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Effective Date: May 26th, 2021

Western Surety Company

LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

Bond No. 65511433

That we, Counsel Construction, LLC

of Wander Lake, State of Illinois, as Principal,
and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation duly licensed to do surety business in the State of
Indiana, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the

City of East Chicago, State of Indiana, as Oblige, in the penal

sum of Five Thousand and 00/100 DOLLARS (\$5,000.00),
lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the Oblige, for which payment well and truly to be made,
we bind ourselves and our legal representatives, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the Principal has been
licensed General Contractor

by the Oblige.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal shall faithfully perform the duties and in all things comply
with the laws and ordinances, including all amendments thereto, pertaining to the license or permit
applied for, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect until
May 26th, 2022, unless renewed by Continuation Certificate.

This bond may be terminated at any time by the Surety upon sending notice in writing, by First Class
U.S. Mail, to the Oblige and to the Principal at the address last known to the Surety, and at the expiration
of thirty-five (35) days from the mailing of said notice, this bond shall ipso facto terminate and the Surety
shall thereupon be relieved from any liability for any acts or omissions of the Principal subsequent to said
date. Regardless of the number of years this bond shall continue in force, the number of claims made
against this bond, and the number of premiums which shall be payable or paid, the Surety's total limit of
liability shall not be cumulative from year to year or period to period, and in no event shall the Surety's total
liability for all claims exceed the amount set forth above. Any revision of the bond amount shall not be
cumulative.

Dated this 26th day of May, 2021.

Counsel Construction, LLC

Principal

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

By

Paul T. Bruffat
Paul T. Bruffat, Vice President



NOT AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT

Western Surety Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Dakota, and authorized and licensed to do business in the States of Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the United States of America, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

Paul T. Bruflat of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota, its regularly elected Vice President, as Attorney-in-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred upon him to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver for and on its behalf as Surety and as its act and deed, the following bond:

One General Contractor, City of East Chicago

bond with bond number 65511433

for Counsel Construction, LLC as Principal in the penalty amount not to exceed: \$ 5,000.00

Western Surety Company further certifies that the following is a true and exact copy of Section 7 of the by-laws of Western Surety Company duly adopted and now in force, to-wit:

Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney, or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact or agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile.

In Witness Whereof, the said WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be executed by its Vice President with the corporate seal affixed this 26th day of May, 2021.

ATTEST

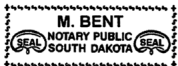
P. Leitheiser
P. Leitheiser, Assistant Secretary

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY
By Paul T. Bruflat
Paul T. Bruflat, Vice President

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }
COUNTY OF MINNEHAHA } ss

On this 26th day of May, 2021, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Paul T. Bruflat and P. Leitheiser

who, being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that they signed the above Power of Attorney as Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of the said WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said Corporation.



My Commission Expires March 2, 2026

M. Bent
Notary Public

To validate bond authenticity, go to www.cnasurety.com > Owner/Obligee Services > Validate Bond Coverage.

