:

a. Frames up to 60" height:	2 anchors.
b. Frames greater than 60" up to 90"	4 anchors.
c. Frames greater than 90" up to 96"	5 anchors.
d. Frames greater than 96"	5 anchors plus one for each 24" or fraction thereof over 96" spaced at 24" maximum between anchors.
    3. Post-installed Expansion Type for In-Place Concrete or Masonry: Minimum 3/8-inch- 9.5-mm-diameter bolts with expansion shields or inserts. Provide pipe spacer from frame to wall, with throat reinforcement plate, welded to frame at each anchor location. 3" min, embedment.
    4. Hot dip galvanize all anchors in exterior walls.
  - B. Floor Anchors: Formed from same material as frames, not less than 0.067 inch 1.0 mm thick, and as follows:
    1. Monolithic Concrete Slabs: Floor anchors shall be provided with two holes for fasteners and shall be fastened inside jambs with at least four (4) spot welds per anchor

2.6 ACCESSORIES

- A. Grout Guards: Formed from same material as frames, not less than 0.016 inch thick.
- B. Louvers: Provide louvers for doors, where indicated, which comply with SDI 111C, with blades or baffles formed of cold-rolled steel sheet set into steel frame. Door with louver must meet impact resistance requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 1. Sight-proof Louver: Stationary louvers constructed with inverted-V or inverted-Y blades.

2.7 FABRICATION

- A. Fabricate hollow metal work to be rigid and free of defects, warp, or buckle. Accurately form metal to required sizes and profiles, with minimum radius for thickness of metal. Where practical, fit and assemble units in manufacturer's plant. To ensure proper assembly at Project site, clearly identify work that cannot be permanently factory assembled before shipment.
- B. Tolerances: Fabricate hollow metal work to tolerances indicated in SDI 117.
- C. Hollow Metal Doors:
  - 1. Exterior Doors: Provide weep-hole openings in bottom of exterior doors to permit moisture to escape. Seal joints in top edges of doors against water penetration.
  - 2. Glazed Lites: Factory cut openings in doors.
  - 3. Astragals: Provide overlapping astragal on one leaf of pairs of doors where required by NFPA 80 for fire-performance rating or where indicated. Extend minimum 3/4 inch 19 mm beyond edge of door on which astragal is mounted.
  - 4. Continuous Hinge Reinforcement: Provide continuous 12 gage strap tack welded to door edge for continuous hinges specified in hardware sets in Div. 8 Door hardware, unless door has continuous steel channel for hinge reinforcement.
  - 5. Electrical Raceways: Provide raceways to accommodate up to twelve (12) wires as required for electrified door hardware specified in hardware sets in Div. 8 Door Hardware.
  - 6. Seamless Edge (Model 2): Provide seamless edge on hollow metal doors by intermittently tack welding seam, grinding smooth and finishing edge free from defects and blemishes.
- D. Hollow Metal Frames: Where frames are fabricated in sections due to shipping or handling limitations, provide alignment plates or angles at each joint, fabricated of same thickness metal as frames.
  - 1. Welded Frames: Weld flush face joints continuously; grind, fill, dress, and make smooth, flush, and invisible.
  - 2. Sidelight and Transom Bar Frames: Provide closed tubular members with no visible face seams or joints, fabricated from same material as door frame. Fasten members at crossings and to jambs by butt welding.
  - 3. Hinge Reinforcement: Provide high frequency hinge reinforcements at door openings 42-inch and wider with mortise/butt type hinges at top hinge location to deter against hinge reinforcement sag; required at all openings with automatic openers.
  - 4. Continuous Hinge Reinforcement: Provide continuous 12 gage strap tack welded to frame stop for continuous hinges specified in hardware sets in Div. 8 Door hardware.
  - 5. Provide countersunk, flat- or oval-head exposed screws and bolts for exposed fasteners unless otherwise indicated.
  - 6. Provide A60 Galvannealed coating at frames in restrooms with showers/Jacuzzi, clean areas such as surgery rooms and surgical suites, clean rooms, and soil rooms.
  - 7. Electrical Knock Out Boxes: Factory weld 18 gage electrical knock out boxes to frame for electrical hardware preps; included to electrical thru wire hinges, electrical raceways, door position switches, electric strikes, jamb mount card readers, and magnet locks as noted in door hardware sets in Division 8 Door Hardware and security prints.
    - a. Electrical knock out boxes are required at door position switches, electric strikes, card readers, and middle hinge locations for all exterior locations regardless of electrical hardware specified in Division 8 Door Hardware and security prints.
    - b. Provide electrical knock out boxes with a dual 1/2-inch and 3/4-inch knockouts.
    - c. Conduit to be factory installed for electric hardware preps. Frames with factory installed conduit to have weld in place anchors.
    - d. Electrical knock out boxes to comply with NFPA requirements and fit electrical door hardware as specified in hardware sets in Division 8 Door Hardware and security prints.
    - e. Electrical knock out boxes for continuous hinges should be located in the center of the vertical dimension on the hinge jamb, coordinate with hardware supplier
    - f. Provide conduit for standardized plug connectors to accommodate up to (12) wires for electrified door hardware specified in hardware sets in Division 8 Door Hardware and security prints.

8. Door Silencers: Except on weather-stripped or gasketed doors, drill stops to receive door silencers as follows. Keep holes clear during construction. Silencers to be supplied by frame manufacturer regardless if specified in Div. 8 Door Hardware.
    - a. Single-Door Frames: Drill stop in strike jamb to receive three door silencers.
    - b. Double-Door Frames: Drill stop in head jamb to receive two doorsilencers.
  - E. Fabricate concealed stiffeners, edge channels, and hardware reinforcement from either cold- or hot-rolled steel sheet.
  - F. Hardware Preparation: Factory prepare hollow metal work to receive templated mortised hardware; include cutouts, reinforcement, mortising, drilling, and tapping according to the Door Hardware Schedule and templates furnished as specified in Division 08 Section "Door Hardware."
    1. Locate hardware as indicated, or if not indicated, according to ANSI/SDI A250.8.
    2. Reinforce doors and frames to receive non-templated, mortised and surface-mounted door hardware.
    3. Comply with applicable requirements in ANSI/SDI A250.6 and ANSI/DHI A115 Series specifications for preparation of hollow metal work for hardware.
    4. Coordinate locations of conduit and wiring boxes for electrical connections with Division 26 Sections.
  - G. Stops and Moldings: Provide stops and moldings around glazed lites where indicated. Form corners of stops and moldings with butted or mitered hairline joints.
    1. Single Glazed Lites: Provide fixed stops and moldings welded on secure side of hollow metal work.
    2. Multiple Glazed Lites: Provide fixed and removable stops and moldings so that each glazed lite is capable of being removed independently.
    3. Provide fixed frame moldings on outside of exterior and on secure side of interior doors and frames.
    4. Provide loose stops and moldings on inside of hollow metal work.
    5. Coordinate rabbet width between fixed and removable stops with type of glazing and type of installation indicated.
    6. Gap for butted or mitered joints in glass stop should not exceed .0625-inch.
- 2.8 STEEL FINISHES
- A. Prime Finish: Apply manufacturer's standard primer immediately after cleaning and pretreating.
    1. Shop Primer: Manufacturer's standard, fast-curing, lead- and chromate-free primer complying with ANSI/SDI A250.10 acceptance criteria; recommended by primer manufacturer for substrate; compatible with substrate and field-applied coatings despite prolonged exposure.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - B. Examine roughing-in for embedded and built-in anchors to verify actual locations before frame installation.
  - C. For the record, prepare written report, endorsed by Installer, listing conditions detrimental to performance of the Work.
  - D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
- A. Remove welded-in shipping spreaders installed at factory after installation of frame in wall. Restore exposed finish by grinding, filling, and dressing, as required to make repaired area smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
  - B. Prior to installation, adjust and securely brace welded hollow metal frames for squareness, alignment, twist, and plumbness to the following tolerances:
    1. Squareness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at door rabbet on a line 90 degrees from jamb perpendicular to frame head.
    2. Alignment: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a horizontal line parallel to plane of wall.
    3. Twist: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at opposite face corners of jambs on parallel lines, and perpendicular to plane of wall.
    4. Plumbness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a perpendicular line from head to floor.
  - C. Drill and tap doors and frames to receive non-templated, mortised, and surface-mounted door hardware.

### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install hollow metal work plumb, rigid, properly aligned, and securely fastened in place; comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Hollow Metal Frames: Install hollow metal frames of size and profile indicated. Comply with ANSI/SDI A250.11.
  - 1. Set frames accurately in position, plumbed, aligned, and braced securely until permanent anchors are set. After wall construction is complete, remove temporary braces, leaving surfaces smooth and undamaged.
    - a. At fire-protection-rated openings, install frames according to NFPA 80.
    - b. Where frames are fabricated in sections because of shipping or handling limitations, field splice at approved locations by welding face joint continuously; grind, fill, dress, and make splice smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
    - c. Install frames with removable glazing stops located on secure side of opening.
    - d. Remove temporary braces necessary for installation only after frames have been properly set and secured.
    - e. Check plumbness, squareness, and twist of frames as walls are constructed. Shim as necessary to comply with installation tolerances.
  - 2. Floor Anchors: Provide floor anchors for each jamb and mullion that extends to floor, and secure with post-installed expansion anchors.
    - a. Floor anchors may be set with powder-actuated fasteners instead of post-installed expansion anchors if so indicated and approved on Shop Drawings.
  - 3. Metal-Stud Partitions: Solidly pack mineral-fiber insulation behind frames.
  - 4. Masonry Walls: Coordinate installation of frames to allow for solidly filling space between frames and masonry with grout.
  - 5. In-Place Gypsum Board Partitions: Secure frames in place with post-installed expansion anchors through floor anchors at each jamb. Countersink anchors, and fill and make smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
  - 6. Installation Tolerances: Adjust hollow metal door frames for squareness, alignment, twist, and plumb to the following tolerances:
    - a. Squareness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at door rabbet on a line 90 degrees from jamb perpendicular to frame head.
    - b. Alignment: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs on a horizontal line parallel to plane of wall.
    - c. Twist: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at opposite face corners of jambs on parallel lines, and perpendicular to plane of wall.
    - d. Plumbness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch, measured at jambs at floor.
- C. Hollow Metal Doors: Fit hollow metal doors accurately in frames, within clearances specified below. Shim as necessary.
  - 1. Non-Fire-Rated Standard Steel Doors:
    - a. Jambs and Head: 1/8 inch plus or minus 1/16 inch.
    - b. Between Edges of Pairs of Doors: 1/8 inch plus or minus 1/16 inch.
    - c. Between Bottom of Door and Top of Threshold: Maximum 3/8 inch.
    - d. Between Bottom of Door and Top of Finish Floor (No Threshold): Maximum 3/4 inch.
  - 2. Fire-Rated Doors: Install doors with clearances according to NFPA 80.
  - 3. Smoke-Control Doors: Install doors according to NFPA 105.

### 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Final Adjustments: Check and readjust operating hardware items immediately before final inspection. Leave work in complete and proper operating condition. Remove and replace defective work, including hollow metal work that is warped, bowed, or otherwise unacceptable.
- B. Adjust frames and doors per SDI 122 Installation for trouble shooting openings.
- C. Remove grout and other bonding material from hollow metal work immediately after installation.
- D. Prime-Coat Touchup: Immediately after erection, sand smooth rusted or damaged areas of prime coat and apply touchup of compatible air-drying, rust-inhibitive primer.
- E. Metallic-Coated Surfaces: Clean abraded areas and repair with galvanizing repair paint according to manufacturer's written instructions.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 081416**  
**FLUSH WOOD DOORS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
- A. Flush wood doors; flush configuration; fire-rated and non-rated.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
- A. NFPA 80 - Standard for Fire Doors and Other Opening Protectives 2022.
  - B. UL 10C - Standard for Positive Pressure Fire Tests of Door Assemblies Current Edition, Including All Revisions.
  - C. WDMA I.S. 1A - Interior Architectural Wood Flush Doors 2021, with Errata.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
- A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Indicate door core materials and construction; veneer species, type and characteristics.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Show doors and frames, elevations, sizes, types, swings, undercuts, beveling, blocking for hardware, factory machining, factory finishing, cutouts for glazing and other details.
  - D. Samples: Submit two samples of door construction, 8 by 10 inch in size cut from top corner of door.
  - E. Certificate: Submit labels and certificates required by quality assurance and quality control programs.
  - F. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate special installation instructions.
  - G. Warranty, executed in Owner's name.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the products specified in this section, with not less than three years of documented experience.
    - 1. Company with at least one project within past five years with value of woodwork within at least 20 percent of cost of woodwork for this project.
  - B. Installer Qualifications: Company specializing in performing work of the type specified in this section, with not less than three years of documented experience.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
- A. Package, deliver and store doors in accordance with specified quality standard.
  - B. Accept doors on site in manufacturer's packaging, and inspect for damage.
  - C. Protect doors with resilient packaging sealed with heat shrunk plastic; do not store in damp or wet areas or areas where sunlight might bleach veneer; seal top and bottom edges with tinted sealer if stored more than one week, and break seal on site to permit ventilation.
- 1.6 WARRANTY
- A. See Section 017800 - Closeout Submittals for additional warranty requirements.
  - B. Include coverage for delamination of veneer, warping beyond specified installation tolerances, defective materials, and telegraphing core construction.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
- A. Wood Veneer Faced Doors:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: Aspiro Series | Marshfield-Algoma by Masonite Architectural: [architectural.masonite.com/products/aspiro-series/aspiro-select-wood-veneer](https://architectural.masonite.com/products/aspiro-series/aspiro-select-wood-veneer).
    - 2. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- 2.2 DOORS AND PANELS
- A. Doors: See drawings for locations and additional requirements.

1. Quality Standard: Custom Grade, Extra Heavy Duty performance, in accordance with AWI/AWMAC/WI (AWS), unless noted otherwise.
  2. Wood Veneer Faced Doors: 5-ply unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. Interior Doors: 1-3/4 inches thick unless otherwise indicated; flush construction.
    1. Provide solid core doors at each location.
    2. Fire Rated Doors: Tested to ratings indicated on drawings in accordance with UL 10C - Positive Pressure; Underwriters Laboratories Inc (UL) or Intertek/Warnock Hersey (WHI) labeled without any visible seals when door is open.
    3. Wood veneer facing for field transparent finish as indicated on drawings.
    4. High pressure decorative laminate (HPDL) finish as indicated on drawings.
- 23 DOOR AND PANEL CORES
- A. Non-Rated Solid Core and 20 Minute Rated Doors: Type particleboard core (PC), plies and faces as indicated.
  - B. Fire-Rated Doors: Mineral core type, with fire resistant composite core (FD), plies and faces as indicated above; with core blocking as required to provide adequate anchorage of hardware without through-bolting.
- 24 DOOR FACINGS
- A. Veneer Facing for Transparent Finish: White maple, veneer grade in accordance with quality standard indicated, rift cut, with book match between leaves of veneer, running match of spliced veneer leaves assembled on door or panel face.
    1. Vertical Edges: Same species as face veneer.
    2. "Running Match" each pair of doors and doors in close proximity to each other.
    3. "Pair Match" each pair of doors; "Set Match" pairs of doors within 10 feet of each other when doors are closed.
  - B. Facing Adhesive: Type I - waterproof.
- 25 DOOR CONSTRUCTION
- A. Fabricate doors in accordance with door quality standard specified.
  - B. Cores Constructed with stiles and rails:
    1. Provide solid blocks at lock edge and top of door for closer for hardware reinforcement.
  - C. Factory machine doors for hardware other than surface-mounted hardware, in accordance with hardware requirements and dimensions.
  - D. Factory fit doors for frame opening dimensions identified on shop drawings, with edge clearances in accordance with specified quality standard.
  - E. Provide edge clearances in accordance with the quality standard specified.
- 26 FINISHES - WOOD VENEER DOORS
- A. Finish work in accordance with WDMA I.S. 1A for grade specified and as follows:
    1. Transparent:
      - a. System - TR-8, UV Cured Acrylated Polyester/Urethane.
      - b. Stain: Bourbon.
      - c. Sheen: Satin.
  - B. Factory finish doors in accordance with approved sample.
  - C. Seal door top edge with color sealer to match door facing.
- 27 ACCESSORIES
- A. Hollow Metal Door Frames: See Section 081113.
  - B. Glazing Stops: Rolled steel channel shape, butted corners; prepared for countersink style tamper proof screws.
  - C. Door Hardware: See Section 087100.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify existing conditions before starting work.
- B. Verify that opening sizes and tolerances are acceptable.
- C. Do not install doors in frame openings that are not plumb or are out-of-tolerance for size or alignment.

#### **3.2 INSTALLATION**

- A. Install doors in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and specified quality standard.
  - 1. Install fire-rated doors in accordance with NFPA 80 requirements.
- B. Factory-Finished Doors: Do not field cut or trim; if fit or clearance is not correct, replace door.
- C. Use machine tools to cut or drill for hardware.
- D. Coordinate installation of doors with installation of frames and hardware.
- E. Coordinate installation of glazing.

#### **3.3 TOLERANCES**

- A. Comply with specified quality standard for fit and clearance tolerances.
- B. Comply with specified quality standard for telegraphing, warp, and squareness.

#### **3.4 ADJUSTING**

- A. Adjust doors for smooth and balanced door movement.
- B. Adjust closers for full closure.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 083100**  
**ACCESS DOORS AND PANELS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Wall and ceiling access door and frame units.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Provide sizes, types, finishes, hardware, scheduled locations, and details of adjoining work.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Indicate exact position of each access door and/or panel unit.
  - D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate installation requirements.
  - E. Project Record Documents: Record actual locations of each access unit.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the products specified in this section with minimum three years documented experience.
  - B. Installer Qualifications: Company specializing in performing work of the type specified and with at least three years documented experience.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 ACCESS DOORS AND PANELS ASSEMBLIES
  - A. Wall-Mounted Units:
    - 1. Location: As indicated on drawings.
    - 2. Material: Steel, hot-dipped zinc or zinc-aluminum-alloy coated.
    - 3. Door/Panel: Hinged, standard duty, with tool-operated spring or cam lock and no handle.
    - 4. Gypsum Board Mounting Criteria: Provide drywall bead frame with door surface flush with wall surface.
  - B. Wall-Mounted Units in Wet Areas:
    - 1. Location: As indicated on drawings.
    - 2. Material: Stainless steel.
    - 3. Door/Panel: Hinged, standard duty, with tool-operated spring or cam lock and no handle.
    - 4. Wall Mounting Criteria: Provide surface-mounted face frame and door surface flush with frame surface.
    - 5. Gypsum Board Mounting Criteria: Provide drywall bead frame with door surface flush with wall surface.
  - C. Ceiling-Mounted Units:
    - 1. Location: As indicated on drawings.
    - 2. Material: Steel, hot-dipped zinc, or zinc-aluminum-alloy coated.
    - 3. Door/Panel: Hinged, standard duty, with tool-operated spring or cam lock and no handle; flush with adjacent ceiling, radiused edge.
- 2.2 WALL AND CEILING MOUNTED UNITS
  - A. Manufacturers:
    - 1. ACUDOR Products Inc: [www.acudor.com/#sle](http://www.acudor.com/#sle).
    - 2. Babcock-Davis: [www.babcockdavis.com/#sle](http://www.babcockdavis.com/#sle).
    - 3. Bauco Access Panel Solutions, Inc.: [www.accesspanelsolutions.com](http://www.accesspanelsolutions.com).
    - 4. Karp Associates, Inc: [www.karpinc.com/#sle](http://www.karpinc.com/#sle).
    - 5. Milcor, Inc: [www.milcorinc.com/#sle](http://www.milcorinc.com/#sle).
    - 6. Nystrom, Inc: [www.nystrom.com/#sle](http://www.nystrom.com/#sle).
    - 7. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify that rough openings are correctly sized and located.
- B. Begin installation only after substrates have been properly prepared, and if the responsibility of another installer, notify Architect of unsatisfactory preparation before proceeding.

#### **3.2 PREPARATION**

- A. Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to proceeding with this work.
- B. Prepare surfaces using methods recommended by manufacturer for applicable substrates in accordance with project conditions.

#### **3.3 INSTALLATION**

- A. Install units in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Install frames plumb and level in openings, and secure units rigidly in place.
- C. Position units to provide convenient access to concealed equipment when necessary.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 083313**  
**COILING COUNTER DOORS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Non-fire-rated coiling counter doors and operating hardware.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. ASTM A666 - Standard Specification for Annealed or Cold-Worked Austenitic Stainless Steel Sheet, Strip, Plate, and Flat Bar 2015.
  - B. UL (DIR) - Online Certifications Directory Current Edition.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's standard literature showing materials and details of construction and finish.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Indicate rough and actual opening dimensions, anchorage methods, hardware locations, and installation details.
  - D. Samples: Submit two slats, 4 inch long, illustrating shape, color and finish texture.
  - E. Manufacturer's Instructions: Indicate installation sequence and installation, adjustment, and alignment procedures.
  - F. Operation and Maintenance Data: Indicate modes of operation, lubrication requirements and frequency, and periodic adjustments required.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Products Requiring Electrical Connection: Listed and classified by UL (DIR) as suitable for the purpose specified and indicated.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Coiling Counter Doors:
    - 1. Alpine Overhead Doors, Inc: [www.alpinedoors.com/#sle](http://www.alpinedoors.com/#sle).
    - 2. C.H.I. Overhead Doors: [www.chiohd.com/#sle](http://www.chiohd.com/#sle).
    - 3. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- 2.2 COILING COUNTER DOORS
  - A. Coiling Counter Doors, Non-Fire-Rated: Stainless steel slat curtain.
    - 1. Mounting: Between jambs, within prepared opening.
    - 2. Nominal Slat Size: 1-1/4 inches wide.
    - 3. Slat Profile: Flat.
    - 4. Finish, Stainless Steel: No. 4 - Brushed.
    - 5. Guides: Formed track; same material and finish unless otherwise indicated.
    - 6. Hood Enclosure: Manufacturer's standard; stainless steel.
    - 7. Manual hand chain lift operation.
- 2.3 MATERIALS
  - A. Curtain Construction: Interlocking, single thickness slats.
    - 1. Slat Ends: Alternate slats fitted with end locks to act as wearing surface in guides and to prevent lateral movement.
    - 2. Curtain Bottom: Fitted with angles to provide reinforcement and positive contact in closed position.
    - 3. Aluminum Slats: ASTM A666, Type 304; minimum thickness 22 gage, 0.03 inch.
  - B. Guide Construction: Continuous, of profile to retain door in place, with mounting brackets of same metal.
    - 1. Aluminum Guides: ASTM A666, Type 304, rollable temper.

- C. Hood Enclosure: Internally reinforced to maintain rigidity and shape.
- D. Lock Hardware:
  - 1. Latchset Lock Cylinders: Standard mortise cylinder type; keyed master keyed.
    - a. Keying: Master keyed.
  - 2. Latching Mechanism: Inside mounted, adjustable keeper, spring activated latch bar feature to keep in locked or retracted position.
  - 3. Latch Handle: Manufacturer's standard.
- E. Roller Shaft Counterbalance: Steel pipe and torsion steel spring system, capable of producing torque sufficient to ensure smooth operation of curtain from any position and capable of holding position at mid-travel; with adjustable spring tension; requiring 25 lb nominal force to operate.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify that opening sizes, tolerances and conditions are acceptable.

#### **3.2 INSTALLATION**

- A. Install units in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Use anchorage devices to securely fasten assembly to wall construction and building framing without distortion or stress.
- C. Securely and rigidly brace components suspended from structure. Secure guides to structural members only.
- D. Fit and align assembly including hardware; level and plumb, to provide smooth operation.

#### **3.3 TOLERANCES**

- A. Maintain dimensional tolerances and alignment with adjacent work.
- B. Maximum Variation From Plumb: 1/16 inch.
- C. Maximum Variation From Level: 1/16 inch.
- D. Longitudinal or Diagonal Warp: Plus or minus 1/8 inch per 10 ft straight edge.

#### **3.4 ADJUSTING**

- A. Adjust operating assemblies for smooth and noiseless operation.

#### **3.5 CLEANING**

- A. Clean installed components.
- B. Remove labels and visible markings.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 08 71 00  
DOOR HARDWARE**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

**1.1 SUMMARY**

- A. Section Includes:
1. Door hardware, including electric hardware.
  2. Storefront and entrance door hardware.
  3. Card Access control system.
  4. Power supplies for electric hardware.
  5. Low energy door operators plus sensors and actuators.
  6. Door position switches.
  7. Point-to-point wiring diagrams for electric hardware.
- B. Related Divisions:
1. Division 06 – door hardware installation
  2. Division 07 – sealant at exterior thresholds
  3. Division 08 – metal doors and frames, interior aluminum frames, wood doors, integrated security systems, specialty doors, storefront and glazed curtainwall systems.
  4. Division 10 – operable partitions
  5. Division 21 – fire and life safety systems
  6. Division 28 – security access systems
- C. Specific Omissions: Hardware for the following is specified or indicated elsewhere.
1. Windows.
  2. Cabinets, including open wall shelving and locks.
  3. Signs.
  4. Toilet accessories, including grab bars.
  5. Installation.
  6. Rough hardware.
  7. Conduit, junction boxes & wiring.
  8. Folding partitions.
  9. Sliding aluminum doors.
  10. Access doors and panels.
  11. Corner Guards.
  12. Welded steel gates and supports.

**1.2 REFERENCES:**

- A. Use date of standard in effect as of Bid date.
1. American National Standards Institute
    - a) ANSI 156.18 – Materials and Finishes.
  2. BHMA – Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association
  3. 2019 California Building Code
    - a) Chapter 11B – Accessibility To Public Buildings, Public Accommodations, Commercial Buildings and Public Housing
  4. DHI – Door and Hardware Institute

5. NFPA – National Fire Protection Association
    - a) NFPA 80 2016 Edition – Standard for Fire Doors and Other Opening Protectives.
    - b) NFPA 105 – Smoke and Draft Control Door Assemblies
    - c) NFPA 252 – Fire Tests of Door Assemblies
  6. UL – Underwriters Laboratories
    - a) UL10C – Positive Pressure Fire Tests of Door Assemblies.
    - b) UL 305 – Panic Hardware
  7. WHI – Warnock Hersey Incorporated State of California Building Code
  8. Local applicable codes
  9. SDI – Steel Door Institute
  10. WI – Woodwork Institute
  11. AWI – Architectural Woodwork Institute
  12. NAAMM – National Association of Architectural Metal Manufacturers
- B. Abbreviations
1. Manufacturers: see table at 2.1.A of this section
  2. Finishes: see 2.7 of this section.

### 1.3 SUBMITTALS & SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. SUBMITTALS: Submit six copies of schedule per D. Only submittals printed one sided will be accepted and reviewed. Organize vertically formatted schedule into “Hardware Sets” with index of doors and headings, indicating complete designations of every item required for each door or opening. Minimum 10pt font size. Include following information:
1. Type, style, function, size, quantity and finish of hardware items.
  2. Use BHMA Finish codes per ANSI A156.18.
  3. Name, part number and manufacturer of each item.
  4. Fastenings and other pertinent information.
  5. Location of hardware set coordinated with floor plans and door schedule.
  6. Explanation of abbreviations, symbols, and codes contained in schedule.
  7. Mounting locations for hardware.
  8. Door and frame sizes, materials and degrees of swing.
  9. List of manufacturers used and their nearest representative with address and phone number.
  10. Catalog cuts.
  11. Point-to-point wiring diagrams.
  12. Manufacturer’s technical data and installation instructions for electronic hardware.
- B. Bid and submit manufacturer’s updated/improved item if scheduled item is discontinued.
- C. Deviations: Highlight, encircle or otherwise identify deviations from “Schedule of Finish Hardware” on submittal with notations clearly designating those portions as deviating from this section.
- D. If discrepancy between drawings and scheduled material in this section, bid the more expensive of the two choices, note the discrepancy in the submittal and request direction from Architect for resolution.
- E. Substitutions per Division 1. Include product data and indicate benefit to the Project. Furnish operating samples on request.

- F. Items listed with no substitute manufacturers have been requested by Owner to meet existing standard.
- G. Furnish as-built/as-installed schedule with closeout documents, including keying schedule, riser and point-to-point wiring diagrams, manufacturers' installation, adjustment and maintenance information, and supplier's final inspection report.

#### **1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE:**

- A. Qualifications:
  - 1. Hardware supplier: direct factory contract supplier who employs a hardware consultant, available at reasonable times during course of work for project hardware consultation to Owner, Architect and Contractor.
    - a) Responsible for detailing, scheduling and ordering of finish hardware. Detailing implies that the submitted schedule of hardware is correct and complete for the intended function and performance of the openings.
- B. Hardware: Free of defects, blemishes and excessive play. Obtain each kind of hardware (latch and locksets, exit devices, hinges and closers) from one manufacturer.
- C. Exit Doors: Operable from inside with single motion without the use of a key or special knowledge or effort.
- D. Fire-Rated Openings: NFPA 80 compliant. Hardware UL10C (positive pressure) compliant for given type/size opening and degree of label. Provide proper latching hardware, non-flaming door closers, approved-bearing hinges, and resilient seals. Coordinate with wood door section for required intumescent seals. Furnish openings complete.
- E. Furnish hardware items required to complete the work in accordance with specified performance level and design intent, complying with manufacturers' instructions and code requirements.
- F. Pre-Installation Meetings: Initiate and conduct with supplier, installer and related trades, coordinate materials and techniques, and sequence complex hardware items and systems installation. Include manufacturers' representatives of locks, panic hardware and door closers in the meetings. Convene prior to commencement of related work.

#### **1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING:**

- A. Delivery: coordinate delivery to appropriate locations (shop or field).
  - 1. Permanent keys and cores: secured delivery direct to Owner's representative.
- B. Acceptance at Site: Items individually packaged in manufacturers' original containers, complete with proper fasteners and related pieces. Clearly mark packages to indicate contents, locations in hardware schedule and door numbers.
- C. Storage: Provide securely locked storage area for hardware, protect from moisture, sunlight, paint, chemicals, dust, excessive heat and cold, etc.

#### **1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS AND COORDINATION:**

- A. Electrified hardware: Electrical drawings and electrical specifications are based on the specific electrified hardware components specified in hardware sets. These electronic hardware components have been specified as an assembly. Changes to these components shall be submitted to the Architect for approval.

- B. Where exact types of hardware specified are not adaptable to finished shape or size of members requiring hardware, provide suitable types having as nearly as practical the same operation and quality as type specified, subject to Architect's approval.
- C. Coordination: Coordinate hardware with other work. Furnish hardware items of proper design for use on doors and frames of the thickness, profile, swing, security and similar requirements indicated, as necessary for proper installation and function, regardless of omissions or conflicts in the information on the Contract Documents. Furnish related trades with the following information:
  - 1. Location of embedded and attached items to concrete.
  - 2. Location of wall-mounted hardware, including wall stops.
  - 3. Location of finish floor materials and floor-mounted hardware.
  - 4. At masonry construction, coordinate with the anchoring and hollow metal supplier prior to frame installation by placing a strip of insulation, wood, or foam, on the back of the hollow metal frame behind the rabbet section for continuous hinges, as well as at rim panic hardware strike locations, silencers, coordinators, and door closer arm locations. When the frame is grouted in place, the backing will allow drilling and tapping without dulling or breaking the installer's bits.
  - 5. Locations for conduit and raceways as needed for electrical, electronic and electro-pneumatic hardware items. Fire/life-safety system interfacing. Point-to-point wiring diagrams plus riser diagrams to related trades.
  - 6. Coordinate: low-voltage power supply locations.
  - 7. Coordinate: back-up power for doors with automatic operators.
  - 8. Coordinate: flush top rails of doors at outswinging exteriors, and throughout where adhesive-mounted seals occur.
  - 9. Manufacturers' templates to door and frame fabricators.
- D. Check Shop Drawings for doors and entrances to confirm that adequate provisions will be made for proper hardware installation.
- E. Environmental considerations: segregate unused recyclable paper and paper product packaging, uninstalled metals, and plastics, and have these sent to a recycling center.

#### 1.7 WARRANTY:

- A. Part of respective manufacturers' regular terms of sale. Provide manufacturers' written warranties.
- B. Include factory order numbers with close-out documents to validate warranty information, required for Owner in making future warranty claims:
- C. Minimum warranties:
 

1. Locksets:	Three years
2. Extra Heavy Duty Cylindrical Lock:	Seven Years
3. Exit Devices:	Three years mechanical One year electrical
4. Closers:	Thirty years mechanical Two years electrical
5. Hinges:	One year
6. Other Hardware	Two years

#### 1.8 COMMISSIONING:

- A. Conduct these tests prior to request for certificate of substantial completion:

1. With installer present, test door hardware operation with climate control system and stairwell pressurization system both at rest and while in full operation.
2. With installer, access control contractor and electrical contractor present, test electrical, electronic and electro-pneumatic hardware systems for satisfactory operation.
3. With installer and electrical contractor present, test hardware interfaced with fire/life-safety system for proper operation and release.

## 1.9 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Locate latching hardware between 34 inches to 44 inches above the finished floor, per 2019 California Building Code, Section 11B-404.2.7.
  1. Panic hardware: locate between 36 inches to 44 inches above the finished floor.
- B. Handles, pull, latches, locks, other operable parts:
  1. Readily openable from egress side with one hand and without tight grasping, tight pinching, or twisting of the wrist to operate. 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-309.4.
  2. Force required to activate the operable parts: 5.0 pounds maximum, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-309.4.
- C. Adjust doors to open with not more than 5.0-pounds pressure to open at exterior doors and 5.0-pounds at interior doors. As allowed per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.9, local authority may increase the allowable pressure for fire doors to achieve positive latching, but not to exceed 15-pounds.
  1. Exception: exterior doors' pressure-to-open may be increased to 8.5-pounds if: at a single location, and one of a bank of eight leafs or fraction of eight, and one leaf of this bank is fitted with a low- or high-energy operator.
- D. Low-energy powered doors: comply with ANSI/BHMA A156.19. Reference: 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.9.
  1. Where powered door serves an occupancy of 100 or more, provide back-up battery power or stand-by generator power, capable of supporting a minimum of 100 cycles.
  2. Actuators, vertical bar type: minimum 2-inches wide, 30-inches high, bottom located minimum 5-inches above floor or ground, top located minimum 35-inches above floor or ground. Displays International Symbol of Accessibility, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-703.7.
  3. Actuators, plate type: use two at each side of the opening. Minimum 4-inches diameter or 4-inches square. Displays International Symbol of Accessibility, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-703.7. Locate centerline of lower plate between 7- and 8-inches above floor or ground, and upper plate between 30- and 44-inches above floor or ground.
  4. Actuator location: conspicuously located, clear and level floor/ground space for forward or parallel approach.
- E. Adjust door closer sweep periods so that from an open position of 90 degrees, the door will take at least 5 seconds to move to a point 12 degrees from the latch, measured to the landing side of the door, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.8.
  1. Spring hinges: adjust for 1.5 seconds minimum for 70 degrees to fully-closed.
- F. Smooth surfaces at bottom 10 inches of push sides of doors, facilitating push-open with wheelchair footrests, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.10.

1. Applied kickplates and armor plates: bevel the left and right edges; free of sharp or abrasive edges.
  2. Tempered glass doors without stiles: bottom rail may be less than 10 inches if top leading edge is tapered 60 degrees minimum.
- G. Door opening clear width no less than 32 inches, measured from face of frame stop, or edge of inactive leaf of pair of doors, to door face with door opened to 90 degrees. Hardware projection not a factor in clear width if located above 30 inches and below 80 inches, and the hardware projects no more than 4 inches. 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.3.
1. Exception: doors not requiring full passage through the opening, that is, to spaces less than 24 inches in depth, may have the clear opening width reduced to 20 inches. Example: shallow closets.
  2. Door closers and overhead stops: not less than 78 inches above the finished floor or ground, per 2019 California Building Code 11B-307.4.
- H. Thresholds: floor or landing no more than 0.50 inches below the top of the threshold of the doorway, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.5. Vertical rise no more than 0.25 inches, change in level between 0.25 inches and 0.50 inches: beveled to slope no greater than 1:2 (50 percent slope). 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-303.2 & ~.3.
- I. Floor stops: Do not locate in path of travel. Locate no more than 4 inches from walls, per DSA Policy #99-08 (Access).
- J. Pairs of doors with independently-activated hardware both leafs: limit swing of right-hand or right-hand-reverse leaf to 90 degrees to protect persons reading wall-mounted tactile signage, per 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-703.4.2.
- K. Door and door hardware encroachment: when door is swung fully-open into means-of-egress path, the door may not encroach/project more than 7 inches into the required exit width, with the exception of door release hardware such as lockset levers or panic hardware. These hardware items must be located no less than 34-inches and no more than 48-inches above the floor/ground. 2019 California Building Code, Section 1005.7.1.
1. In I-2 occupancies, surface mounted latch release hardware, mounted to the side of the door facing away from the adjacent wall where the door is in the open position, is not exempt from the inclusion in the 7-inch maximum encroachment, regardless of its mounting height, per 2019 California Building Code, Section 1005.7.1 at Exception 1.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS:

- A. Listed acceptable alternate manufacturers: these will be considered; submit for review products with equivalent function and features of scheduled products.

ITEM:	MANUFACTURER:	ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATE:
Hinges	(IVE) Ives	University Standard
Continuous Hinges	(IVE) Ives	University Standard
Key System	(SCH) Schlage	University Standard
Mechanical Locks	(SCH) Schlage	University Standard
Electronic Locks	(SCE) Schlage Electronics	University Standard
Exit Devices	(VON) Von Duprin	University Standard
Closers	(LCN) LCN	University Standard
Auto Flush Bolts	(IVE) Ives	DCI
Coordinators	(IVE) Ives	DCI
Silencers	(IVE) Ives	Rockwood, Trimco
Push & Pull Plates	(IVE) Ives	Rockwood, Trimco
Kickplates	(IVE) Ives	Rockwood, Trimco
Stops & Holders	(IVE) Ives	Rockwood, Trimco
Overhead Stops	(GLY) Glynn-Johnson	ABH
Thresholds	(ZER) Zero	NGP, Pemko
Seals & Bottoms	(ZER) Zero	NGP, Pemko

### 2 HINGING METHODS:

- A. Drawings typically depict doors at 90 degrees, doors will actually swing to maximum allowable. Use wide-throw conventional or continuous hinges as needed up to 8 inches in width to allow door to stand parallel to wall for true 180-degree opening. Advise architect if 8-inch width is insufficient.
- B. Conform to manufacturer's published hinge selection standard for door dimensions, weight and frequency, and to hinge selection as scheduled. Where manufacturer's standard exceeds the scheduled product, furnish the heavier of the two choices, notify Architect of deviation from scheduled hardware.
- C. Conventional Hinges: Steel or stainless steel pins and approved bearings. Hinge open widths minimum, but of sufficient throw to permit maximum door swing.
1. Outswinging exterior doors: non-ferrous with non-removable (NRP) pins.

2. Non-ferrous material exteriors and at doors subject to corrosive atmospheric conditions.

**D. Continuous Hinges:**

1. Geared-type aluminum.
  - a) Use wide-throw units where needed for maximum degree of swing, advise architect if commonly available hinges are insufficient.
  - b) If units are used at storefront openings, color-coordinate hinge finish with storefront color. Custom anodizing and custom powdercoat finishes subject to Architect approval.

**2.3 LOCKSETS, LATCHSETS, DEADBOLTS:**

**A. Mortise Locksets and Latchsets: as scheduled.**

1. Chassis: cold-rolled steel, handing field-changeable without disassembly.
2. Universal lock case – 10 functions in one case.
3. Floating mounting tabs automatically adjusts to fit a beveled door edge.
4. Latchbolts: 0.75 inch throw stainless steel anti-friction type.
5. Lever Trim: through-bolted, accessible design, cast lever or solid extruded bar type levers as scheduled. Filled hollow tube design unacceptable.
  - a) Spindles: security design independent breakaway. Breakage of outside lever does not allow access to inside lever's hubworks to gain wrongful entry.
  - b) Inside lever applied by screwless shank mounting – no exposed trim mount screws.
  - c) Levers rotate up or down for ease of use.
  - d) Vandalgard locks: locked lever freely rotates down while remaining securely locked. This feature prevents damage to internal lock components when subjected to excessive force.
6. Furnish solid cylinder collars with wave springs. Wall of collar to cover rim of mortise cylinder.
7. Turnpieces: accessible offset turn-lever design not requiring pinching or twisting motions to operate.
8. Deadbolts: stainless steel 1-inch throw.
9. Electric operation: Manufacturer-installed continuous duty solenoid.
10. Strikes: 16 gage curved steel, bronze or brass with 1 inch deep box construction, lips of sufficient length to clear trim and protect clothing.
11. Scheduled Lock Series and Design: Schlage L series, 17N design.
12. Certifications:
  - a) ANSI A156.13, Grade 1 Operational.
  - b) ANSI/ASTM F476-84 Grade 31 UL Listed.
13. Accessibility: Require not more than 5 lb to retract the latchbolt or deadbolt, or both, per CBC 2019 11B-404.2.7 and 11B-309.4.

**B. Extra Heavy Duty Cylindrical Locks and Latches: as scheduled.**

1. Chassis: cylindrical design, corrosion-resistant plated cold-rolled steel, through-bolted.
2. Locking Spindle: stainless steel, integrated spring and spindle design.
3. Latch Retractors: forged steel. Balance of inner parts: corrosion-resistant plated steel, or stainless steel.
4. Latchbolt: solid steel.
5. Backset: 2.75 inches typically, more or less as needed to accommodate frame, door or other hardware.

6. Lever Trim: accessible design, independent operation, spring-cage supported, minimum 2.00 inches clearance from lever mid-point to door face.
7. Electric operation: Manufacturer-installed continuous duty solenoid.
8. Strikes: 16 gage curved steel, bronze or brass with 1.00 inch deep box construction, lips of sufficient length to clear trim and protect clothing.
9. Lock Series and Design: Schlage ND series, Sparta design.
10. Certifications:
  - a) ANSI A156.2, Series 4000, Grade 1.
  - b) UL listed for A label and lesser class single doors up to 4 feet x 8 feet.
11. Accessibility: Require not more than 5 lb to retract the latchbolt or deadbolt, or both, per CBC 2019 11B-404.2.7 and 11B-309.4

## 2.4 EXIT DEVICES / PANIC HARDWARE

### A. General features:

1. Independent lab-tested 1,000,000 cycles.
2. Push-through push-pad design. No exposed push-pad fasteners, no exposed cavities when operated. Return stroke fluid dampeners and rubber bottoming dampeners, plus anti-rattle devices.
3. Deadlocking latchbolts, 0.75 inch projection.
4. End caps: impact-resistant, flush-mounted. No raised edges or lips to catch carts or other equipment.
5. No exposed screws to show through glass doors.
6. Non-handed basic device design with center case interchangeable with all functions, no extra parts required to effect change of function.
7. Releasable in normal operation with 15-pound maximum operating force per UBC Standard 10-4, and with 32-pound maximum pressure under 250-pound load to the door.
8. Exterior doors scheduled with XP-series devices: Static load force resistance of at least 2000 pounds.
9. Accessibility: Require not more than 5 lb to retract the latchbolt, per CBC 2019 11B-404.2.7 and 11B-309.4.
  - a) Mechanical method: Von Duprin "AX-" feature, where touchpad directly retracts the latchbolt with 5 lb or less of force. Provide testing lab certification confirming that the mechanical device is independent third-party tested to meet this 5 lb requirement.
  - b) Electrical method: Von Duprin's "RX-QEL-", where lightly pressing the touchpad with 5 lb or less of force closes an electric switch, activating quiet electric latch retraction.

### B. Specific features:

1. Non-Fire Rated Devices: cylinder dogging with indicator.
2. Lever Trim: breakaway type, forged brass or bronze escutcheon min. 0.130 inch thickness, compression spring drive, match lockset lever design.
3. Fire-Labeled Devices: UL label indicating "Fire Exit Hardware". Vertical rod devices less bottom rod (LBR) unless otherwise scheduled.
4. Electrically Operated Devices: Single manufacturer source for electric latch retraction devices, electrically controlled trim, power transfers, power supplies, monitoring switches and controls.
5. Removable Mullions: Removable with single turn of building key. Securely reinstalled without need for key. Furnish storage brackets for securely stowing the mullion away from the door when removed.
6. Accepted substitutions: None, University Standard.

## 2.5 CLOSERS

### A. Surface Closers: 4041XP

1. Full rack-and-pinion type cylinder with removable non-ferrous cover and cast iron body. Double heat-treated pinion shaft, single piece forged piston, chrome-silicon steel spring.
2. ISO 2000 certified. Units stamped with date-of-manufacture code.
3. Independent lab-tested 10,000,000 cycles.
4. Non-sized, non-handed, and adjustable. Place closer inside building, stairs, and rooms.
5. Plates, brackets and special templating when needed for interface with particular header, door and wall conditions and neighboring hardware.
6. Adjust doors to open with not more than 5.0-pounds pressure to open at exterior doors and 5.0-pounds at interior doors. As allowed per 2016 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.9, local authority may increase the allowable pressure for fire doors to achieve positive latching, but not to exceed 15-pounds.
  - a) Exception: exterior doors' pressure-to-open may be increased to 8.5-pounds if: at a single location, and one of a bank of eight leaves or fraction of eight, and one leaf of this bank is fitted with a low- or high-energy operator.
7. Separate adjusting valves for closing speed, latching speed and backcheck, fourth valve for delayed action where scheduled.
8. Extra-duty arms (EDA) at exterior doors scheduled with parallel arm units.
9. Exterior door closers: tested to 100 hours of ASTM B117 salt spray test, furnish data on request.
10. Exterior doors: seasonal adjustments not required for temperatures from 120 degrees F to -30 degrees F, furnish checking fluid data on request.
11. Non-flaming fluid, will not fuel door or floor covering fires.
12. Pressure Relief Valves (PRV) not permitted.
13. Accepted substitutions: None, University Standard.

### B. LCN Senior Swing:

1. Comply with ANSI/BHMA 156.19 and 2019 California Building Code Section 11B-404.2.9, Exception 2: Electric power-open and close operation. Modular construction. Finished metal cover. Field-adjustable opening force, opening speed, time-open, closing and latching speeds. Door reopens and timing cycle restores if system reactivated during closing cycle. Breakaway clutch protection from forced closing. Door, frame, motor and drive train protected by attenuated initiation of opening cycle.
2. Self-contained low-voltage power supply, terminal strip and sequencing for incorporation of electric hardware with system operation.
3. Actuators: as scheduled
  - a) Vertical bar type: minimum 2 inches wide by 30 inches in height. Locate bar with bottom 5 inches maximum above finish floor, and top 35 inches minimum above finish floor.
  - b) Actuators of either type: display International Symbol of Accessibility (ISA) pictogram.
4. Safety sensors: as scheduled.

## 2.6 OTHER HARDWARE

- A. Automatic Flush Bolts: Low operating force design.
- B. Overhead Stops: Non-plastic mechanisms and finished metal end caps. Field-changeable hold-open, friction and stop-only functions.

- C. Kick Plates: Four beveled edges, .050 inches minimum thickness, height and width as scheduled. Sheet-metal screws of bronze or stainless steel to match other hardware.
- D. Door Stops: Provide stops to protect walls, casework or other hardware.
  - 1. Unless otherwise noted in Hardware Sets, provide floor type with appropriate fasteners. Where floor type cannot be used, provide wall type. If neither can be used, provide overhead type.
  - 2. Locate overhead stops for maximum possible opening. Consult with Owner for furniture locations. Minimum: 90deg stop / 95deg deadstop. Note degree of opening in submittal.
- E. Thresholds: As scheduled and per details. Comply with CBC 2019 11B-404.2.5. Substitute products: certify that the products equal or exceed specified material's thickness. Proposed substitutions: submit for approval.
  - 1. Saddle thresholds: 0.125 inches minimum thickness.
  - 2. Exteriors: Seal perimeter to exclude water and vermin. Use sealant complying with requirements in Division 7 "Thermal and Moisture Protection". Minimum 0.25 inch diameter fasteners and lead expansion shield anchors, or Red-Head #SFS-1420 (or approved equivalent) Flat Head Sleeve Anchors. National Guard Products' "COMBO" or Pemko Manufacturing's "FHSL".
  - 3. Fire-rated openings, 90-minutes or less duration: use thresholds to interrupt floor covering material under the door where that material has a critical radiant flux value less than 0.22 watts per square centimeter, per NFPA 253. Use threshold unit as scheduled. If none scheduled, include a 0.25in high 5in wide saddle in the bid, and request direction from Architect.
  - 4. Fire-rated openings, 3-hour duration: Thresholds, where scheduled, to extend full jamb depth.
  - 5. Acoustic openings: Set units in full bed of Division-7-compliant, leave no air space between threshold and substrate.
  - 6. Plastic plugs with wood or sheet metal screws are not an acceptable substitute for specified fastening methods.
  - 7. Fasteners: Generally, exposed screws to be Phillips or Robertson drive. Pinned TORX drive at high security areas. Flat head sleeve anchors (FHSL) may be slotted drive. Sheet metal and wood screws: full-thread. Sleeve nuts: full length to prevent door compression.
- F. Through-bolts: Do not use. Coordinate with wood doors; ensure provision of proper blocking to support wood screws for mounting panic hardware and door closers. Coordinate with metal doors and frames; ensure provision of proper reinforcement to support machine screws for mounting panic hardware and door closers.
  - 1. Exception: surface-mounted overhead stops, holders, and friction stays.
- G. Silencers: Interior hollow metal frames, 3 for single doors, 4 for pairs of doors. Leave no unfilled/uncovered pre-punched silencer holes. Intent: door bears against silencers, seals make minimal contact with minimal compression – only enough to effect a seal.

## 2.7 FINISH:

- A. Generally: BHMA 626 Satin Chromium and BHMA 613 Oxidized and Oil Rubbed Bronze.
  - 1. Areas using BHMA 626: furnish push-plates, pulls and protection plates of BHMA 630, Satin Stainless Steel, unless otherwise scheduled.
- B. Door closers: factory powder coated to match other hardware, unless otherwise noted.

## 2.8 KEYING REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Key System: Schlage keyway, interchangeable core. For estimate use factory GMK charge. Initiate and conduct meeting(s) with Owner and Supplier representatives to determine system requirements and keybow styles. Furnish Owner's written approval of the system; do not order keys or cylinders without written confirmation of actual requirements from the Owner. Owner will receive permanent cores. Contractor will install permanent cores.
- B. Keys:
  - 1. Existing factory registered master key system.
  - 2. Construction keying: furnish temporary keyed-alike cores. Remove at substantial completion and install permanent cores in Owner's presence. Demonstrate that construction key no longer operates.
  - 3. Furnish 10 construction keys.
  - 4. Furnish 2 Emergency keys per each L9485 Faculty Restroom Lock
  - 5. Furnish 2 construction control keys.
- C. Key Cylinders: furnish 6-pin solid brass construction.
- D. Cylinder cores: furnish keyed at factory of lock manufacturer where permanent records are maintained. Locks and cylinders same manufacturer.
- E. Permanent keys: use secured shipment direct from point of origination to Owner.
  - 1. For estimate: 3 keys per change combination, 5 master keys per group, 5 grand-master keys, 3 control keys.
  - 2. For estimate: VKC stamping plus "DO NOT DUPLICATE".
- F. Bitting List: use secured shipment direct from point of origination to Owner upon completion.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 ACCEPTABLE INSTALLERS:

- A. Can read and understand manufacturers' templates, suppliers' hardware schedule and printed installation instructions. Can readily distinguish drywall screws from manufacturers' furnished fasteners. Available to meet with manufacturers' representatives and related trades to discuss installation of hardware.

### 3.2 PREPARATION:

- A. Ensure that walls and frames are square and plumb before hardware installation. Make corrections before commencing hardware installation. Installation denotes acceptance of wall/frame condition.
- B. Locate hardware per SDI-100 and applicable building, fire, life-safety, accessibility, and security codes.
  - 1. Notify Architect of code conflicts before ordering material.
  - 2. Locate latching hardware between 34 inches to 44 inches above the finished floor, per California Building Code, Section 1010.1.9.2 and 11B-404.2.7.
  - 3. Locate panic hardware between 36 inches to 44 inches above the finished floor.
  - 4. Where new hardware is to be installed near existing doors/hardware scheduled to remain, match locations of existing hardware.

- C. Overhead stops: before installing, determine proposed locations of furniture items, fixtures, and other items to be protected by the overhead stop's action.

### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install hardware per manufacturer's instructions and recommendations. Do not install surface-mounted items until finishes have been completed on substrate. Set units level, plumb and true to line and location. Adjust and reinforce attachment substrate for proper installation and operation. Remove and reinstall or replace work deemed defective by Architect.
1. Gaskets: install jamb-applied gaskets before closers, overhead stops, rim strikes, etc; fasten hardware over and through these seals. Install sweeps across bottoms of doors before astragals, cope sweeps around bottom pivots, trim astragals to tops of sweeps.
  2. When hardware is to be attached to existing metal surface and insufficient reinforcement exists, use RivNuts, NutSerts or similar anchoring device for screws.
  3. Use manufacturers' fasteners furnished with hardware items, or submit Request for Substitution with Architect.
  4. Replace fasteners damaged by power-driven tools.
- B. Locate floor stops no more than 4 inches from walls and not within paths of travel. See paragraph 2.2 regarding hinge widths, door should be well clear of point of wall reveal. Point of door contact no closer to the hinge edge than half the door width. Where situation is questionable or difficult, contact Architect for direction.
- C. Core concrete for exterior door stop anchors. Set anchors in approved non-shrink grout.
- D. Locate overhead stops for minimum 90 degrees at rest and for maximum allowable degree of swing.
- E. Drill pilot holes for fasteners in wood doors and/or frames.
- F. Lubricate and adjust existing hardware scheduled to remain. Carefully remove and give to Owner items not scheduled for reuse.

### 3.4. ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust and check for proper operation and function. Replace units, which cannot be adjusted to operate freely and smoothly.
1. Hardware damaged by improper installation or adjustment methods: repair or replace to Owner's satisfaction.
  2. Adjust doors to fully latch with no more than 1 pound of pressure.
    - a) Door closer valves: turn valves clockwise until at bottom – do not force. Turn valves back out one and one-half turns and begin adjustment process from that point. Do not force valves beyond three full turns counterclockwise.
  3. Adjust delayed-action closers on fire-rated doors to fully close from fully-opened position in no more than 10 seconds.
  4. Adjust door closers per 1.9 this section.
- B. Inspection of fire door assemblies and means-of-egress panic-hardware doors: Per 2016 NFPA-80 5.2.1: hire an independent third-party inspection service to prepare a report listing these doors, and include a statement that there are zero deficiencies with the fire-rated assemblies and the openings with panic hardware.
- C. Fire-rated doors:

1. Wood doors: adjust to 0.125 inches clearance at heads, jambs, and meeting stiles.
2. Steel doors: adjust to 0.063 inches minimum to 0.188 inches maximum clearance at heads, jambs, and meeting stiles.
3. Adjust wood and steel doors to 0.75 inches maximum clearance (undercut) above threshold or finish floor material under door.

**D.** Final inspection: Installer to provide letter to Owner that upon completion installer has visited the Project and has accomplished the following:

1. Has re-adjusted hardware.
2. Has evaluated maintenance procedures and recommend changes or additions, and instructed Owner's personnel.
3. Has identified items that have deteriorated or failed.
4. Has submitted written report identifying problems.

### **3.5 DEMONSTRATION:**

- A. Demonstrate mechanical hardware and electrical, electronic and pneumatic hardware systems, including adjustment and maintenance procedures.

### **3.6 PROTECTION/CLEANING:**

- A. Cover installed hardware, protect from paint, cleaning agents, weathering, carts/barrows, etc. Remove covering materials and clean hardware just prior to substantial completion.
- B. Clean adjacent wall, frame and door surfaces soiled from installation /reinstallation process.

## SECTION 092900

### GYPSUM BOARD

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Interior gypsum board.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Store materials inside under cover and keep them dry and protected against weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction traffic, and other potential causes of damage. Stack panels flat and supported on risers on a flat platform to prevent sagging.
- 1.5 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Environmental Limitations: Comply with ASTM C 840 requirements or gypsum board manufacturer's written recommendations, whichever are more stringent.
  - B. Do not install paper-faced gypsum panels until installation areas are enclosed and conditioned.
  - C. Do not install panels that are wet, those that are moisture damaged, and those that are mold damaged.
    - 1. Indications that panels are wet or moisture damaged include, but are not limited to, discoloration, sagging, or irregular shape.
    - 2. Indications that panels are mold damaged include, but are not limited to, fuzzy or splotchy surface contamination and discoloration.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Fire-Resistance-Rated Assemblies: For fire-resistance-rated assemblies, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 119 by an independent testing agency.
  - B. STC-Rated Assemblies: For STC-rated assemblies, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated according to ASTM E 90 and classified according to ASTM E 413 by an independent testing agency.
- 2.2 GYPSUM BOARD, GENERAL
  - A. Size: Provide maximum lengths and widths available that will minimize joints in each area and that correspond with support system indicated.
- 2.3 INTERIOR GYPSUM BOARD
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - 1. American Gypsum.
    - 2. CertainTeed Corp.
    - 3. Georgia-Pacific Gypsum LLC.
    - 4. National Gypsum Company.
    - 5. Temple-Inland.
    - 6. USG Corporation.

2.4 TRIM ACCESSORIES

- A. Interior Trim: ASTM C 1047.
  - 1. Material: Galvanized or aluminum-coated steel sheet or rolled zinc.
  - 2. Shapes:
    - a. Cornerbead.
    - b. Bullnose bead.
    - c. LC-Bead: J-shaped; exposed long flange receives joint compound.
    - d. L-Bead: L-shaped; exposed long flange receives joint compound.
    - e. U-Bead: J-shaped; exposed short flange does not receive joint compound.
    - f. Expansion (control) joint.

2.5 JOINT TREATMENT MATERIALS

- A. General: Comply with ASTM C 475/C 475M.
- B. Joint Tape:
  - 1. Interior Gypsum Board: Paper.
  - 2. Exterior Gypsum Soffit Board: Paper.
  - 3. Glass-Mat Gypsum Sheathing Board: 10-by-10 glass mesh.
  - 4. Tile Backing Panels: As recommended by panel manufacturer.
- C. Joint Compound for Interior Gypsum Board: For each coat use formulation that is compatible with other compounds applied on previous or for successive coats.
  - 1. Prefilling: At open joints, rounded or beveled panel edges, and damaged surface areas, use setting-type taping compound.
  - 2. Embedding and First Coat: For embedding tape and first coat on joints, fasteners, and trim flanges, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.
    - a. Use setting-type compound for installing paper-faced metal trim accessories.
  - 3. Fill Coat: For second coat, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.
  - 4. Finish Coat: For third coat, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.
  - 5. Skim Coat: For final coat of Level 5 finish, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.

2.6 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. General: Provide auxiliary materials that comply with referenced installation standards and manufacturer's written recommendations.
- B. Steel Drill Screws: ASTM C 1002, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Use screws complying with ASTM C 954 for fastening panels to steel members from 0.033 to 0.112 inch thick.
  - 2. For fastening cementitious backer units, use screws of type and size recommended by panel manufacturer.

**PART 3 - EXECUTION**

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and substrates including welded hollow-metal frames and framing, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. Examine panels before installation. Reject panels that are wet, moisture damaged, and mold damaged.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 APPLYING AND FINISHING PANELS, GENERAL

- A. Comply with ASTM C 840.
- B. Install ceiling panels across framing to minimize the number of abutting end joints and to avoid abutting end joints in central area of each ceiling. Stagger abutting end joints of adjacent panels not less than one framing member.
- C. Install panels with face side out. Butt panels together for a light contact at edges and ends with not more than 1/16 inch of open space between panels. Do not force into place.
- D. Locate edge and end joints over supports, except in ceiling applications where intermediate supports or gypsum board back-blocking is provided behind end joints. Do not place tapered edges against cut edges or ends. Stagger vertical joints on opposite sides of partitions. Do not make joints other than control joints at corners of framed openings.
- E. Form control and expansion joints with space between edges of adjoining gypsum panels.
- F. Cover both faces of support framing with gypsum panels in concealed spaces (above ceilings, etc., except in chases braced internally).
  - 1. Unless concealed application is indicated or required for sound, fire, air, or smoke ratings, coverage may be accomplished with scraps of not less than 8 sq. ft. in area.

2. Fit gypsum panels around ducts, pipes, and conduits.
  3. Where partitions intersect structural members projecting below underside of floor/roof slabs and decks, cut gypsum panels to fit profile formed by structural members; allow 1/4- to 3/8-inch- wide joints to install sealant.
- G. Isolate perimeter of gypsum board applied to non-load-bearing partitions at structural abutments, except floors. Provide 1/4- to 1/2-inch- wide spaces at these locations and trim edges with edge trim where edges of panels are exposed. Seal joints between edges and abutting structural surfaces with acoustical sealant.
- H. Attachment to Steel Framing: Attach panels so leading edge or end of each panel is attached to open (unsupported) edges of stud flanges first.
- I. STC-Rated Assemblies: Seal construction at perimeters, behind control joints, and at openings and penetrations with a continuous bead of acoustical sealant. Install acoustical sealant at both faces of partitions at perimeters and through penetrations. Comply with ASTM C 919 and with manufacturer's written recommendations for locating edge trim and closing off sound-flanking paths around or through assemblies, including sealing partitions above acoustical ceilings.
- J. Install sound attenuation blankets before installing gypsum panels unless blankets are readily installed after panels have been installed on one side.
- 3.3 APPLYING INTERIOR GYPSUM BOARD
- A. Install interior gypsum board in the following locations:
1. Wallboard Type: Vertical surfaces unless otherwise indicated.
  2. Type X: Vertical surfaces unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Single-Layer Application:
1. On ceilings, apply gypsum panels before wall/partition board application to greatest extent possible and at right angles to framing unless otherwise indicated.
  2. On partitions/walls, apply gypsum panels vertically (parallel to framing) unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly, and minimize end joints.
    - a. Stagger abutting end joints not less than one framing member in alternate courses of panels.
    - b. At high walls, install panels horizontally unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly.
  3. On Z-furring members, apply gypsum panels vertically (parallel to framing) with no end joints. Locate edge joints over furring members.
  4. Fastening Methods: Apply gypsum panels to supports with steel drill screws.
- C. Multilayer Application:
1. On ceilings, apply gypsum board indicated for base layers before applying base layers on walls/partitions; apply face layers in same sequence. Apply base layers at right angles to framing members and offset face-layer joints one framing member, 16 inches minimum, from parallel base-layer joints, unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly.
  2. On partitions/walls, apply gypsum board indicated for base layers and face layers vertically (parallel to framing) with joints of base layers located over stud or furring member and face-layer joints offset at least one stud or furring member with base-layer joints, unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly. Stagger joints on opposite sides of partitions.
  3. On Z-furring members, apply base layer vertically (parallel to framing) and face layer either vertically (parallel to framing) or horizontally (perpendicular to framing) with vertical joints offset at least one furring member. Locate edge joints of base layer over furring members.
  4. Fastening Methods: Fasten base layers and face layers separately to supports with screws.
- 3.4 INSTALLING TRIM ACCESSORIES
- A. General: For trim with back flanges intended for fasteners, attach to framing with same fasteners used for panels. Otherwise, attach trim according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Control Joints: Install control joints according to ASTM C 840 and in specific locations approved by Architect for visual effect.
- C. Interior Trim: Install in the following locations:
1. Cornerbead: Use at outside corners unless otherwise indicated.
  2. LC-Bead: Use at exposed panel edges.
  3. Curved-Edge Cornerbead: Use at curved openings.

3.5 FINISHING GYPSUM BOARD

- A. General: Treat gypsum board joints, interior angles, edge trim, control joints, penetrations, fastener heads, surface defects, and elsewhere as required to prepare gypsum board surfaces for decoration. Promptly remove residual joint compound from adjacent surfaces.
- B. Prefill open joints, rounded or beveled edges, and damaged surface areas.
- C. Apply joint tape over gypsum board joints, except for trim products specifically indicated as not intended to receive tape.
- D. Gypsum Board Finish Levels: Finish panels to levels indicated below and according to ASTM C 840:
  - 1. Level 1: Ceiling plenum areas, concealed areas, and where indicated.
  - 2. Level 2: Panels that are substrate for tile Panels that are substrate for acoustical tile Where indicated on Drawings .
  - 3. Level 3: Warehouse demising walls.
  - 4. Level 4: At panel surfaces that will be exposed to view unless otherwise indicated.
    - a. Primer and its application to surfaces are specified in other Division 09 Sections.

3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect adjacent surfaces from drywall compound and promptly remove from floors and other non-drywall surfaces. Repair surfaces stained, marred, or otherwise damaged during drywall application.
- B. Protect installed products from damage from weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction, and other causes during remainder of the construction period.
- C. Remove and replace panels that are wet, moisture damaged, and mold damaged.
  - 1. Indications that panels are wet or moisture damaged include, but are not limited to, discoloration, sagging, or irregular shape.
  - 2. Indications that panels are mold damaged include, but are not limited to, fuzzy or splotchy surface contamination and discoloration.

END OF SECTION

**SECTION 093000  
TILING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. Ceramic and porcelain wall and floor tile.
- B. Coated glass mat backer board as tile substrate.
- C. Ceramic trim.
- D. Non-ceramic trim.

**1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS**

- A. ANSI A108.1a - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile in the Wet-Set Method, with Portland Cement Mortar 2017.
- B. ANSI A108.1b - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile on a Cured Portland Cement Mortar Setting Bed with Dry-Set or Latex-Portland Cement Mortar 2017.
- C. ANSI A108.1c - Contractor's Option: Installation of Ceramic Tile in the Wet-Set Method with Portland Cement Mortar or Installation of Ceramic Tile on a Cured Portland Cement Mortar Setting Bed with Dry-Set or Latex-Portland Cement Mortar 1999 (Reaffirmed 2021).
- D. ANSI A108.4 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Organic Adhesive or Water Cleanable Tile-Setting Epoxy Adhesive 2019.
- E. ANSI A108.5 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Dry-Set Portland Cement Mortar or Latex-Portland Cement Mortar 2021.
- F. ANSI A108.6 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Chemical Resistant, Water Cleanable Tile-Setting and -Grout Epoxy 1999 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- G. ANSI A108.8 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Chemical Resistant Furan Resin Mortar and Grout 1999 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- H. ANSI A108.9 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Modified Epoxy Emulsion Mortar/Grout 1999 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- I. ANSI A108.10 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Grout in Tilework 2017.
- J. ANSI A108.11 - American National Standard Specifications for Interior Installation of Cementitious Backer Units 2018.
- K. ANSI A108.12 - American National Standard for Installation of Ceramic Tile with EGP (Exterior Glue Plywood) Latex-Portland Cement Mortar 1999 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- L. ANSI A108.13 - American National Standard for Installation of Load Bearing, Bonded, Waterproof Membranes for Thin-Set Ceramic Tile and Dimension Stone 2005 (Reaffirmed 2021).
- M. ANSI A118.7 - American National Standard Specifications for High Performance Cement Grouts for Tile Installation 2019.
- N. ANSI A118.10 - American National Standard Specifications for Load Bearing, Bonded, Waterproof Membranes for Thin-Set Ceramic Tile and Dimension Stone 2014 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- O. ANSI A118.12 - American National Standard Specifications for Crack Isolation Membranes for Thin-Set Ceramic Tile and Dimension Stone Installation 2014 (Reaffirmed 2019).
- P. ANSI A118.15 - American National Standard Specifications for Improved Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar 2019.
- Q. ANSI A136.1 - American National Standard Specifications for Organic Adhesives for Installation of Ceramic Tile 2020.
- R. ASTM C1178/C1178M - Standard Specification for Coated Glass Mat Water-Resistant Gypsum Backing Panel 2018.
- S. TCNA (HB) - Handbook for Ceramic, Glass, and Stone Tile Installation 2022.

**1.3 ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS**

- A. Preinstallation Meeting: Convene a preinstallation meeting one week before starting work of this section; require attendance by all affected installers.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide manufacturers' data sheets on tile, mortar, grout, and accessories. Include instructions for using grouts and adhesives.
- C. Shop Drawings: Indicate tile layout, patterns, color arrangement, perimeter conditions, junctions with dissimilar materials, control and expansion joints, thresholds, ceramic accessories, and setting details.
- D. Samples: Mount tile and apply grout on two plywood panels, minimum 18 by 18 inches in size illustrating pattern, color variations, and grout joint size variations.
- E. Manufacturer's Certificate: Certify that products meet or exceed specified requirements.
- F. Maintenance Data: Include recommended cleaning methods, cleaning materials, and stain removal methods.
- G. Maintenance Materials: Furnish the following for Owner's use in maintenance of project.
  - 1. See Section 016000 - Product Requirements, for additional provisions.
  - 2. Extra Tile: 1 percent of each size, color, and surface finish combination, but not less than one box of each type.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the types of products specified in this section, with minimum five years of documented experience.
- B. Installer Qualifications: Company specializing in performing tile installation, with minimum of five years of documented experience.

#### 1.6 MOCK-UP

- A. See Section 014000 - Quality Requirements, for general requirements for mock-up.
- B. Construct tile mock-up where indicated on drawings, incorporating all components specified for the location.
  - 1. Minimum size of mock-up is indicated on drawings.
  - 2. Approved mock-up may remain as part of the Work.

#### 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Protect adhesives from freezing or overheating in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

#### 1.8 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Do not install solvent-based products in an unventilated environment.
- B. Maintain ambient and substrate temperature of 50 degrees F during installation of mortar materials.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 TILE

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. Refer to Finish Legend.
  - 2. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- B. Tile Products: As scheduled.

#### 2.2 TRIM AND ACCESSORIES

- A. Ceramic Trim: Matching bullnose, double bullnose, cove base, and cove ceramic shapes in sizes coordinated with field tile.
  - 1. Applications:
    - a. Open Edges: Bullnose.
    - b. Inside Corners: Jointed.
    - c. Floor to Wall Joints: Cove base.
  - 2. Manufacturers: Same as for tile.

- B. Non-Ceramic Trim: Satin natural anodized extruded aluminum, style and dimensions to suit application, for setting using tile mortar or adhesive.
  - 1. Applications:
    - a. Open edges of wall tile.
    - b. Open edges of floor tile.
    - c. Wall corners, outside and inside.
    - d. Transition between floor finishes of different heights.
    - e. Expansion and control joints, floor and wall.
    - f. Floor to wall joints.
    - g. Borders and other trim as indicated on drawings.
  - 2. Manufacturers:
    - a. Schluter-Systems: [www.schluter.com/#sle](http://www.schluter.com/#sle).
    - b. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 23 SETTING MATERIALS

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. ARDEX Engineered Cements: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
  - 2. Bostik Inc: [www.bostik-us.com/#sle](http://www.bostik-us.com/#sle).
  - 3. Custom Building Products: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
  - 4. LATICRETE International, Inc: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
  - 5. MAPEI: [www.mapei.com](http://www.mapei.com).
  - 6. Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
  - 7. TEC, an H.B. Fuller Construction Products Brand: [www.tecspecialty.com/#sle](http://www.tecspecialty.com/#sle).
  - 8. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- B. Improved Latex-Portland Cement Mortar Bond Coat: ANSI A118.15.
  - 1. Applications: Use this type of bond coat where indicated and where no other type of bond coat is indicated.
  - 2. Products:
    - a. ARDEX Engineered Cements; S 28: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
    - b. Custom Building Products; Complete Contact-LFT Premium Rapid Setting Large Format Tile Mortar, with Multi-Surface Bonding Primer: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
    - c. LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE 254 Platinum: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
    - d. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- C. Organic Adhesive: ANSI A136.1, thinset mastic type.
  - 1. Use Type I in areas subject to prolonged moisture exposure.
  - 2. Products:
    - a. ARDEX Engineered Cements; ARDEX D14: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
    - b. Custom Building Products; ReliaBond Ceramic Tile Adhesive - Type 1: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
    - c. LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE 15 Premium Mastic: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
    - d. Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc; Merkrete Merstik: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
    - e. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 24 GROUTS

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. ARDEX Engineered Cements: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
  - 2. Bostik Inc: [www.bostik-us.com/#sle](http://www.bostik-us.com/#sle).
  - 3. Custom Building Products: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
  - 4. LATICRETE International, Inc: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
  - 5. Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
  - 6. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- B. High Performance Polymer Modified Grout: ANSI A118.7 polymer modified cement grout.
  - 1. Applications: Use this type of grout where indicated and where no other type of grout is indicated.
  - 2. Use sanded grout for joints 1/8 inch wide and larger; use unsanded grout for joints less than 1/8 inch wide.

3. Color(s): As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full line.
4. Products:
  - a. ARDEX Engineered Cements; ARDEX FL: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
  - b. Custom Building Products; Fusion Pro Single Component Grout: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
  - c. LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE PERMACOLOR Grout: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
  - d. Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc; Merkrete Pro Grout: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
  - e. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 2.5 MAINTENANCE MATERIALS

- A. Grout Sealer: Liquid-applied, moisture and stain protection for existing or new Portland cement grout.
  1. Composition: Water-based colorless silicone.
  2. Products:
    - a. Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc; Merkrete Grout Sealer: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
    - b. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 2.6 ACCESSORY MATERIALS

- A. Waterproofing Membrane at Floors: Specifically designed for bonding to cementitious substrate under thick mortar bed or thin-set tile; complying with ANSI A118.10.
  1. Crack Resistance: No failure at 1/16 inch gap, minimum; comply with ANSI A118.12.
  2. Fluid or Trowel Applied Type:
    - a. Material: Synthetic rubber or Acrylic.
    - b. Thickness: 25 mils, minimum, dry film thickness.
    - c. Products:
      - 1) ARDEX Engineered Cements; ARDEX 8+9: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
      - 2) Custom Building Products; RedGard Crack Prevention and Waterproofing Membrane: [www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle](http://www.custombuildingproducts.com/#sle).
      - 3) LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE HYDRO BAN: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
      - 4) Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc; Merkrete Hydro Guard 2000: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
      - 5) Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
  3. Bonded Sheet Membrane Type:
    - a. Material: Polyethylene sheet membrane with non-woven fabric laminated to both sides, 20 to 30 mils thick, nominal.
    - b. Products:
      - 1) ARDEX Engineered Cements; ARDEX SK 175: [www.ardexamericas.com/#sle](http://www.ardexamericas.com/#sle).
      - 2) LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE HYDRO BAN Sheet Membrane: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
      - 3) Noble Company; NobleSeal TS: [www.noblecompany.com/#sle](http://www.noblecompany.com/#sle).
      - 4) Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- B. Waterproofing Membrane at Showers and Tiled Tubs: Specifically designed for bonding to cementitious substrate under thick mortar bed or thin-set tile; complying with ANSI A118.10.
  1. Fluid or Trowel Applied Type:
    - a. Material: Synthetic rubber.
    - b. Products:
      - 1) LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE HYDRO BAN: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
      - 2) Merkrete, by Parex USA, Inc; Merkrete Hydro Guard 2000: [www.merkrete.com/#sle](http://www.merkrete.com/#sle).
      - 3) Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- C. Reinforcing Mesh: 2 by 2 inch size weave of 16/16 wire size; welded fabric, galvanized.
- D. Backer Board: Coated glass mat type complying with ASTM C1178/C1178M; inorganic fiberglass mat on both surfaces and integral acrylic coating vapor retarder.
  1. Fire Resistant Type: Type X core, thickness 5/8 inch.
- E. Mesh Tape: 2 inch wide self-adhesive fiberglass mesh tape.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify that sub-floor surfaces are smooth and flat within the tolerances specified for that type of work and are ready to receive tile.
- B. Verify that wall surfaces are smooth and flat within the tolerances specified for that type of work, are dust-free, and are ready to receive tile.
- C. Verify that sub-floor surfaces are dust-free and free of substances that could impair bonding of setting materials to sub-floor surfaces.
- D. Verify that concrete sub-floor surfaces are ready for tile installation by testing for moisture emission rate and alkalinity; obtain instructions if test results are not within limits recommended by tile manufacturer and setting materials manufacturer.
- E. Verify that required floor-mounted utilities are in correct location.

### **3.2 PREPARATION**

- A. Protect surrounding work from damage.
- B. Vacuum clean surfaces and damp clean.
- C. Seal substrate surface cracks with filler. Level existing substrate surfaces to acceptable flatness tolerances.
- D. Install backer board in accordance with ANSI A108.11 and board manufacturer's instructions. Tape joints and corners, cover with skim coat of setting material to a feather edge.
- E. Prepare substrate surfaces for adhesive installation in accordance with adhesive manufacturer's instructions.

### **3.3 INSTALLATION - GENERAL**

- A. Install tile, thresholds, and stair treads and grout in accordance with applicable requirements of ANSI A108.1a through ANSI A108.13, manufacturer's instructions, and TCNA (HB) recommendations.
- B. Lay tile to pattern indicated. Do not interrupt tile pattern through openings.
- C. Cut and fit tile to penetrations through tile, leaving sealant joint space. Form corners and bases neatly. Align floor joints.
- D. Place tile joints uniform in width, subject to variance in tolerance allowed in tile size. Make grout joints without voids, cracks, excess mortar or excess grout, or too little grout.
- E. Form internal angles square and external angles bullnosed.
- F. Install non-ceramic trim in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- G. Sound tile after setting. Replace hollow sounding units.
- H. Keep control and expansion joints free of mortar, grout, and adhesive.
- I. Prior to grouting, allow installation to completely cure; minimum of 48 hours.
- J. Grout tile joints unless otherwise indicated. Use standard grout unless otherwise indicated.
- K. At changes in plane and tile-to-tile control joints, use tile sealant instead of grout, with either bond breaker tape or backer rod as appropriate to prevent three-sided bonding.

### **3.4 INSTALLATION - FLOORS - THIN-SET METHODS**

- A. Over interior concrete substrates, install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method F116, organic adhesive, with standard grout, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Use uncoupling membrane under all tile unless other underlayment is indicated.
  - 2. Where waterproofing membrane is indicated, install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method F122, with latex-Portland cement grout.

### **3.5 INSTALLATION - WALL TILE**

- A. Over coated glass mat backer board on studs, install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method W245.
- B. Over gypsum wallboard on wood or metal studs install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method W243, thin-set with dry-set or latex-Portland cement bond coat, unless otherwise indicated.

1. Where waterproofing membrane is indicated , install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method W222, one coat method.

3.6 CLEANING

- A. Clean tile and grout surfaces.

3.7 PROTECTION

- A. Do not permit traffic over finished floor surface for 4 days after installation.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 096500  
RESILIENT FLOORING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
- A. Resilient tile flooring.
  - B. Resilient base.
  - C. Installation accessories.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
- A. ASTM E648 - Standard Test Method for Critical Radiant Flux of Floor-Covering Systems Using a Radiant Heat Energy Source 2019a, with Editorial Revision (2020).
  - B. ASTM F710 - Standard Practice for Preparing Concrete Floors to Receive Resilient Flooring 2021.
  - C. ASTM F1066 - Standard Specification for Vinyl Composition Floor Tile 2004 (Reapproved 2018).
  - D. ASTM F1861 - Standard Specification for Resilient Wall Base 2021.
  - E. NFPA 253 - Standard Method of Test for Critical Radiant Flux of Floor Covering Systems Using a Radiant Heat Energy Source 2023.
  - F. RFCI (RWP) - Recommended Work Practices for Removal of Resilient Floor Coverings 2011.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
- A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Provide data on specified products, describing physical and performance characteristics; including sizes, patterns and colors available; and installation instructions.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Indicate floor patterns.
  - D. Verification Samples: Submit two samples, in size illustrating color and pattern for each resilient flooring product specified.
  - E. Concrete Subfloor Test Report: Submit a copy of the moisture and alkalinity (pH) test reports.
  - F. Certification: Prior to installation of flooring, submit written certification by flooring manufacturer and adhesive manufacturer that condition of subfloor is acceptable.
  - G. Maintenance Data: Include maintenance procedures, recommended maintenance materials, and suggested schedule for cleaning, stripping, and re-waxing.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing specified flooring with minimum three years documented experience.
  - B. Installer Qualifications: Company specializing in installing specified flooring with minimum three years documented experience.
  - C. Testing Agency Qualifications: Independent firm specializing in performing concrete slab moisture testing and inspections of the type specified in this section.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
- A. Upon receipt, immediately remove any shrink-wrap and check materials for damage and the correct style, color, quantity and run numbers.
  - B. Store all materials off of the floor in an acclimatized, weather-tight space.
  - C. Maintain temperature in storage area between 55 degrees F and 90 degrees F.
  - D. Protect roll materials from damage by storing on end.
  - E. Do not double stack pallets.
- 1.6 FIELD CONDITIONS
- A. Store materials for not less than 48 hours prior to installation in area of installation at a temperature of 70 degrees F to achieve temperature stability. Thereafter, maintain conditions above 55 degrees F.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.1 TILE FLOORING

- A. Vinyl Composition Tile - Type [\_\_\_\_]: Homogeneous, with color extending throughout thickness.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Armstrong Flooring: [www.armstrongflooring.com/#sle](http://www.armstrongflooring.com/#sle).
    - b. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
  - 2. Minimum Requirements: Comply with ASTM F1066, of Class corresponding to type specified.
  - 3. Critical Radiant Flux (CRF): Minimum 0.45 watt per square centimeter, when tested in accordance with ASTM E648 or NFPA 253.
  - 4. Size: 12 by 24 inch.
  - 5. Thickness: 0.125 inch.
  - 6. Products: As scheduled.

### 2.2 RESILIENT BASE

- A. Resilient Base: ASTM F1861, Type TS rubber, vulcanized thermoset; style as scheduled.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Burke Flooring: [www.burkeflooring.com/#sle](http://www.burkeflooring.com/#sle).
    - b. Johnsonite, a Tarkett Company: [www.johnsonite.com/#sle](http://www.johnsonite.com/#sle).
    - c. Mannington Commercial: [www.manningtoncommercial.com/#sle](http://www.manningtoncommercial.com/#sle).
    - d. Roppe Corp: [www.roppe.com/#sle](http://www.roppe.com/#sle).
    - e. Tarkett: [commercial.tarkett.com/en\\_us/](http://commercial.tarkett.com/en_us/)
    - f. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
  - 2. Height: 4 inch.
  - 3. Thickness: 0.125 inch.
  - 4. Finish: Satin.
  - 5. Color: As indicated on drawings.
  - 6. Accessories: Premolded external corners and internal corners.
  - 7. Acceptable Products: As scheduled.

### 2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Subfloor Filler: White premix latex; type recommended by adhesive material manufacturer.
- B. Primers and Adhesives: Waterproof; types recommended by flooring manufacturer.
- C. Adhesive for Vinyl Flooring:
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. H.B. Fuller Construction Products, Inc; TEC Flexera Premium Universal Adhesive: [www.tecspecialty.com/#sle](http://www.tecspecialty.com/#sle).
    - b. Stauf USA, LLC: [www.staufusa.com/#sle](http://www.staufusa.com/#sle).
    - c. Substitutions: Section 01 6000 - Product Requirements.
- D. Moldings, Transition and Edge Strips: Vinyl.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- E. Filler for Cove Base: Plastic.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that surfaces are flat to tolerances acceptable to flooring manufacturer, free of cracks that might telegraph through flooring, clean, dry, and free of curing compounds, surface hardeners, and other chemicals that might interfere with bonding of flooring to substrate.
- B. Verify that wall surfaces are smooth and flat within the tolerances specified for that type of work, are dust-free, and are ready to receive resilient base.
- C. Cementitious Subfloor Surfaces: Verify that substrates are ready for resilient flooring installation by testing for moisture and alkalinity (pH).

1. Obtain instructions if test results are not within limits recommended by resilient flooring manufacturer and adhesive materials manufacturer.
- D. Verify that required floor-mounted utilities are in correct location.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Remove existing resilient flooring and flooring adhesives; follow the recommendations of RFCI (RWP).
- B. Prepare floor substrates as recommended by flooring and adhesive manufacturers.
- C. Remove subfloor ridges and bumps. Fill minor low spots, cracks, joints, holes, and other defects with subfloor filler to achieve smooth, flat, hard surface.
- D. Prohibit traffic until filler is fully cured.
- E. Clean substrate.
- F. Apply primer as required to prevent "bleed-through" or interference with adhesion by substances that cannot be removed.

3.3 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

- A. Starting installation constitutes acceptance of subfloor conditions.
- B. Install in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.

3.4 INSTALLATION - TILE FLOORING

- A. Mix tile from container to ensure shade variations are consistent when tile is placed, unless otherwise indicated in manufacturer's installation instructions.
- B. Tile Pattern: As indicated.

3.5 INSTALLATION - RESILIENT BASE

- A. Fit joints tightly and make vertical. Maintain minimum dimension of 18 inches between joints.
- B. Miter internal corners. At external corners, use premolded units. At exposed ends, use premolded units.
- C. Install base on solid backing. Bond tightly to wall and floor surfaces.
- D. Scribe and fit to door frames and other interruptions.

3.6 CLEANING

- A. Remove excess adhesive from floor, base, and wall surfaces without damage.
- B. Clean in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.

3.7 PROTECTION

- A. Prohibit traffic on resilient flooring for 48 hours after installation.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 099000**  
**PAINTING**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

**1.01 RELATED DOCUMENTS**

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

**1.02 SUMMARY**

- A. Section includes surface preparation and the application of paint systems on the following interior substrates:
  - 1. Concrete.
  - 2. Clay masonry.
  - 3. Concrete masonry units (CMU).
  - 4. Steel.
  - 5. Cast iron.
  - 6. Galvanized metal.
  - 7. Aluminum (not anodized or otherwise coated).
  - 8. Wood.
  - 9. Gypsum board.

**1.03 DEFINITIONS**

- A. Aromatic Compound: Hydrocarbon compounds containing one or more 6-carbon benzene rings in the molecular structure.
- B. Concealed: shall mean hidden from view and protected from physical contact by building occupants. Examples: Interstitial space above ceilings, shafts, closed chases. Restroom chases, although accessible to staff, shall be considered concealed closed chases. Restroom chases viewable through glass shall not be considered "concealed" but "exposed".
- C. Exposed: shall mean viewable from the exterior or interior of the building.
- D. Exposed Structure: shall mean exposed surfaces including mechanical, plumbing, electrical and signal distribution systems, and their related supports.
- E. Flat: Coatings with a gloss of less than 5 on a 60-degree gloss meter (ASTM D523-89).  
Generic Classification: Flat
- F. Non-Flat: Coatings with a gloss of greater than 5 on a 60 degree gloss meter (ASTM D523-89). Generic classification: Eggshell, Satin, Semi-Gloss, Gloss, and HighGloss.
- G. NZR: (Non-Zinc-Rich) Primers with less than 65 percent metallic zinc dust content by weight of total solids.
- H. Paint: shall mean to provide all labor and materials, including cleaning and surface preparation, necessary to install decorative, protective and otherwise functional coating systems for which components include but are not limited to, primers, emulsions, enamels, stains, sealers, fillers, and other applied materials whether used as prime, intermediate,

or finish coats, and all related protection necessary to install the specified coating system on the designated surface.

- I. ZR: (Zinc-Rich) Primers with more than 65 percent metallic zinc dust content by weight of total solids.

#### 1.04 REFERENCES

- A. South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Headquarters; 21865 Copley Drive; Diamond Bar; CA 91765:
  - 1. SCAQMD Rule 1113, Amended December 5, 2003.
- B. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Ariel Rios Building; 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.; Washington, DC 20460:
  - 1. Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs); 40 CFR § 51.100 (s), (s) (1).
  - 2. Volatile Organic Compounds Content; 40 CFR § 59.100; Subpart D; (EPA method 24).
- C. Green Seal, Inc. (GS); 1001 Connecticut Avenue, NW; Suite 827; Washington, DC 20036-5525:
  - 1. Green Seal Certification Standard; "Anti-Corrosive Paints" (GC-03) Second Edition; January 7, 1997.
  - 2. Green Seal Certification Standard; "Paint" (GS-11) First Edition; May 20, 1993.

#### 1.05 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product. Include preparation requirements and application instructions.
- B. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of topcoat product.
- C. Samples for Verification: For each type of paint system and in each color and gloss of topcoat.
  - 1. Submit Samples on rigid backing, 8 inches (200 mm) square.
  - 2. Step coats on Samples to show each coat required for system.
  - 3. Label each coat of each Sample.
  - 4. Label each Sample for location and application area.
- D. Product List: For each product indicated, include the following:
  - 1. Cross-reference to paint system and locations of application areas. Use same designations indicated on Drawings and in schedules.
  - 2. VOC content.
- E. Color Chip Catalog: Paint manufacturer shall provide Designer with a complete current color chip catalog from which he may select colors. Manufacturers may fulfill this requirement by updating catalog that Designer may presently have in his possession.

#### 1.06 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Manufacturer's Written Instructions: Provide manufacturer's written installation instructions for each product detailing recommended procedures for surface preparation, thinning, required minimum environmental conditions for applications, application methods, touch-up, protection and recommended disposal of product waste materials.
- B. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS): For each product indicated for the Designer's use.
- C. Letters of Substrate Compatibility: Provide letter from intermediate and topcoat manufacturers, attesting to the compatibility of their products with the various existing primers provided under the Work of other Sections. Letters shall be submitted on coating system manufacturer's letterhead and signed by a competent technical representative, in the direct employ of the coating system manufacturer, with a working knowledge of the chemistry of the manufacturer's various coating systems being applied to the previously primed substrate.
- D. Warranty Data: Submit warranty data for products as scheduled.
- E. Mil Thickness Gauging Tools: Provide three (3) sets of wet mil thickness gauge tools for the Designer's use in field observation of paint coating installations.

#### 1.07 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials, from the same product run, that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Paint: 5 percent, but not less than 1 gal. (3.8 L) of each material and color applied.

#### 1.08 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Mockups: Apply mockups of each paint system indicated and each color and finish selected to verify preliminary selections made under Sample submittals and to demonstrate aesthetic effects and set quality standards for materials and execution.
  - 1. Architect will select one surface to represent surfaces and conditions for application of each paint system specified in Part 3.
    - a. Vertical and Horizontal Surfaces: Provide samples of at least 100 sq. ft. (9 sq. m).
    - b. Other Items: Architect will designate items or areas required.
  - 2. Final approval of color selections will be based on mockups.
    - a. If preliminary color selections are not approved, apply additional mockups of additional colors selected by Architect at no added cost to Owner.
  - 3. Approval of mockups does not constitute approval of deviations from the Contract Documents contained in mockups unless Architect specifically approves such deviations in writing.
  - 4. Subject to compliance with requirements, approved mockups may become part of the completed Work if undisturbed at time of Substantial Completion.

#### 1.09 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Delivery: Deliver paint materials to the job site in their original unopened containers with manufacturer's labels intact and legible at time of use. Labels shall include the following information:
  - 1. Product name or title of material.
  - 2. Product description (generic classification or binder type).
  - 3. Manufacturer's stock number and date of manufacturer.
  - 4. Contents by volume, for pigment and vehicle constituents.
  - 5. Thinning instructions.
  - 6. Application Instructions.
  - 7. Color name and number.
  - 8. VOC content in g/L.
- B. Store materials not in use in tightly covered containers in well-ventilated areas with ambient temperatures continuously maintained at not less than 45 deg F (7 deg C).
  - 1. Maintain containers in clean condition, free of foreign materials and residue.
  - 2. Protect from freezing. Keep storage area neat and orderly. Remove all waste materials from the storage area and Project daily.
  - 3. Store only the approved materials at the job site and store only in a suitable and designated area restricted to the storage of paint materials and related equipment.
  - 4. Use means necessary to ensure the safe storage and use of paint materials and the prompt and safe disposal of waste.
  - 5. Remove rags and waste from storage areas daily.

#### 1.10 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Painting manufacturers and Contractor shall conform to State and local V.O.C. (Volatile Organic Compound) Regulations in area where Project is located and as specified in Division 01. Notify Designer in writing if variations to Specifications herein are required.
- B. Do not modify coating products VOC levels beyond the limits set in Section 01352 and specified in Part 3 of this Section by over thinning.
- C. Do not apply materials when the surface alkalinity, ambient temperatures and humidity are outside the ranges specified by the paint product manufacturer.
- D. Apply waterborne paints only when temperatures of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air are between 50 and 90 deg F, or within manufacturer's specified application temperature range.
- E. Apply solvent-thinned paints only when temperatures of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air are between 45 and 95 deg F, or within manufacturer's specified application temperature range.
- F. Do not apply paint in snow, rain, fog, or mist; or when relative humidity exceeds 85 percent; or at temperatures less than 5 deg F above the dew point; or to damp or wet surfaces.
  - 1. Painting may continue during inclement weather if surfaces and areas to be painted are enclosed and heated within the temperature and humidity limits specified by the manufacturer during application and drying periods.

2. Verify with paint manufacturer, in writing, that products of combustion associated with the use fossil fuel temporary heat in enclosed paint application areas will not affect the performance, life expectancy, surface texture, sheen or coloration of the paint and coating systems being installed under these conditions if this method of supplying temporary heat is utilized. Submit written documentation from manufacturer to the Architect.
3. Replace all paint and coatings adversely affected by inappropriate or failed temporary heating methods and protection at no cost to the Owner.

#### 1.11 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Contractor shall provide a warranty for the scope of work specified herein that will cover defective materials and labor.
- B. Warranty shall include but not be limited to failures caused by:
  1. Delaminating of various paint coatings from under coats and or substrates.
  2. Corrosion caused by improper cleaning and surface preparation before and during coating application.
  3. Failures due to dry film thickness applications less than the specified minimum thickness.
  4. Failures due to improper curing time between coats.
  5. Pigment discoloration and or coating failure caused by improper environmental controls during coating application and curing.
  6. Contamination of coating applications by airborne particulate matter caused by improper environmental controls.
  7. Failure to properly protect finished applications prior to Substantial Completion.
- C. The terms of the warranty shall provide all labor, materials, supervision, equipment and special tools necessary to repair failed or deficient materials and workmanship as required to deliver the intended finish product and coating performance as specified in the Contract Documents.
- D. Special Warranty Period: Two (2) years from the date of Substantial Completion.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. The intent is to provide a completely finished building, interior and exterior, whether or not specifically indicated.
- B. Type of material to be used and the number of coats to be applied are listed in Part 3 of this Section. Also, refer to the Drawings, Room Finish Schedule.
- C. Designer shall not be limited in the number of the colors selected for the Project or any planar surface of the Project.
  1. Designer shall not be limited in color base intensity of the colors selected for the Project.

## 2.02 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following :
1. Behr Process Corporation.
  2. Benjamin Moore & Co.
  3. Duron, Inc.
  4. Glidden Professional.
  5. Kelly-Moore Paints.
  6. M.A.B. Paints.
  7. PPG Paints
  8. Pratt & Lambert.
  9. Sherwin-Williams Company (The).
  10. Vista Paint.
- B. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the products listed in other Part 2 articles for the paint category indicated.

## 2.03 PAINT, GENERAL

- A. Material Compatibility:
1. Provide materials for use within each paint system that are compatible with one another and substrates indicated, under conditions of service and application as demonstrated by manufacturer, based on testing and field experience.
  2. For each coat in a paint system, provide products recommended in writing by manufacturers of topcoat for use in paint system and on substrate indicated.
- B. VOC Content: Products shall comply with VOC limits of authorities having jurisdiction.
1. Flat Paints and Coatings: 50 g/L.
  2. Nonflat Paints and Coatings: 150 g/L.
  3. Dry-Fog Coatings: 400 g/L.
  4. Primers, Sealers, and Undercoaters: 200 g/L.
  5. Anticorrosive and Antirust Paints Applied to Ferrous Metals: 250 g/L.
  6. Zinc-Rich Industrial Maintenance Primers: 340 g/L.
  7. Pretreatment Wash Primers: 420 g/L.
  8. Floor Coatings: 100 g/L.
  9. Shellacs, Clear: 730 g/L.
  10. Shellacs, Pigmented: 550 g/L.
- C. Material Quality: Provide manufacturer's best-quality paint material of the various coating types specified that are factory formulated and recommended by manufacturer for application indicated. Paint-material containers not displaying manufacturer's product identification will not be acceptable.
- D. Thinners, when used, shall be only those thinners recommended for that purpose by the manufacturer of the material to be thinned.
1. Do not thin materials beyond the range recommend by the paint manufacturers recommendation for LEED criteria compliance.

## 2.04 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing of Paint Materials: Owner reserves the right to invoke the following procedure:
1. Owner will engage the services of a qualified testing agency to sample paint materials. Contractor will be notified in advance and may be present when samples are taken. If paint materials have already been delivered to Project site, samples may be taken at Project site. Samples will be identified, sealed, and certified by testing agency.
  2. Testing agency will perform tests for compliance with product requirements.
  3. Owner may direct Contractor to stop applying coatings if test results show materials being used do not comply with product requirements. Contractor shall remove noncomplying paint materials from Project site, pay for testing, and repaint surfaces painted with rejected materials. Contractor will be required to remove rejected materials from previously painted surfaces if, on repainting with complying materials, the two paints are incompatible.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions, with Applicator present, for compliance with requirements for maximum moisture content and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
1. Do not paint over dirt, rust, scale, grease, moisture, scuffed surfaces, or conditions otherwise detrimental to formation of a durable paint surface.
  2. Test shop applied primers for compatibility with subsequent cover materials.
- B. Coordination of Work: Review other Sections in which primers are provided to ensure compatibility of the total system for various substrates. Construction Manager shall make the above primer product submittals available to the Contractor for review.
1. Notify Architect about anticipated problems when using the materials specified over substrates primed by others.
- C. Maximum Moisture Content of Substrates: When measured with an electronic moisture meter as follows:
1. Concrete: 12 percent.
  2. Masonry (Clay and CMU): 12 percent.
  3. Wood: 15 percent.
  4. Gypsum Board: 12 percent.
- D. Gypsum Board Substrates: Verify that finishing compound is sanded smooth.
- E. Spray-Textured Ceiling Substrates: Verify that surfaces are dry.
- F. Verify suitability of substrates, including surface conditions and compatibility with existing finishes and primers.
- G. Proceed with coating application only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
1. Application of coating indicates acceptance of surfaces and conditions.

### 3.02 GENERAL PREPARATION

- A. Establish dust containment and safety zones with caution tape and or barricades prior to beginning to isolate work in areas of store operations as specified in Part 3 - Protection.
- B. Remove or mask hardware, hardware accessories, machined surfaces, plates, lighting fixtures, and similar items in place and not to be painted. Reinstall all removed items after completion of paint work.
- C. Sign Removal:
  - 1. Remove adhesive-backed interior and exterior signage attached to doors and walls to be painted.
  - 2. Dispose of removed adhesive-backed interior and exterior signs.
  - 3. Remove large exterior mechanically attached signage and retain or dispose as indicated on Drawings.]
- D. Signage Replacement:
  - 1. Inform the following when exterior painting is complete and ready for new sign installation and replacement of removed signs.
- E. If plants, moss, mildew, or other biological growth is present, thoroughly saturate the area with a mixture consisting of 1 quart bleach/3 quarts water, and 1 cup powdered detergent. Allow the mixture to remain on the surface until the biological growth is removed. Scrub the surface and repeat as necessary to assure complete removal. Thoroughly rinse with fresh water.
- F. Remove visible grease and oil by solvent cleaning in accordance with SSPC-SP1.
- G. Protect surfaces and surrounding property not receiving paint as specified in Part 3 - Protection.
- H. Perform preparation and cleaning procedures as specified in this section and in accordance with paint manufacturer's instructions as necessary for unique project conditions. If the manufacturer's written recommendations conflict with the requirements of this specification, comply with the requirements of this specification unless otherwise directed.

### 3.03 SURFACE PREPARATION

- A. Pressure Washing:
  - 1. Remove loose paint, chalk, efflorescence, oil, grease and surface contamination by pressure washing when specified in the following surface preparations.
  - 2. Use equipment with at a minimum 5,000 psi and a spinner tip.
  - 3. If removing heavy chalk, use a TSP and water solution. Add .5 lbs. of TSP per 1 gallon of water. Apply to the wall surface using a low pressure sprayer and allow 20-30 minutes before rinsing.
  - 4. Thoroughly rinse the surface to ensure that no residue of TSP solution remains and to remove loose paint. To rinse, power wash the surface using a 5,000 psi pressure washer with a spinner tip. Scrub the surface with a soft bristled brush to remove any remaining chalk residue if necessary.
  - 5. Wipe a white cloth across the surface to ensure that no residue is visible on the cloth.

6. As an alternative to TSP, a chalk removal additive recommended by the coating manufacturer can be used.
7. If the surface cleanliness is not achieved using 5,000 psi pressure washing equipment, use heated pressure washing equipment (200F or higher) or contractor-selected equipment to achieve the specified degree of cleaning.
8. Dispose of the waste water as specified in the Environmental Requirements of Part 1 and in accordance with 01351.

B. Steel - Exterior:

1. Remove dust, dirt buildup, grease, oil, mold, mildew, chalk, dirt, and surface debris. Pressure wash as specified in Part 3 herein to clean the surface.
2. Remove minor rust, loose paint, and surface contamination with power tools in accordance with SSPC-SP3.
3. Sand glossy surfaces with 220 grit sandpaper.
4. Feather the existing coating at transitions between the existing coating and the bare steel.

C. Heavily Corroded Steel and Steel-to-Ground Interface - Exterior:

1. Remove dust, dirt buildup, grease, oil, mold, mildew, chalk, dirt, and surface debris. Pressure wash as specified in Part 3 herein to clean the surface.
2. Spot-remove extensive rust and rust scale to bright metal by power tool in accordance with SSPC-SP15.
3. Repair holes as indicated on Drawings by welding and grinding.
4. Clean heavily corroded steel at the ground interface (steel that is in contact with an at-grade surface such as concrete or asphalt to 12 inches above grade, or to the top of corroded area, whichever is greater. Within this area, remove corrosion, mill scale, and coatings by power tool cleaning in accordance with SSPC-SP15.
5. Feather the existing coating at transitions between the existing coating and the bare steel.

D. Steel - Interior:

1. Remove dirt, dust, grease, oil, and other surface interference material by washing and scrubbing.
2. Remove rust and loose paint with power tools in accordance with SSPC-SP3.
3. Degloss surface with a scouring pad such as Heavy Duty Scour Pad, Non-Scratch Scour Pad, or equivalent by Scotch-Brite.
4. Feather the existing coating at transitions between the existing coating and the bare steel.

E. Galvanized Steel - Exterior:

1. Remove dust, dirt buildup, grease, oil, mold, mildew, chalk, dirt, and surface debris. Pressure wash as specified in Part 3 herein to clean the surface.
2. Remove loose coating, corrosion, deteriorated steel, and zinc salts by power tool in accordance with SSPC-SP3. Feather the edges of the existing coating around each cleaned spot.
3. Sand glossy surfaces with 220 grit sandpaper.
4. Apply an MPI 25 cleaning/etching solution on bare galvanizing in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
5. Feather the existing coating at transitions between the existing coating and the bare galvanizing.

F. Heavily Corroded Galvanized Steel and Steel-to-Ground Interface - Exterior:

1. Remove dust, dirt buildup, grease, oil, mold, mildew, chalk, dirt, and surface debris from areas shown on the Drawings to be Heavy Corrosion. Pressure wash as specified in Part 3 herein to clean the surface.
2. Spot-remove deteriorated steel, rust and rust scale to bright metal by power tool in accordance with SSPC-SP15.
3. Repair holes with new metal.
4. Clean heavily corroded galvanized steel from the ground interface (in contact with an at-grade surface such as concrete or asphalt) to 6 inches above grade, or to the top of corroded area, whichever is greater. Clean to bright metal by power tool in accordance with SSPC-SP15, allowing intact galvanizing to remain. After power tool cleaning, treat bare galvanizing with an MPI 25 cleaning/etching solution.
5. Feather the existing coating at all transitions between the existing coating and the bare galvanizing.

G. Galvanized Steel - Interior:

1. Remove dirt, dust, grease, oil, and other surface interference material by washing and scrubbing.
2. Remove deteriorated galvanized steel, rust, and loose paint with power tools in accordance with SSPC-SP3.
3. Degloss surface with a scouring pad such as Heavy Duty Scour Pad, Non-Scratch Scour Pad, or equivalent by Scotch-Brite.
4. Apply an MPI 25 cleaning/etching solution on bare galvanizing in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
5. Feather the existing coating at transitions between the existing coating and the bare galvanizing.

H. Unpainted Masonry – Exterior:

1. Remove efflorescence, lime run, dust, dirt, grease, oil, chalk, and other surface contamination by pressure washing as specified in Part 3 herein. Minimize the amount of water and dwell time to prevent saturation of the block and core-fill insulation inside.
2. Remove glaze by mechanical hand tools or power tools.
3. Measure surface pH in accordance with ASTM 4262 once for each 30 linear feet of wall surface. Pressure- wash the surface as necessary to bring the pH level within the range of 6 and 13.
4. Allow the surface to dry before applying new coatings. Prior to painting, verify dryness by testing in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and the meter and plastic sheet methods as specified in Part 3 herein.

I. Unpainted Masonry – Interior:

1. Remove efflorescence by washing and scrubbing with Sure Klean Light Duty Concrete Cleaner (formerly Sure Klean Concrete Brick Cleaner) by Prosoco, Inc. or an equivalent removal solution recommended by the coating manufacturer.
2. If the efflorescence cannot be removed, contact Owner's Construction Manager before proceeding.
3. If the surface is to be painted, measure surface pH in accordance with ASTM 4262 once for each 30 linear feet of wall surface. Wash and scrub the surface as necessary to bring the pH level within the range of 6 and 13.

J. Interior Surfaces of Concrete Wall Panels:

1. Remove bond breakers.
2. Remove curing compound, if it is not compatible with coating system.
3. Remove fins and projections.
4. Patch cracks, pockets, holes, breakouts, surface irregularities, and damaged surfaces.
  - a. Fine cracks up to 1/32": Brush or knife Flex Patch by Tex-Cote Buttery or Knife into cracks and bring to smooth and flush with concrete surface.
  - b. Cracks 1/32" to 1/8": Fill uniform with surrounding surfaces with TexCote Flex Patch Smooth by Tex-Cote.
  - c. Cracks 1/8 inch to 3/8 inch: Fill with Skim Cote by Tex-Cote.

K. Exterior Surfaces of Concrete Wall Panels:

1. Remove bond breakers.
2. Remove curing compound, if it is not compatible with coating system.
3. Remove fins and projections.
4. Patch cracks, pockets, holes, breakouts, surface irregularities, and damaged surfaces.
  - a. Fine cracks up to 1/32": Brush or knife Flex Patch by Tex-Cote Buttery or Knife into cracks and bring to smooth and flush with concrete surface.
  - b. Cracks 1/32" to 1/8": Fill uniform with surrounding surfaces with TexCote Flex Patch Smooth by Tex-Cote.
  - c. Cracks 1/8 inch to 3/8 inch: Fill with Skim Cote by Tex-Cote.

L. Wood:

1. Remove surface contamination by washing with a cleaning solution, scraping, sanding, and scrubbing to remove dirt, pollutants, mildew, deteriorated wood, and surface interference material.
2. Allow to dry and apply patching material recommended by the coating manufacturer to fill cracks, nail holes, and other imperfections. Sand the patched areas smooth after drying.
3. Scrape and clean small, dry, seasoned knots and apply a thin coat of knot sealer recommended by the coating manufacturer before applying prime coat.
4. After priming, fill holes and imperfections in finish surfaces with putty or plastic wood filler. Sand smooth when dry.
5. Prime, stain, or seal wood required to be field painted immediately upon delivery to site. Prime edges, ends faces, undersides, and backsides of such wood, including cabinets and counters.
6. Seal tops, bottoms, and cut-outs with a heavy coat of sealer recommended by the coating manufacturer immediately upon delivery to the site.
7. Allow the surface to dry before applying new coatings. Prior to painting, verify dryness by testing in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and the meter and plastic sheet methods as specified in Part 3 herein

M. Gypsum Board:

1. New Gypsum Board:
  - a. Fill minor defects with filler compound. Spot prime defects after repair.

### 3.04 APPLICATION

- A. Apply paints according to manufacturer's written instructions and to recommendations in "MPI Manual."
  - 1. Use applicators and techniques suited for paint and substrate indicated.
  - 2. Paint surfaces behind movable equipment and furniture same as similar exposed surfaces. Before final installation, paint surfaces behind permanently fixed equipment or furniture with prime coat only.
  - 3. Paint front and backsides of access panels, removable or hinged covers, and similar hinged items to match exposed surfaces.
  - 4. Do not paint over labels of independent testing agencies or equipment name, identification, performance rating, or nomenclature plates.
  - 5. Primers specified in painting schedules may be omitted on items that are factory primed or factory finished if acceptable to topcoat manufacturers.
- B. Comply with paint manufacturer's recommendations for exterior and interior conditions prior application of paint.
  - 1. Rain not imminent and surfaces not damp or frozen.
- C. Tint each undercoat a lighter shade to facilitate identification of each coat if multiple coats of same material are to be applied. Tint undercoats to match color of topcoat, but provide sufficient difference in shade of undercoats to distinguish each separate coat.
- D. If undercoats or other conditions show through topcoat, apply additional coats until cured film has a uniform paint finish, color, and appearance.
- E. Apply paints to produce surface films without cloudiness, spotting, holidays, laps, brush marks, roller tracking, runs, sags, ropiness, or other surface imperfections. Cut in sharp lines and color breaks.
- F. Painting Fire Suppression, Plumbing, HVAC, Electrical, Communication, and Electronic Safety and Security Work:
  - 1. Paint the following work where exposed in equipment rooms:
    - a. Uninsulated metal piping.
    - b. Uninsulated plastic piping.
    - c. Pipe hangers and supports.
    - d. Metal conduit.
    - e. Plastic conduit.
    - f. Tanks that do not have factory-applied final finishes.
    - g. Duct, equipment, and pipe insulation having cotton or canvas insulation covering or other paintable jacket material.
  - 2. Paint the following work where exposed in occupied spaces:
    - a. Uninsulated metal piping.
    - b. Uninsulated plastic piping.
    - c. Pipe hangers and supports.
    - d. Metal conduit.
    - e. Plastic conduit.
    - f. Duct, equipment, and pipe insulation having cotton or canvas insulation covering or other paintable jacket material.

g. Other items as directed by Architect.

3. Paint portions of internal surfaces of metal ducts, without liner, behind air inlets and outlets that are visible from occupied spaces.

### 3.05 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Dry Film Thickness Testing: Owner may engage the services of a qualified testing and inspecting agency to inspect and test paint for dry film thickness.

1. Contractor shall touch up and restore painted surfaces damaged by testing.
2. If test results show that dry film thickness of applied paint does not comply with paint manufacturer's written recommendations, Contractor shall pay for testing and apply additional coats as needed to provide dry film thickness that complies with paint manufacturer's written recommendations.

B. Paint Coating System Field Technical Representatives:

1. Contractor shall arrange, for each paint coating system manufacturer utilized on the Project, to provide a qualified technical representative on the job site during the initial installation of each paint coating system. The paint coating manufacturer's technical representatives shall:
  - a. Be present at the pre-installation conference.
  - b. Be present during the initial installation each system to verify that proper environmental conditions exist for each paint coating system installation, proper surface preparation techniques are being followed, proper wet mill thickness of coats are being applied, and proper mixing techniques are being utilized in accordance with the paint coating system manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
  - c. File written report with the Designer detailing field observations made and recommendations to correct any observed deficiencies within seventy-two (72) hours of site visit.
  - d. Provide a minimum of eight (8) return observation trips, timed at the discretion of the Designer, to observe and report on all items listed in item b. above.
  - e. **Review and sign off on all sub-straight's prior to start of work.**

C. Daily Environmental Conditions Log: Monitor, exterior and interior environmental conditions in a written daily log. Report all environmental conditions which do not comply with the manufacturer's minimum / maximum conditions for proper installation and curing of paint coating systems. Report deficient conditions, in writing, to both the Construction Manager and Designer immediately. Turn written log over to Designer at Project Close-out. Daily log shall:

1. Record temperature, relative humidity, and provide a relative visual evaluation of airborne dust conditions at the elevation of paint application for each general area of the Work in progress at the commencement, and conclusion of each work-day.
2. Utilize column numbers and height above finished floor in description of reading locations.
3. Measure and record alkalinity and moisture content of raw surfaces at commencement of priming/paint coating application. Report unacceptable conditions in accordance with Paragraph B above.

4. Contain a summary of acceptable environmental maximum / minimum environmental conditions for each paint system utilized on the Project for easy reference of painting personnel responsible for maintaining the log.
- D. Spot check and record in-place wet mil paint thickness applications to assure compliance with specified minimums.

### 3.06 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. At end of each workday, remove rubbish, empty cans, rags, and other discarded materials from Project site.
- B. After completing paint application, clean spattered surfaces. Remove spattered paints by washing, scraping, or other methods. Do not scratch or damage adjacent finished surfaces.
- C. Protect work of other trades against damage from paint application. Correct damage to work of other trades by cleaning, repairing, replacing, and refinishing, as approved by Architect, and leave in an undamaged condition.
- D. At completion of construction activities of other trades, touch up and restore damaged or defaced painted surfaces.

## **SECTION 101400 SIGNAGE**

### **PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Code required signage.
  - B. Building identification signs.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. 36 CFR 1191 - Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities; Architectural Barriers Act (ABA) Accessibility Guidelines current edition.
  - B. ADA Standards - 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design 2010.
  - C. ICC A117.1 - Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities 2017.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Manufacturer's printed product literature for each type of sign, indicating sign styles, font, foreground and background colors, locations, overall dimensions of each sign.
  - C. Signage Schedule: Provide information sufficient to completely define each sign for fabrication, including room number, room name, other text to be applied, sign and letter sizes, fonts, and colors.
    - 1. When room numbers to appear on signs differ from those on drawings, include the drawing room number on schedule.
    - 2. When content of signs is indicated to be determined later, request such information from Owner through Architect at least 2 months prior to start of fabrication; upon request, submit preliminary schedule.
    - 3. Submit for approval by Owner through Architect prior to fabrication.
  - D. Samples: Submit two samples of each type of sign, of size similar to that required for project, illustrating sign style, font, and method of attachment.
  - E. Selection Samples: Where colors are not specified, submit two sets of color selection charts or chips.
  - F. Verification Samples: Submit samples showing colors specified.
  - G. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Include installation templates and attachment devices.
  - H. Maintenance Materials: Furnish the following for Owner's use in maintenance of project.
    - 1. See Section 016000 - Product Requirements, for additional provisions.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the products specified in this section with minimum three years of documented experience.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Package signs as required to prevent damage before installation.
  - B. Store tape adhesive at normal room temperature.
- 1.6 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Do not install tape adhesive when ambient temperature is lower than recommended by manufacturer.
  - B. Maintain this minimum temperature during and after installation of signs.

### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Flat Signs:
    - 1. Best Sign Systems, Inc: [www.bestsigns.com/#sle](http://www.bestsigns.com/#sle).
    - 2. Inpro: [www.inprocorp.com/#sle](http://www.inprocorp.com/#sle).
    - 3. Mohawk Sign Systems, Inc: [www.mohawksign.com/#sle](http://www.mohawksign.com/#sle).

4. Seton Identification Products: [www.seton.com/aec/#sle](http://www.seton.com/aec/#sle).
5. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- B. Dimensional Letter Signs:
  1. Cosco Industries: [www.coscoarchitecturalsigns.com/#sle](http://www.coscoarchitecturalsigns.com/#sle).
  2. FASTSIGNS: [www.fastsigns.com/#sle](http://www.fastsigns.com/#sle).
  3. Inpro: [www.inprocorp.com/#sle](http://www.inprocorp.com/#sle).
  4. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 2.2 SIGNAGE APPLICATIONS

- A. Accessibility Compliance: Signs are required to comply with ADA Standards and ICC A117.1 and applicable building codes, unless otherwise indicated; in the event of conflicting requirements, comply with the most comprehensive and specific requirements.
- B. Provide interior signage only as required to comply with building code.
- C. Building Identification Signs:
  1. Use individual metal letters.
  2. Mount on outside wall in location indicated on drawings.

## 2.3 SIGN TYPES

- A. Flat Signs: Signage media without frame.
  1. Edges: Square.
  2. Corners: Radiused.
  3. Wall Mounting of One-Sided Signs: Tape adhesive.
- B. Color and Font: Unless otherwise indicated:
  1. Character Font: As approved by Architect.
  2. Character Case: Upper case only.
  3. Background Color: As scheduled.
  4. Character Color: Contrasting color.

## 2.4 DIMENSIONAL LETTERS

- A. Metal Letters:
  1. Metal: Cast aluminum or sheet steel.
  2. Finish: Black prefinished..
  3. Mounting: Projected 4-inch mounting from building facade.

## 2.5 ACCESSORIES

- A. Concealed Screws: Stainless steel, galvanized steel, chrome plated, or other non-corroding metal.
- B. Tape Adhesive: Double sided tape, permanent adhesive.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that substrate surfaces are ready to receive work.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Install neatly, with horizontal edges level.
- C. Locate signs and mount at heights indicated on drawings and in accordance with ADA Standards and ICC A117.1.
- D. Protect from damage until Substantial Completion; repair or replace damaged items.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 102800**  
**TOILET, BATH, AND LAUNDRY ACCESSORIES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Commercial toilet accessories.
  - B. Under-lavatory pipe supply covers.
  - C. Diaper changing stations.
  - D. Utility room accessories.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. ADA Standards - 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design 2010.
  - B. ASTM A269/A269M - Standard Specification for Seamless and Welded Austenitic Stainless Steel Tubing for General Service 2015a (Reapproved 2019).
  - C. ASTM A666 - Standard Specification for Annealed or Cold-Worked Austenitic Stainless Steel Sheet, Strip, Plate, and Flat Bar 2015.
  - D. ASTM B456 - Standard Specification for Electrodeposited Coatings of Copper Plus Nickel Plus Chromium and Nickel Plus Chromium 2017 (Reapproved 2022).
  - E. ASTM C1822 - Standard Specification for Insulating Covers on Accessible Lavatory Piping 2021.
  - F. ASTM E84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials 2022.
  - G. ASTM F2285 - Standard Consumer Safety Performance Specification for Diaper Changing Tables for Commercial Use 2004, with Editorial Revision (2016).
  - H. ASTM G21 - Standard Practice for Determining Resistance of Synthetic Polymeric Materials to Fungi 2015, with Editorial Revision (2021).
- 1.3 ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Coordinate the work with the placement of internal wall reinforcement, concealed ceiling supports, and reinforcement of toilet partitions to receive anchor attachments.
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Submit data on accessories describing size, finish, details of function, and attachment methods.
  - C. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate special procedures and conditions requiring special attention.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Commercial Toilet, Shower, and Bath Accessories:
    - 1. American Specialties, Inc: [www.americanspecialties.com/#sle](http://www.americanspecialties.com/#sle).
    - 2. Bobrick Washroom Equipment: [www.bobrick.com](http://www.bobrick.com).
    - 3. Bobrick Washroom; [www.bobrick.com](http://www.bobrick.com).
    - 4. Kimberly-Clark Corporation; [www.kimberly-clark.com](http://www.kimberly-clark.com)
    - 5. Substitutions: Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
  - B. Under-Lavatory Pipe Supply Covers:
    - 1. Plumberex Specialty Products, Inc: [www.plumberex.com/#sle](http://www.plumberex.com/#sle).
    - 2. Substitutions: Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- 2.2 MATERIALS
  - A. Accessories - General: Shop assembled, free of dents and scratches and packaged complete with anchors and fittings, steel anchor plates, adapters, and anchor components for installation.
    - 1. Grind welded joints smooth.

- 2. Fabricate units made of metal sheet of seamless sheets, with flat surfaces.
- B. Keys: Provide two keys for each accessory to Owner; master key lockable accessories.
- C. Stainless Steel Sheet: ASTM A666, Type 304.
- D. Stainless Steel Tubing: ASTM A269/A269M, Grade TP304 or TP316.
- E. Fasteners, Screws, and Bolts: Hot dip galvanized; tamper-proof; security type.

## 2.3 FINISHES

- A. Stainless Steel: Satin finish, unless otherwise noted.
- B. Chrome/Nickel Plating: ASTM B456, SC 2, polished finish, unless otherwise noted.
- C. Baked Enamel: Pretreat to clean condition, apply one coat primer and minimum two coats epoxy baked enamel.

## 2.4 COMMERCIAL TOILET ACCESSORIES

- A. As scheduled.

## 2.5 UNDER-LAVATORY PIPE AND SUPPLY COVERS

- A. Under-Lavatory Pipe and Supply Covers:
  - 1. Insulate exposed drainage piping including hot, cold, and tempered water supplies under lavatories or sinks to comply with ADA Standards.
  - 2. Exterior Surfaces: Smooth non-absorbent, non-abrasive surfaces.
  - 3. Construction: 1/8 inch flexible PVC.
    - a. Surface Burning Characteristics: Flame spread index of 25 or less and smoke developed index of 450 or less, when tested in accordance with ASTM E84.
    - b. Comply with ASTM C1822, type indicated.
    - c. Microbial and Fungal Resistance: Comply with ASTM G21.
  - 4. Color: White.
  - 5. Fasteners: Reusable, snap-locking fasteners with no sharp or abrasive external surfaces.

## 2.6 DIAPER CHANGING STATIONS

- A. Diaper Changing Station: Wall-mounted folding diaper changing station for use in commercial toilet facilities, meeting or exceeding ASTM F2285.
  - 1. Material: Polyethylene.
  - 2. Mounting: Surface.
  - 3. Color: As selected.
  - 4. Minimum Rated Load: 250 pounds.
  - 5. Products:
    - a. As scheduled.
    - b. Substitutions: 016000 - Product Requirements.

## 2.7 UTILITY ROOM ACCESSORIES

- A. Combination Utility Shelf/Mop and Broom Holder: 0.05 inch thick stainless steel, Type 304, with 1/2 inch returned edges, 0.06 inch steel wall brackets.
  - 1. Hooks: Three, 0.06 inch stainless steel rag hooks at shelf front.
  - 2. Mop/broom holders: Four spring-loaded rubber cam holders at shelf front.
  - 3. Length: Manufacturer's standard length for number of holders/hooks.

# PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify existing conditions before starting work.
- B. Verify exact location of accessories for installation.
- C. Verify that field measurements are as indicated on drawings.
- D. See Section 061000 for installation of blocking, reinforcing plates, and concealed anchors in walls and ceilings.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Deliver inserts and rough-in frames to site for timely installation.
- B. Provide templates and rough-in measurements as required.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install accessories in accordance with manufacturers' instructions in locations indicated on drawings.
- B. Install plumb and level, securely and rigidly anchored to substrate.
- C. Mounting Heights: As required by accessibility regulations, unless otherwise indicated.

3.4 PROTECTION

- A. Protect installed accessories from damage due to subsequent construction operations.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 104400**  
**FIRE PROTECTION SPECIALTIES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Fire extinguishers.
  - B. Fire extinguisher cabinets.
  - C. Accessories.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. ASTM E814 - Standard Test Method for Fire Tests of Penetration Firestop Systems 2013a (Reapproved 2017).
  - B. NFPA 10 - Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers 2022.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Provide extinguisher operational features.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Indicate locations of cabinets and cabinet physical dimensions.
  - D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate special criteria and wall opening coordination requirements.
  - E. Manufacturer's Certificate: Certify that products meet or exceed specified requirements.
  - F. Maintenance Data: Include test, refill or recharge schedules and re-certification requirements.
- 1.4 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Do not install extinguishers when ambient temperature may cause freezing of extinguisher ingredients.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Fire Extinguishers:
    - 1. Ansul, a Tyco Business: [www.ansul.com/#sle](http://www.ansul.com/#sle).
    - 2. Kidde, a unit of United Technologies Corp: [www.kidde.com/#sle](http://www.kidde.com/#sle).
    - 3. Nystrom, Inc: [www.nystrom.com/#sle](http://www.nystrom.com/#sle).
    - 4. Oval Brand Fire Products: [www.ovalfireproducts.com/#sle](http://www.ovalfireproducts.com/#sle).
    - 5. Pyro-Chem, a Tyco Business: [www.pyrochem.com/#sle](http://www.pyrochem.com/#sle).
    - 6. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
  - B. Fire Extinguisher Cabinets and Accessories:
    - 1. Activar Construction Products Group - JL Industries: [www.activarcpg.com/#sle](http://www.activarcpg.com/#sle).
    - 2. Ansul, a Tyco Business: [www.ansul.com/#sle](http://www.ansul.com/#sle).
    - 3. Kidde, a unit of United Technologies Corp: [www.kidde.com/#sle](http://www.kidde.com/#sle).
    - 4. Larsen's Manufacturing Co: [www.larsensmfg.com/#sle](http://www.larsensmfg.com/#sle).
    - 5. Nystrom, Inc: [www.nystrom.com/#sle](http://www.nystrom.com/#sle).
    - 6. Oval Brand Fire Products: [www.ovalfireproducts.com/#sle](http://www.ovalfireproducts.com/#sle).
    - 7. Potter-Roemer: [www.potterroemer.com/#sle](http://www.potterroemer.com/#sle).
    - 8. Pyro-Chem, a Tyco Business: [www.pyrochem.com/#sle](http://www.pyrochem.com/#sle).
    - 9. Substitutions: See Section 016000 - Product Requirements.
- 2.2 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
  - A. Fire Extinguishers - General: Comply with product requirements of NFPA 10 and applicable codes, whichever is more stringent.
  - B. Multipurpose Dry Chemical Type Fire Extinguishers: Carbon steel tank, with pressure gauge.
    - 1. Class: A:B:C type.
    - 2. Size: 5 pound.
    - 3. Finish: Baked polyester powder coat, red color.

4. Temperature range: Minus 40 degrees F to 120 degrees F.

**2.3 FIRE EXTINGUISHER CABINETS**

- A. Fire Rating: Listed and labeled in accordance with ASTM E814 requirements for fire resistance rating of walls where being installed.
- B. Cabinet Construction: Non-fire rated.
  - 1. Formed primed steel sheet; 0.036 inch thick base metal.
- C. Fire Rated Cabinet Construction: Not less than that of adjacent construction.
  - 1. Steel; double wall or outer and inner boxes with 5/8 inch thick fire barrier material.
- D. Cabinet Configuration: Recessed type.
  - 1. Size to accommodate accessories.
  - 2. Projected Trim: Returned to wall surface, not to project more than 4 inches from face of wall.
  - 3. Provide cabinet enclosure with right angle inside corners and seams, and with formed perimeter trim.
- E. Door: Aluminum sheet, 0.036 inch metal thickness, reinforced for flatness and rigidity with nylon catch. Hinge doors for 180 degree opening with two butt hinge.
- F. Door Glazing: Float glass, clear, 1/8 inch thick, and set in resilient channel glazing gasket.
- G. Cabinet Mounting Hardware: Appropriate to cabinet, with pre-drilled holes for placement of anchors.
- H. Weld, fill, and grind components smooth.
- I. Finish of Cabinet Exterior Trim and Door: Anodized to color as selected.
- J. Finish of Cabinet Interior: White colored enamel.

**2.4 ACCESSORIES**

- A. Extinguisher Brackets: Formed steel, galvanized and enamel finished.

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

**3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify existing conditions before starting work.
- B. Verify rough openings for cabinet are correctly sized and located.

**3.2 INSTALLATION**

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Install cabinets plumb and level in wall openings, not more than 48 inches from finished floor to inside bottom of cabinet.
- C. Secure rigidly in place.
- D. Place extinguishers in cabinets.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 311000  
SITE CLEARING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Clearing and protection of vegetation.
  - B. Removal of existing debris.
- 1.2 SITE CLEARING
  - A. Minimize production of dust due to clearing operations; do not use water if that will result in ice, flooding, sedimentation of public waterways or storm sewers, or other pollution.
- 1.3 EXISTING UTILITIES AND BUILT ELEMENTS
  - A. Coordinate work with utility companies; notify before starting work and comply with their requirements; obtain required permits.
  - B. Protect existing utilities to remain from damage.
  - C. Do not disrupt public utilities without permit from authority having jurisdiction.
  - D. Protect existing structures and other elements that are not to be removed.
- 1.4 VEGETATION
  - A. Do not remove or damage vegetation beyond the following limits:
    - 1. 40 feet outside the building perimeter.
    - 2. 10 feet each side of surface walkways, patios, surface parking, and utility lines less than 12 inches in diameter.
    - 3. 15 feet each side of roadway curbs and main utility trenches.
    - 4. 25 feet outside perimeter of pervious paving areas that must not be compacted by construction traffic.
  - B. Install substantial, highly visible fences at least 3 feet high to prevent inadvertent damage to vegetation to remain:
    - 1. At vegetation removal limits.
  - C. In areas where vegetation must be removed but no construction will occur other than pervious paving, remove vegetation with minimum disturbance of the subsoil.
  - D. Vegetation Removed: Do not burn, bury, landfill, or leave on site, except as indicated.
    - 1. Chip, grind, crush, or shred vegetation for mulching, composting, or other purposes; preference should be given to on-site uses.
    - 2. Trees: Sell if marketable; if not, treat as specified for other vegetation removed; remove stumps and roots to depth of 18 inches.
    - 3. Sod: Re-use on site if possible; otherwise sell if marketable, and if not, treat as specified for other vegetation removed.
  - E. Restoration: If vegetation outside removal limits or within specified protective fences is damaged or destroyed due to subsequent construction operations, replace at no cost to Owner.
- 1.5 DEBRIS
  - A. Remove debris, junk, and trash from site.
  - B. Leave site in clean condition, ready for subsequent work.
  - C. Clean up spillage and wind-blown debris from public and private lands.

**SECTION 321216  
ASPHALT PAVING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include technical data and tested physical and performance properties.
    - 1. Job-Mix Designs: For each job mix proposed for the Work.
- 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturer Qualifications: A paving-mix manufacturer registered with and approved by authorities having jurisdiction or the DOT of state in which Project is located.
  - B. Installer Qualifications: Imprinted-asphalt manufacturer's authorized installer who is trained and approved for installation of imprinted asphalt required for this Project.
  - C. Testing Agency Qualifications: Qualified according to ASTM D 3666 for testing indicated.
  - D. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with materials, workmanship, and other applicable requirements of Item No. 340 of CALTRANS for asphalt paving work.
    - 1. Measurement and payment provisions and safety program submittals included in standard specifications do not apply to this Section.
- 1.3 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Environmental Limitations: Do not apply asphalt materials if subgrade is wet or excessively damp, if rain is imminent or expected before time required for adequate cure, or if the following conditions are not met:
    - 1. Prime Coat: Minimum surface temperature of 60 deg F.
    - 2. Tack Coat: Minimum surface temperature of 60 deg F.
    - 3. Slurry Coat: Comply with weather limitations in ASTM D 3910.
    - 4. Asphalt Base Course: Minimum surface temperature of 40 deg F and rising at time of placement.
    - 5. Asphalt Surface Course: Minimum surface temperature of 60 deg F at time of placement.

**PART 2 MATERIALS**

- 2.4 AGGREGATES
  - A. General: Use materials and gradations that have performed satisfactorily in previous installations.
  - B. Coarse Aggregate: ASTM D 692, sound; angular crushed stone, crushed gravel, or cured, crushed blast-furnace slag.
  - C. Fine Aggregate: ASTM D 1073, sharp-edged natural sand or sand prepared from stone, gravel, cured blast-furnace slag, or combinations thereof.
    - 1. For hot-mix asphalt, limit natural sand to a maximum of 20 percent by weight of the total aggregate mass.
  - D. Mineral Filler: ASTM D 242, rock or slag dust, hydraulic cement, or other inert material.
- 2.5 ASPHALT MATERIALS
  - A. Asphalt Cement: ASTM D 3381 for viscosity-graded material ASTM D 946 for penetration-graded material.
  - B. Prime Coat: Asphalt emulsion prime coat complying with TXDOT requirements.
  - C. Tack Coat: ASTM D 977 emulsified asphalt, or ASTM D 2397 cationic emulsified asphalt, slow setting, diluted in water, of suitable grade and consistency for application.
  - D. Fog Seal: ASTM D 977 emulsified asphalt, or ASTM D 2397 cationic emulsified asphalt, slow setting, factory diluted in water, of suitable grade and consistency for application.
  - E. Water: Potable.
  - F. Undersealing Asphalt: ASTM D 3141, pumping consistency.
- 2.6 AUXILIARY MATERIALS
  - A. Sand: ASTM D 1073, Grade Nos. 2 or 3.
  - B. Paving Geotextile: AASHTO M 288, non-woven polypropylene; resistant to chemical attack, rot, and mildew; and specifically designed for paving applications.
  - C. Joint Sealant: ASTM D 6690, Type I, hot-applied, single-component, polymer-modified bituminous sealant.
- 2.7 MIXES
  - A. Hot-Mix Asphalt: Dense, hot-laid, hot-mix asphalt plant mixes approved by authorities having jurisdiction; designed according to procedures in AI MS-2, "Mix Design Methods for Asphalt Concrete and Other Hot-Mix Types"; and complying with the following requirements:
    - 1. Provide mixes with a history of satisfactory performance in geographical area where Project is located.
    - 2. Base Course: Equal to TXDOT Type A mix.
    - 3. Surface Course: Equal to TXDOT Type D mix.
  - B. Emulsified-Asphalt Slurry: ASTM D 3910, Type 1.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that subgrade is dry and in suitable condition to begin paving.
- B. Proof-roll subgrade below pavements with heavy pneumatic-tired equipment to identify soft pockets and areas of excess yielding. Do not proof-roll wet or saturated subgrades.
  - 1. Completely proof-roll subgrade in one direction, repeating proof-rolling in direction perpendicular to first direction. Limit vehicle speed to 3 mph.
  - 2. Proof roll with a loaded 10-wheel, tandem-axle dump truck weighing not less than 15 tons.
  - 3. Excavate soft spots, unsatisfactory soils, and areas of excessive pumping or rutting, as determined by Architect, and replace with compacted backfill or fill as directed.
- C. Proceed with paving only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- D. Verify that utilities, traffic loop detectors, and other items requiring a cut and installation beneath the asphalt surface have been completed and that asphalt surface has been repaired flush with adjacent asphalt prior to beginning installation of imprinted asphalt.

### 3.2 PATCHING

- A. Hot-Mix Asphalt Pavement: Saw cut perimeter of patch and excavate existing pavement section to sound base. Excavate rectangular or trapezoidal patches, extending 12 inches into adjacent sound pavement, unless otherwise indicated. Cut excavation faces vertically. Remove excavated material. Recompact existing unbound-aggregate base course to form new subgrade.
- B. Portland Cement Concrete Pavement: Break cracked slabs and roll as required to reseat concrete pieces firmly.
  - 1. Pump hot undersealing asphalt under rocking slab until slab is stabilized or, if necessary, crack slab into pieces and roll to reseat pieces firmly.
  - 2. Remove disintegrated or badly cracked pavement. Excavate rectangular or trapezoidal patches, extending into adjacent sound pavement, unless otherwise indicated. Cut excavation faces vertically. Recompact existing unbound-aggregate base course to form new subgrade.
- C. Tack Coat: Apply uniformly to vertical surfaces abutting or projecting into new, hot-mix asphalt paving at a rate of 0.05 to 0.15 gal./sq. yd.
  - 1. Allow tack coat to cure undisturbed before applying hot-mix asphalt paving.
  - 2. Avoid smearing or staining adjoining surfaces, appurtenances, and surroundings. Remove spillages and clean affected surfaces.
- D. Patching: Fill excavated pavements with hot-mix asphalt base mix for full thickness of patch and, while still hot, compact flush with adjacent surface.

### 3.3 REPAIRS

- A. Leveling Course: Install and compact leveling course consisting of hot-mix asphalt surface course to level sags and fill depressions deeper than 1 inch (in existing pavements).
  - 1. Install leveling wedges in compacted lifts not exceeding 3 inches (thick).
- B. Crack and Joint Filling: Remove existing joint filler material from cracks or joints to a depth of 1/4 inch().
  - 1. Clean cracks and joints in existing hot-mix asphalt pavement.
  - 2. Use emulsified-asphalt slurry to seal cracks and joints less than 1/4 inch(. Fill flush with surface of existing pavement and remove excess.
  - 3. Use hot-applied joint sealant to seal cracks and joints more than 1/4 inch() wide. Fill flush with surface of existing pavement and remove excess.

### 3.4 SURFACE PREPARATION

- A. General: Immediately before placing asphalt materials, remove loose and deleterious material from substrate surfaces. Ensure that prepared subgrade is ready to receive paving.
- B. Prime Coat: Apply uniformly over surface of compacted unbound-aggregate base course at a rate of 0.15 to 0.50 gal./sq. yd. Apply enough material to penetrate and seal but not flood surface. Allow prime coat to cure.
  - 1. If prime coat is not entirely absorbed within 24 hours after application, spread sand over surface to blot excess asphalt. Use enough sand to prevent pickup under traffic. Remove loose sand by sweeping before pavement is placed and after volatiles have evaporated.
  - 2. Protect primed substrate from damage until ready to receive paving.
- C. Tack Coat: Apply uniformly to surfaces of existing pavement at a rate of 0.05 to 0.15 gal./sq. yd. (
- D. Allow tack coat to cure undisturbed before applying hot-mix asphalt paving.
  - 1. Avoid smearing or staining adjoining surfaces, appurtenances, and surroundings. Remove spillages and clean affected surfaces.

### 3.5 PAVING GEOTEXTILE INSTALLATION

- A. Apply tack coat uniformly to existing pavement surfaces at a rate of 0.20 to 0.30 gal./sq. yd.
- B. Place paving geotextile promptly according to manufacturer's written instructions. Broom or roll geotextile smooth and free of wrinkles and folds. Overlap longitudinal joints 4 inches and transverse joints 6 inches.
  - 1. Protect paving geotextile from traffic and other damage and place hot-mix asphalt paving overlay the same day.

3.6 HOT-MIX ASPHALT PLACING

- A. Machine place hot-mix asphalt on prepared surface, spread uniformly, and strike off. Place asphalt mix by hand to areas inaccessible to equipment in a manner that prevents segregation of mix. Place each course to required grade, cross section, and thickness when compacted.
  - 1. Place hot-mix asphalt base course in number of lifts and thicknesses indicated.
  - 2. Place hot-mix asphalt surface course in single lift.
  - 3. Spread mix at minimum temperature of 250 deg F.
  - 4. Begin applying mix along centerline of crown for crowned sections and on high side of one-way slopes unless otherwise indicated.
  - 5. Regulate paver machine speed to obtain smooth, continuous surface free of pulls and tears in asphalt-paving mat.
- B. Place paving in consecutive strips not less than 10 feet (wide unless infill edge strips of a lesser width are required).
  - 1. After first strip has been placed and rolled, place succeeding strips and extend rolling to overlap previous strips. Complete a section of asphalt base course before placing asphalt surface course.
- C. Promptly correct surface irregularities in paving course behind paver. Use suitable hand tools to remove excess material forming high spots. Fill depressions with hot-mix asphalt to prevent segregation of mix; use suitable hand tools to smooth surface.

3.7 JOINTS

- A. Construct joints to ensure a continuous bond between adjoining paving sections. Construct joints free of depressions, with same texture and smoothness as other sections of hot-mix asphalt course.
  - 1. Clean contact surfaces and apply tack coat to joints.
  - 2. Offset longitudinal joints, in successive courses, a minimum of 6 inches.
  - 3. Offset transverse joints, in successive courses, a minimum of 24 inches.
  - 4. Construct transverse joints at each point where paver ends a day's work and resumes work at a subsequent time. Construct these joints using either "bulkhead" or "papered" method according to AI MS-22, for both "Ending a Lane" and "Resumption of Paving Operations".
  - 5. Compact joints as soon as hot-mix asphalt will bear roller weight without excessive displacement.
  - 6. Compact asphalt at joints to a density within 2 percent of specified course density.

3.8 COMPACTION

- A. General: Begin compaction as soon as placed hot-mix paving will bear roller weight without excessive displacement. Compact hot-mix paving with hot, hand tampers or with vibratory-plate compactors in areas inaccessible to rollers.
  - 1. Complete compaction before mix temperature cools to 185 deg F.
- B. Breakdown Rolling: Complete breakdown or initial rolling immediately after rolling joints and outside edge. Examine surface immediately after breakdown rolling for indicated crown, grade, and smoothness. Correct laydown and rolling operations to comply with requirements.
- C. Intermediate Rolling: Begin intermediate rolling immediately after breakdown rolling while hot-mix asphalt is still hot enough to achieve specified density. Continue rolling until hot-mix asphalt course has been uniformly compacted to the following density:
  - 1. Average Density: 96 percent of reference laboratory density according to ASTM D 6927 or AASHTO T 245, but not less than 94 percent nor greater than 100 percent.
  - 2. Average Density: 92 percent of reference maximum theoretical density according to ASTM D 2041, but not less than 90 percent nor greater than 96 percent.
- D. Finish Rolling: Finish roll paved surfaces to remove roller marks while hot-mix asphalt is still warm.
- E. Edge Shaping: While surface is being compacted and finished, trim edges of pavement to proper alignment. Bevel edges while asphalt is still hot; compact thoroughly.
- F. Repairs: Remove paved areas that are defective or contaminated with foreign materials and replace with fresh, hot-mix asphalt. Compact by rolling to specified density and surface smoothness.
- G. Protection: After final rolling, do not permit vehicular traffic on pavement until it has cooled and hardened.
- H. Erect barricades to protect paving from traffic until mixture has cooled enough not to become marked.

3.9 INSTALLATION TOLERANCES

- A. Pavement Thickness: Compact each course to produce the thickness indicated within the following tolerances:
  - 1. Base Course: Plus or minus 1/2 inch.
  - 2. Surface Course: Plus 1/4 inch, no minus.
- B. Pavement Surface Smoothness: Compact each course to produce a surface smoothness within the following tolerances as determined by using a 10-foot straightedge applied transversely or longitudinally to paved areas:
  - 1. Base Course: 1/4 inch.
  - 2. Surface Course: 1/8 inch.
  - 3. Crowned Surfaces: Test with crowned template centered and at right angle to crown. Maximum allowable variance from template is 1/4 inch.

3.10 SURFACE TREATMENTS

- A. Fog Seals: Apply fog seal at a rate of 0.10 to 0.15 gal./sq. yd. (to existing asphalt pavement and allow to cure. With fine sand, lightly dust areas receiving excess fog seal.
- B. Slurry Seals: Apply slurry coat in a uniform thickness according to ASTM D 3910 and allow to cure.
  - 1. Roll slurry seal to remove ridges and provide a uniform, smooth surface.

**SECTION 321313  
CONCRETE PAVING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: Provide data on joint filler, admixtures, and curing compound.
  - B. Design Data: Indicate pavement thickness, designed concrete strength, reinforcement, and typical details.
- 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Perform work in accordance with ACI 301.
  - B. Follow recommendations of ACI 305R when concreting during hot weather.
  - C. Follow recommendations of ACI 306R when concreting during cold weather.
- 1.3 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Do not place concrete when base surface temperature is less than 40 degrees F, or surface is wet or frozen.
- 1.4 FORM MATERIALS
  - A. Form Materials: Conform to ACI 301.
  - B. Joint Filler: Preformed; non-extruding bituminous type (ASTM D 1751) or sponge rubber or cork (ASTM D 1752)

**PART 2 MATERIALS**

- 2.1 STEEL REINFORCEMENT
  - A. Plain-Steel Welded Wire Reinforcement: ASTM A 185/A 185M, fabricated from as-drawn steel wire into flatsheets.
  - B. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M, Grade 60/Grade 420; deformed.
  - C. Bar Supports: Bolsters, chairs, spacers, and other devices for spacing, supporting, and fastening reinforcing bars, welded wire reinforcement, and dowels in place. Manufacture bar supports according to CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice" from steel wire, plastic, or precast concrete of greater compressive strength than concrete specified, and as follows:
- 2.2 CONCRETE MATERIALS
  - A. Cementitious Material: Use the following cementitious materials, of same type, brand, and source throughout Project:
    - 1. Portland Cement: ASTM C 150, gray portland cement Type I.
    - Fly Ash: ASTM C 618, Class C or Class F.
  - B. Normal-Weight Aggregates: ASTM C 33, Class 4S, uniformly graded. Provide aggregates from a single source with documented service-record data of at least 10 years' satisfactory service in similar paving applications and service conditions using similar aggregates and cementitious materials.
    - 1. Maximum Coarse-Aggregate Size: 1-1/2 inches (38 mm) nominal.
    - 2. Fine Aggregate: Free of materials with deleterious reactivity to alkali in cement.
  - C. Water: Potable and complying with ASTM C 94/C 94M.
  - D. Air-Entraining Admixture: ASTM C 260.
  - E. Chemical Admixtures: Admixtures certified by manufacturer to be compatible with other admixtures and to contain not more than 0.1 percent water-soluble chloride ions by mass of cementitious material.
    - 1. Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type A.
    - 2. High-Range, Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type F.
- 2.3 ACCESSORIES
  - A. Curing Compound: ASTM C 309, Type 1, Class A.
  - B. Joint Sealer: Type U-TB as specified in Section 079005.
  - C. Pigmented Mineral Dry-Shake Hardener (for HC ramps and decorative concrete): Factory-packaged, dry combination of portland cement, graded quartz aggregate, color pigments, and plasticizing admixture. Use color pigments that are finely ground, non-fading mineral oxides inter-ground with cement.
    - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - Dayton Superior Corporation; Quartz Tuff.
      - L&M Construction Chemicals, Inc.; QUARTZPLATE FF.
      - Scofield, L. M. Company; LITHOCHROME Color Hardener.
    - 2. Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
  - D. Stamp Mats (for decorative concrete): Semirigid polyurethane mats with projecting textured and ridged underside capable of imprinting texture and joint patterns on plastic concrete.
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
      - Bomanite Corporation.
      - Brickform.
      - Butterfield Color.
      - Scofield, L. M. Company.

- E. Stamp Tools (for decorative concrete): Open-grid, aluminum or rigid-plastic stamp tool capable of imprinting joint patterns on plastic concrete.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - Matcrete Precision Stamped Concrete Tools.
    - Scofield, L. M. Company.
    - SuperStone, Inc.
- 2.4 CONCRETE MIX DESIGN
  - A. Proportioning Normal Weight Concrete: Comply with ACI 211.1 recommendations.
  - B. Concrete Strength: Establish required average strength for each type of concrete on the basis of field experience or trial mixtures, as specified in ACI 301.
    - 1. For trial mixtures method, employ independent testing agency acceptable to Architect for preparing and reporting proposed mix designs.
  - C. Admixtures: Add acceptable admixtures as recommended in ACI 211.1 and at rates recommended by manufacturer.
  - D. Concrete Properties:
    - 1. Compressive Strength, when tested in accordance with ASTM C 39/C 39M at 28 days: 3,000 lbs for sidewalks; Refer to civil engineering drawings for vehicular pavement strengths.
    - 2. Fly Ash Content: Maximum 25 percent of cementitious materials by weight.
    - 3. Calcined Pozzolan Content: Maximum 10 percent of cementitious materials by weight.
    - 4. Water-Cement Ratio: Maximum 40 percent by weight.
    - 5. Total Air Content: 4 percent, determined in accordance with ASTM C 173/C 173M.
    - 6. Maximum Slump: 4 inches.
- 2.5 MIXING
  - A. Transit Mixers: Comply with ASTM C 94/C 94M.

### PART 3 EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Verify compacted subgrade is acceptable and ready to support paving and imposed loads.
  - B. Verify gradients and elevations of base are correct.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Moisten base to minimize absorption of water from fresh concrete.
  - B. Coat surfaces of manhole frames with oil to prevent bond with concrete pavement.
  - C. Notify Architect minimum 24 hours prior to commencement of concreting operations.
- 3.3 FORMING
  - A. Place and secure forms to correct location, dimension, profile, and gradient.
  - B. Assemble formwork to permit easy stripping and dismantling without damaging concrete.
  - C. Place joint filler vertical in position, in straight lines. Secure to formwork during concrete placement.
- 3.4 REINFORCEMENT
  - A. Place reinforcement at top of slabs-on-grade.
  - B. Interrupt reinforcement at contraction joints.
  - C. Place dowels to achieve pavement and curb alignment as detailed.
- 3.5 PLACING CONCRETE
  - A. Place concrete in accordance with ACI 304R.
  - B. Ensure reinforcement, inserts, embedded parts, and formed joints are not disturbed during concrete placement.
  - C. Place concrete continuously over the full width of the panel and between predetermined construction joints. Do not break or interrupt successive pours such that cold joints occur.
- 3.6 JOINTS
  - A. Align curb, gutter, and sidewalk joints.
  - B. Place 3/4 inch wide expansion joints at 60 foot intervals and to separate paving from vertical surfaces and other components and in pattern indicated.
    - 1. Form joints with joint filler extending from bottom of pavement to within 1/2 inch of finished surface.
    - 2. Secure to resist movement by wet concrete.
  - C. Provide scored joints:
    - 1. At 5 feet intervals in walks.
    - 2. Between sidewalks and curbs.
    - 3. Between curbs and asphaltic pavement.
  - D. Provide keyed joints as indicated.
  - E. Saw cut contraction joints 3/16 inch wide at an optimum time after finishing. Locate at maximum 15 feet on center. Cut 1/3 into depth of slab.

3.7 FINISHING

- A. Area Paving: Light broom, texture perpendicular to pavement direction.
- B. Sidewalk Paving: Light broom, texture perpendicular to direction of travel with troweled and radiused edge 1/4 inch radius.
- C. Curbs and Gutters: Light broom, texture parallel to pavement direction.
- D. Place curing compound on exposed concrete surfaces immediately after finishing. Apply in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- E. Texture and color accessible ramps to meet requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.

3.8 PIGMENTED MINERAL DRY-SHAKE HARDENER

- A. Pigmented Mineral Dry-Shake Hardener Finish: After initial floating, apply dry-shake materials to paving surfaces according to manufacturer's written instructions and as follows:
  - 1. Uniformly apply dry-shake hardener at a rate of 100 lb/100 sq. ft. unless greater amount is recommended by manufacturer to match paving color required.
  - 2. Uniformly distribute approximately two-thirds of dry-shake hardener over the concrete surface with mechanical spreader; allow hardener to absorb moisture and embed it by power floating. Follow power floating with a second application of pigmented mineral dry-shake hardener, uniformly distributing remainder of material at right angles to first application to ensure uniform color, and embed hardener by final power floating.
  - 3. After final power floating, apply the following finish:  
Medium-to-Fine-Textured Broom Finish: Draw a soft bristle broom across float-finished concrete surface, perpendicular to line of traffic, to provide a uniform, fine-line texture.  
Pigmented Powder Release Agent: Uniformly distribute onto dry-shake-hardened and still-plastic concrete at a rate of 3 to 4 lb/100 sq. ft.

3.9 STAMPING

- A. Mat Stamping: After floating and while concrete is plastic, apply mat-stamped finish.
- B. Pigmented Powder Release Agent: Uniformly distribute onto concrete at a rate of 3 to 4 lb/100 sq. ft. ( )
- C. Liquid Release Agent: Apply liquid release agent to the concrete surface and the stamp mat. Uniformly mist surface of concrete at a rate of 5 gal/1000 sq. ft. ( ).
- D. After application of release agent, accurately align and place stamp mats in sequence.
- E. Uniformly load mats and press into concrete to produce required imprint pattern and depth of imprint on concrete surface. Gently remove stamp mats. Hand stamp edges and surfaces unable to be imprinted by stamp mats.
- F. Remove residual release agent according to manufacturer's written instructions, but no fewer than three days after stamping concrete. High-pressure-wash surface and joint patterns, taking care not to damage stamped concrete. Control, collect, and legally dispose of runoff.
- G. Tool Stamping: After floating and while concrete is plastic, apply tool-stamped finish.
  - 1. Cover surface with polyethylene film, stretch taut to remove wrinkles, lap sides and ends 3 inches ( ), and secure to edge forms. Lightly broom surface to remove air bubbles.
  - 2. Accurately align and place stamp tools in sequence and tamp into concrete to produce required imprint pattern and depth of imprint on concrete surface. Gently remove stamp tools. Hand stamp edges and surfaces unable to be imprinted by stamp tools.
  - 3. Carefully remove polyethylene film immediately after tool stamping.

3.10 JOINT SEALING

- A. See Section 079005 for joint sealer requirements.

3.11 TOLERANCES

- A. Maximum Variation of Surface Flatness: 1/4 inch in 10 ft.
- B. Maximum Variation from True Position: 1/4 inch.

3.12 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. An independent testing agency will perform field quality control tests, as specified in Section 014000.
  - 1. Provide free access to concrete operations at project site and cooperate with appointed firm.
  - 2. Submit proposed mix design of each class of concrete to inspection and testing firm for review prior to commencement of concrete operations
  - 3. Tests of concrete and concrete materials may be performed at any time to ensure conformance with specified requirements.
- B. Compressive Strength Tests: ASTM C 39/C 39M. For each test, mold and cure three concrete test cylinders. Obtain test samples for every 100 cu yd or less of each class of concrete placed.
  - 1. Take one additional test cylinder during cold weather concreting, cured on job site under same conditions as concrete it represents.
  - 2. Perform one slump test for each set of test cylinders taken.
- C. Maintain records of placed concrete items. Record date, location of pour, quantity, air temperature, and test samples taken.

3.13 PROTECTION

- A. Immediately after placement, protect pavement from premature drying, excessive hot or cold temperatures, and mechanical injury.

## **SECTION 321713 PARKING BUMPERS**

### **PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Precast concrete parking bumpers and anchorage.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. ASTM A615/A615M - Standard Specification for Deformed and Plain Carbon-Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement 2022.
  - B. ASTM C150/C150M - Standard Specification for Portland Cement 2022.
  - C. ASTM C260/C260M - Standard Specification for Air-Entraining Admixtures for Concrete 2010a (Reapproved 2016).
  - D. ASTM C330/C330M - Standard Specification for Lightweight Aggregates for Structural Concrete 2017a.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Provide unit configuration, dimensions.

### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MATERIALS
  - A. Parking Bumpers: Precast concrete, conforming to the following:
    - 1. Profile: Rectangular cross section with sloped vertical faces, square ends.
    - 2. Cement: ASTM C150/C150M, Portland Type I - Normal; white color.
    - 3. Concrete Materials: ASTM C330/C330M aggregate, water, and sand.
    - 4. Reinforcing Steel: ASTM A615/A615M, deformed steel bars; unfinished, strength and size commensurate with precast unit design.
    - 5. Air Entrainment Admixture: ASTM C260/C260M.
    - 6. Concrete Mix: Minimum 5,000 psi compressive strength after 28 days, air entrained to 5 to 7 percent.
    - 7. Use rigid molds, constructed to maintain precast units uniform in shape, size and finish. Maintain consistent quality during manufacture.
    - 8. Embed reinforcing steel, and drill or sleeve for two dowels.
    - 9. Cure units to develop concrete quality, and to minimize appearance blemishes such as non-uniformity, staining, or surface cracking.
    - 10. Minor patching in plant is acceptable, providing appearance of units is not impaired.
  - B. Dowels: Steel, galvanized finish; 1/2 inch diameter, pointed tip.
  - C. Adhesive: Epoxy type.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

- 3.1 INSTALLATION
  - A. Install units without damage to shape or finish. Replace or repair damaged units.
  - B. Install units in alignment with adjacent work.
  - C. Fasten units in place with 2 dowels per unit.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 321723.13**  
**PAINTED PAVEMENT MARKINGS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Parking lot markings, including parking bays, handicapped symbols, and curb markings.
  - B. "No Parking" curb painting.
- 1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS
  - A. FS TT-P-1952 - Paint, Traffic and Airfield Marking, Waterborne 2015f (Validated 2020).
  - B. MPI (APL) - Master Painters Institute Approved Products List; Master Painters and Decorators Association Current Edition.
  - C. FHWA MUTCD - Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices 2010, with Errata.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. See Section 013000 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
  - B. Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including:
    - 1. Preparation instructions and recommendations.
    - 2. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations.
    - 3. Installation methods.
  - C. Certificates: Submit for each batch of paint and glass beads stating compliance with specified requirements.
- 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver paint in containers of at least 5 gallons accompanied by batch certificate.
  - B. Store products in manufacturer's unopened packaging until ready for installation.
  - C. Store and dispose of solvent-based materials, and materials used with solvent-based materials, in accordance with requirements of local authorities having jurisdiction.
- 1.5 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Do not install products under environmental conditions outside manufacturer's absolute limits.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

- 2.1 MATERIALS
  - A. Line and Zone Marking Paint: MPI (APL) No. 97 Latex Traffic Marking Paint; color(s) as indicated.
    - 1. Parking Lots: White.
    - 2. Handicapped Symbols: Blue.
  - B. Paint For Obliterating Existing Markings: FS TT-P-1952; black for bituminous pavements, gray for portland cement pavements.
  - C. Temporary Marking Tape: Preformed, reflective, pressure sensitive adhesive tape in color(s) required; Contractor is responsible for selection of material of sufficient durability as to perform satisfactorily during period for which its use is required.

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Do not begin installation until substrates have been properly prepared.
  - B. If substrate preparation is the responsibility of another installer, notify Architect of unsatisfactory preparation before proceeding.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Allow new pavement surfaces to cure for a period of not less than 14 days before application of marking materials.

- B. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.
- C. Obliteration of existing markings using paint is acceptable in lieu of removal; apply the black paint in as many coats as necessary to completely obliterate the existing markings.
- D. Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to installation.
  - 1. Remove dust, dirt, and other granular surface deposits by sweeping, blowing with compressed air, rinsing with water, or a combination of these methods.
  - 2. Completely remove rubber deposits, existing paint markings, and other coatings adhering to the pavement, by scraping, wire brushing, sandblasting, mechanical abrasion, or approved chemicals.
- E. Where oil or grease are present, scrub affected areas with several applications of trisodium phosphate solution or other approved detergent or degreaser, and rinse thoroughly after each application; after cleaning, seal oil-soaked areas with cut shellac to prevent bleeding through the new paint.
- F. Establish survey control points to determine locations and dimensions of markings; provide templates to control paint application by type and color at necessary intervals.
- G. Temporary Pavement Markings: When required or directed by Architect, apply temporary markings of the color(s), width(s) and length(s) as indicated or directed.
  - 1. After temporary marking has served its purpose, remove temporary marking by carefully controlled sandblasting, approved grinding equipment, or other approved method so that surface to which the marking was applied will not be damaged.
  - 2. At Contractor's option, temporary marking tape may be used in lieu of temporary painted marking; remove unsatisfactory tape and replace with painted markings at no additional cost to Owner.

### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Begin pavement marking as soon as practicable after surface has been cleaned and dried.
- B. Do not apply paint if temperature of surface to be painted or the atmosphere is less than 50 degrees F or more than 95 degrees F.
- C. Apply in accordance with manufacturer's instructions using an experienced technician that is thoroughly familiar with equipment, materials, and marking layouts.
- D. Comply with FHWA MUTCD manual (<http://mutcd.fhwa.dot.gov>) for details not shown.
- E. Apply markings in locations determined by measurement from survey control points; preserve control points until after markings have been accepted.
- F. Apply uniformly painted markings of color(s), lengths, and widths as indicated on drawings true, sharp edges and ends.
  - 1. Apply paint in one coat only.
  - 2. Wet Film Thickness: 0.015 inch, minimum.
  - 3. Length Tolerance: Plus or minus 3 inches.
  - 4. Width Tolerance: Plus or minus 1/8 inch.
- G. Parking Lots: Apply parking space lines, entrance and exit arrows, painted curbs, and other markings indicated on drawings.
  - 1. Mark the International Handicapped Symbol at indicated parking spaces.
  - 2. Hand application by pneumatic spray is acceptable.
- H. Symbols: Use a suitable template that will provide a pavement marking with true, sharp edges and ends, of the design and size indicated.

### 3.4 DRYING, PROTECTION, AND REPLACEMENT

- A. Protect newly painted markings so that paint is not picked up by tires, smeared, or tracked.
- B. Provide barricades, warning signs, and flags as necessary to prevent traffic crossing newly painted markings.
- C. Allow paint to dry at least the minimum time specified by the applicable paint standard and not less than that recommended by the manufacturer.
- D. Remove and replace markings that are applied at less than minimum material rates; deviate from true alignment; exceed length and width tolerances; or show light spots, smears, or other deficiencies or irregularities.

- E. Remove markings in manner to avoid damage to the surface to which the marking was applied, using carefully controlled sand blasting, approved grinding equipment, or other approved method.
- F. Replace removed markings at no additional cost to Owner.

**END OF SECTION**

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