

STATE OF INDIANA  
LAKE COUNTY  
FILED FOR RECORD



97 086894

# Western Surety Company

MORRIS W. CARTER

## LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND

For County, City, Town or Village Only-Not Valid for Bonds Required by the State. Not Valid for Contract, Performance, Maintenance, Subdivision, Agent to Sell Hunting and Fishing Licenses or Utility Guarantee Bond.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

BOND No. L & P. 42874444

That we, CRAIG B MILLER DBA NOVEL CONSTRUCTION CO INC  
of the TOWN of DYER, State of INDIANA, as Principal,  
and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State  
of INDIANA, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the  
COUNTY of LAKE, State of INDIANA, Obligee, in the amount  
(Valid only when a County, City, Town or Village is named as Obligee)  
of FIVE-THOUSAND 00/00 DOLLARS (\$ 5,000.00),  
(NOT VALID FOR MORE THAN \$25,000)

lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Obligee, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and our legal representatives, jointly and severally.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the Principal has been licensed CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR-ALL CITIES, TOWNS & MUNICIPALITIES IN LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA by the Obligee.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal shall faithfully perform the duties and comply with the laws and ordinances (including all amendments), pertaining to the license or permit, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect for a period commencing on the 10TH day of DECEMBER 1997, and ending on the 10TH day of DECEMBER 1998, unless renewed by continuation certificate.

This bond may be terminated at any time by the Surety upon sending notice in writing to the Obligee and to the Principal, in care of the Obligee or at such other address as the Surety deems reasonable, and at the expiration of thirty (30) days from the mailing of notice or as soon thereafter as permitted by applicable law, whichever is later, this bond shall terminate and the Surety shall be relieved from any liability for any subsequent acts or omissions of the Principal.

Dated this 10TH day of DECEMBER 1997.

CRAIG B MILLER DBA  
NOVEL CONSTRUCTION CO INC

Principal

*[Signature]*

Principal

Countersigned

*[Signature: Dwayne Johnson]*

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

By

Resident Agent

By

*[Signature: Stephen T. Pate]*

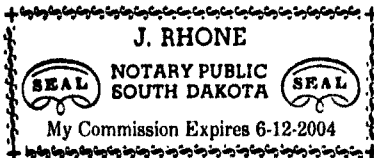
President

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

(Corporate Officer)

On this 10TH day of DEC 1997, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared Stephen T. Pate, who acknowledged himself to be the aforesaid officer of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation, and that he as such officer, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purpose therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself as such officer. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.



*[Signature: J. Rhone]*

Notary Public, South Dakota

Western Surety Company  
1-605-336-0850

12/10  
2410

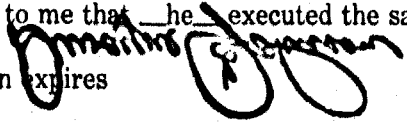
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL  
(Individual or Partners)

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ }  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ } ss

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared

\_\_\_\_\_ known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_



Notary Public

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL  
(Corporate Officer)

STATE OF INDIANA }  
County of LAKE } ss

On this 10TH day of DECEMBER 1997, before me,

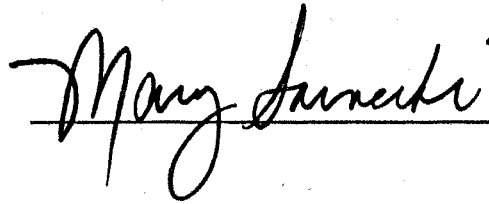
personally appeared CRAIG MILLER, who acknowledged himself to be the

PRESIDENT of NOVEL CONSTRUCTION CO INC, a corporation,

and that he as such officer being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing the name of the corporation by himself as such officer.

My commission expires

7-16-98



Notary Public

Western Surety Company

License or Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_

LICENSE AND PERMIT  
BOND

As

of \_\_\_\_\_

State of \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant

Address

Filed \_\_\_\_\_

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_