

**PORT OF TACOMA
TACOMA, WASHINGTON
BANANA YARD RAIL SWITCH UPGRADE**

**PROJECT NO. 101615.01
CONTRACT NO. 071940**

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The undersigned Engineer of Record hereby certifies that the Technical Specifications for the following portions of this project were written by me, or under my direct supervision, and that I am duly registered under the laws of the State of Washington, and hereby affix my Professional Seal and signature.

Those Sections prepared under my direct supervision and being certified by my seal and signature below are as follows:

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1.01 SUMMARY

A. Contract Drawings: The following drawings are a part of the Contract Documents:

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- Scope of Work:** The Port has been awarded US Department of Transportation Federal Railroad Administration grant in the amount of \$2,365,000. In which 58.55% will be applied towards this project.
- The Work required for this Project includes:
The removal and replacement of fifteen (15) No 9 turnouts; remove and dispose of existing ballast and placement of new ballast under turnouts; furnishing, lining, grading, and compaction of new turnouts and trackwork; removal and replacement of existing paved crossings; coordinate with the Port of Tacoma and Tacoma Rail to complete the work in a phased approach that limits impacts to track outages and traffic.
- Bid Estimate:** Estimated cost range is \$2,750,000 to \$3,250,000, plus Washington State Sales Tax (WSST).
- In accordance with RCW 39.04.320, fifteen (15) percent apprenticeship participation is required for certain projects estimated to cost one million (\$1,000,000) dollars or more. Bidders may contact the Department of Labor and Industries, Specialty Compliance Services Division, Apprenticeship Section, P.O. Box 44530, Olympia, WA 98504-4530, by phone (360) 902-5320, or e-mail at Apprentice@lni.wa.gov, to obtain information on available apprenticeship programs.
- Sealed Bid Date/
Time/Location:** Bids will be received at the Front Reception Desk, Port Administration Office, One Sitcum Plaza, Tacoma, Washington 98421 until **10:00 A.M. on March 7, 2024**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud and the apparent low bid will be determined.
- Pre-Bid
Conference and Site
Tour:** A pre-Bid conference and site visit have been set for February 21, 2024 at 10:00 A.M. The site visit will convene at the Port's Administrative building, located at One Sitcum Plaza. The following Personal Protective Equipment is required for the site visit: sturdy shoes and reflective vest.
- Attendees will be required to sign a Release and Acceptance of Responsibility and Acknowledgement of Risks Form prior to entering the site and shall provide their own Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) as required above.
- Bid Security:** Each Bid must be accompanied by a Bid security in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the Base Bid in a form allowed by the Instructions to Bidders.

Contact Information: Any questions to the Port may be submitted to the Procurement Department through the Procurement and Question Submission Portal (Portal link is accessible via this specific procurements website. See left side of page.). A direct link is also available here: [Procurement and Question Portal Link](#). No oral responses will be binding by the Port.

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Questions will not be accepted after seven (7) days prior to the Bid Date.

Bidding Documents: Plans, Specifications, Addenda, and Plan Holders List for this Project are available on-line through The Port of Tacoma's Website portoftacoma.com. Click on "Contracts," "Procurement," and then the Procurement Number 071940. Bidders must subscribe to the Holder's List on the right hand side of the screen in order to receive automatic email notification of future addenda and to be placed on the Holder's List.

Holder's Lists will be updated regularly and posted to the specific procurements page. Additional Instructions available in Section 00 21 00 - Instructions to Bidders.

Public Works Training Requirements: Effective July 1, 2019, all businesses are required to have training before bidding on public works projects and prevailing wage under RCW 39.04.359 and RCW 39.12, or is on the list of exempt businesses maintained by the Department of Labor and Industries. The bidder must designate a person or persons to be trained on these requirements. The training will be provided by the Department of Labor and Industries or by a training provider whose curriculum is approved by the Department of Labor and Industries.

Please refer to Labor and Industries' web site (https://www.lni.wa.gov/TradesLicensing/PrevWage/Contractors/Training.asp?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery) for more information and training dates, requirements, and exemptions. Failure to attend this training could result in a determination of "not responsible" and the bidder not being awarded a public works contract.

Additional Information: Per the Federal grant, 2 C.F.R 200.322 to the extent consistent with the law and to the greatest extent practical the Port has a preference for the purchase, acquisition or use of goods, projects or materials produced in the United States. This requirement applies to the Prime contractor and subcontractors.

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PART 1 - SUMMARY

1.01 DEFINITIONS

All definitions set forth in the Agreement, the General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, and in other Contract Documents are applicable to the Bidding Documents.

- A. "Addenda" are written or graphic instruments issued prior to the execution of the Contract which modify or interpret the Bidding Documents by additions, deletions, clarifications, or corrections. The contents of an Addendum are issued in no particular order and therefore should be carefully and completely reviewed.
- B. An "Apprentice" is a worker for whom an apprenticeship agreement has been registered and approved by the Washington State Apprenticeship and Training Council (RCW 49.04 and WAC 296-05).
- C. "Award" means the formal decision by the Port of Tacoma ("Port") notifying a Responsible Bidder with the lowest responsive Bid of the Port's acceptance of their Bid and intent to enter into a Contract with the Bidder.
- D. The "Award Requirements" include the statutory requirements as a condition precedent to Award.
- E. The "Base Bid" is the sum stated in the Bid for which the Bidder offers to perform the Work described in the Bidding Documents as the base to which Work may be added or from which Work may be deleted for sums stated in Alternate Bids.
- F. A "Bid" is a complete and properly signed proposal to do the Work, submitted in accordance with the Bidding Documents, for the sums therein stipulated and supported by any data called for by the Bidding Documents.
- G. The "Bid Date" is the day and hour specified in the Bidding Documents, as may be changed through an Addendum, by which Bidders are required to submit Bids to the Port.
- H. The "Bid Form" is the form(s) included with the Bidding Documents, with Specification Section 00 41 00, through which a Bidder submits a Bid.
- I. A "Bidder" is a person or entity who submits a Bid.
- J. The "Bidding Documents" include the Advertisement or Invitation to Bid, Instructions to Bidders, the Bid Form, any other sample bidding and contract forms, including those provided by reference, the Bid security, and the proposed Contract Documents, including any Addenda issued prior to the Bid Date.
- K. The "Contract Documents" proposed for the Work consist of the Agreement, the General Conditions of the Contract (as well as any Supplemental, Special, or other conditions included in the Project Manual), the Drawings, the Specifications, and all Addenda issued prior to, and all modifications issued after, execution of the Contract.
- L. A "Sub-Bidder" is a person or entity of any tier who submits a bid or proposal to or through the Bidder for materials, equipment or labor for a portion of the Work.

1.02 BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS

By making its Bid, each Bidder represents that:

- A. **BIDDING DOCUMENTS.** The Bidder has read and understands the Bidding Documents, and its Bid is made in accordance with them.

- B. PRE-BID MEETING. The Bidder has attended pre-Bid meeting(s) required by the Bidding Documents. Attendance at a mandatory meeting or training session means that, in the sole opinion of the Port, a Project representative of a Bidder has attended all or substantially all of such meeting or session.
- C. BASIS. Its Bid is based upon the materials, systems, services, and equipment required by the Bidding Documents, and is made without exception.
- D. EXAMINATION. The Bidder has carefully examined and understands the Bidding Documents, the Contract Documents including, but not limited to, any liquidated damages, insurance provisions, and the Project site, including any existing buildings, it has familiarized itself with the local conditions under which the Work is to be performed, has correlated its observations with the requirements of the proposed Contract Documents, and it has satisfied itself as to the nature, location, character, quality, and quantity of the Work, the labor, materials, equipment, goods, supplies, work, services, and other items to be furnished, and all other requirements of the Contract Documents. The Bidder has also satisfied itself as to the conditions and other matters that may be encountered at the Project site or that may affect performance of the Work or the cost or difficulty thereof, including, but not limited to, those conditions and matters affecting transportation, access, disposal, handling and storage of materials, equipment and other items; availability and quality of labor, water, electric power, and utilities; availability and condition of roads; climatic conditions and seasons; physical conditions at the Project site and the surrounding locality; topography and ground surface conditions; and equipment and facilities needed preliminary to, and at all times during, the performance of the Work. The failure of the Bidder to fully acquaint itself with any applicable condition or matter shall not in any way relieve the Bidder from the responsibility for performing the Work in accordance with, and for the Contract Sum and within the Contract Time provided for in, the Contract Documents.
- E. PROJECT MANUAL. The Bidder has checked its copies of the Project Manual (if any) with the table of contents bound therein to ensure the Project Manual is complete.
- F. SEPARATE WORK. The Bidder has examined and coordinated all Drawings, Contract Documents, and Specifications with any other contracts to be awarded separately from, but in connection with, the Work being Bid upon, so that the Bidder is fully informed as to conditions affecting the Work under the Contract being Bid upon.
- G. LICENSE REQUIREMENTS. The Bidders and Sub-Bidders are registered and hold all licenses required by the laws of Washington, including a certificate of registration in compliance with RCW 18.27, for the performance of the Work specified in the Contract Documents.
- H. CERTIFICATION. The Bidder verifies under penalty of perjury that the Bidder has not have been determined by a final and binding citation and notice of assessment issued by the Department of Labor and Industries or through a civil judgment entered by a court of limited or general jurisdiction to have willfully violated, as defined in RCW 49.48.082, any provision of Chapters 49.46, 49.48, or 49.52 RCW within the three (3) year period immediately preceding the Bid Date.
- I. NO EXCEPTIONS. Bids must be based upon the materials, systems, and equipment described and required by the Bidding Documents, without exception.

1.03 BIDDING DOCUMENTS

A. COPIES

1. Bidders may obtain complete sets of the Bidding Documents from The Port of Tacoma's Website www.portoftacoma.com. Click on "Contracts" then "Procurement."

2. Complete Sets. Bidders shall use complete sets of Bidding Documents in preparing Bids and are solely responsible for obtaining updated information. The Port does not assume any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete and/or superseded sets of Bidding Documents.
3. Conditions. The Port makes copies of the Bidding Documents available only for the purpose of obtaining Bids on the Work and does not confer a license or grant permission for any other use.
4. Legible Documents. To the extent any Drawings, Specifications, or other Bidding Documents are not legible, it is the Bidder's responsibility to obtain legible documents.

B. INTERPRETATION OR CORRECTION OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS

1. Format. The Contract Documents are divided into parts, divisions, and sections for convenient organization and reference. Generally, there has been no attempt to divide the Specification sections into Work performed by the various building trades, any Work by separate contractors, or any Work required for separate facilities in, or phases of the Project.
2. Duty to Notify. Bidders shall promptly notify the Port in writing of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or error that they may discover upon examination of the Bidding Documents or of the site and local conditions.
3. Products and Installation. All Bidders shall thoroughly familiarize themselves with specified products and installation procedures and submit to the Port any objections (in writing) no later than seven (7) days prior to the Bid Date. The submittal of the Bid constitutes acceptance of products and procedures specified as sufficient, adequate, and satisfactory for completion of the Contract.
4. Written Request. Bidders requiring clarification or interpretation of the Bidding Documents shall make a written request to the Procurement Department through the Procurement and Question Submission Portal at least seven (7) days prior to the Bid Date (Portal link is accessible via this specific procurements website. See left side of page.). A direct link is also available here: [Procurement and Question Portal Link](#). No oral responses will be binding by the Port.

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5. Request to Modify Responsibility Criteria. No later than seven (7) days prior to the Bid Date, a potential Bidder may request in writing that the Port modify the Responsibility Criteria. The Port will evaluate the information submitted by the potential Bidder and respond before the Bid Date. If the evaluation results in a change of the Criteria, the Port will issue an Addendum identifying the new Criteria.
6. Addenda. The Bidder shall not rely on oral information provided at any pre-Bid meetings or during site visits. Verbal statements made by representatives of the Port are for informational purposes only. Any interpretation, correction, or change of the Bidding Documents will be made solely by written Addendum. Interpretations, corrections, or changes of the Bidding Documents made in any manner other than by written Addendum, including but not limited to, oral statements will not be binding, and Bidders shall not rely upon such statements, interpretations, corrections, or changes. The Port is not responsible for explanations or interpretations of the Bidding Documents other than in a written Addendum.

7. Site Visits. Any site visits are provided as a courtesy to potential Bidders to assist them in becoming familiar with the Project site conditions. However, only the Bidding Documents, including any issued Addenda, may be relied upon by Bidders.
8. Singular References. Reference in the singular to an article, device, or piece of equipment shall include as many of such articles, devices, or pieces as are indicated in the Contract Documents or as are required to complete the installation.
9. Utilities and Runs. The Bidder should assume that the exact locations of any underground or hidden utilities, underground fuel tanks, and plumbing and electrical runs may be somewhat different from any location indicated in the surveys or Contract Documents.

C. SUBSTITUTIONS

1. For substitutions during bidding, refer to Section 00 26 00 – Substitution Procedures.

D. ADDENDA

1. Distribution. All Addenda will be written and will be made available on the Port's website or any other source specified by the Port for the Project.
2. Copies. Copies of Addenda will be made available for inspection wherever Bidding Documents are on file for that purpose.
3. Verification and Acknowledgment of Receipt. Prior to submitting a Bid, each Bidder shall ascertain that it has received all Addenda issued. Each Bidder shall acknowledge its receipt and consideration of all Addenda in its Bid.

1.04 BIDDING PROCEDURE

A. FORM AND STYLE OF BIDS

1. Form. Bids (including required attachments) shall be submitted on forms identical to the Bid Form included with the Bidding Documents. No oral, email, or telephonic responses or modifications will be considered.
2. Entries on the Bid Form. All blanks on the Bid Form shall be filled in by typewriter, printer, or manually in ink.
3. Figures. All sums shall be expressed in figures, not words. Portions of the Bid Form may require the addition or multiplication of component bids to a total or the identification of component amounts within a total. In case of discrepancy between unit prices listed and their sum(s), the unit prices listed shall govern (rather than the sum).
4. Initial Changes. Any interlineation, alteration, or erasure shall be initialed by an authorized representative of the Bidder.
5. Bid Breakdown. The Bid Form may contain, for the Port's accounting purposes only, a breakdown of some or all of the components included in the Base Bid.
 - a. For lump-sum Bids, the total Contract Sum shall be submitted.
 - b. For unit-price Bids, a price shall be submitted for each item of the Work, an extension thereof, and, if requested, the total Contract Sum.
6. No Conditions. The Bidder shall make no conditions or stipulations on the Bid Form, nor qualify its Bid in any manner.

7. Identity of Bidder. The Bidder shall include in the specified location on the Bid Form, the legal name of the Bidder and, if requested, a description of the Bidder as a sole proprietor, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, or another described form of legal entity. The Bid shall be signed by the person or persons legally authorized to bind the Bidder to a contract. The Port verifies signature authority on the Labor and Industries website <https://fortress.wa.gov/lni/bbip/Search.aspx> under the contractor registration business owner information. If the business owner information is not current, the Bidder shall show proof of authority to sign at the request of the Port. A Bid submitted by an agent shall have a current power of attorney attached certifying the agent's authority to bind the Bidder
8. Bid Amounts Do Not Include Sales Tax. The Work to be performed constitutes a "retail sale" as this term is defined in RCW 82.04.050. Thus, the Base Bid amount shall include in the sum stated all taxes imposed by law, EXCEPT WASHINGTON STATE AND LOCAL SALES TAX due on the Base Bid. The engaged Contractor will pay retail sales tax on all consumables used during the performance of the Work and on all items that are not incorporated into the final Work; this tax shall be included in the Base Bid price and in any other prices set forth on the Bid Form. The Port will pay state and local retail sales tax due on each progress payment and final payment to the engaged Contractor for transmittal by the Contractor to the Washington State Department of Revenue or to the applicable local government.

B. POTENTIAL LISTING OF SUB-BIDDERS (SUBCONTRACTORS)

1. Procedure. On projects equal to or greater than \$1,000,000, the Bid Form includes a requirement that certain Sub-Bidders be listed, in which case the Bidder must complete the required list. In these circumstances, and regardless of the anticipated cost of the Project, the Bidder must name the Sub-Bidder or Sub-Bidders with whom the Bidder, if awarded the Contract, will subcontract directly (i.e., not lower-tier Sub-Bidders) for performance of the Work of:
 - a. HVAC (heating, ventilation, and air conditioning) Work;
 - b. Plumbing Work as described in RCW 18.106;
 - c. Electrical Work as described in RCW 19.28; and
 - d. Any other categories of Work listed on the Sub-Bidder listing form and/or Bid Form.
2. Self-Performance. If the Bidder intends to self-perform any of these categories of Work, it must name itself for each such category of Work.
3. Multiple Entries. The Bidder shall not list more than one (1) entity for a particular category of Work identified, unless a Sub-Bidder will vary based on an Alternate Bid, in which case the Bidder shall identify the Sub-Bidder to be used for the Alternate and the affected portion of the Work.
4. Failure to Submit. In accordance with RCW 39.30.060, failure of a Bidder to submit, as part of the Bid, the names of such proposed HVAC, plumbing, and electrical Sub-Bidders, or to name itself to perform such Work, or the naming of two (2) or more Sub-Bidders to perform the same Work, shall render the Bidder's Bid non-responsive and; therefore, void.
5. Requirement to Subcontract. The Bidder, if Awarded the Contract, will subcontract with the listed Sub-Bidders for performance of the portion of the Work designated on the Bid Form, subject to the provisions of the Contract for Construction and RCW 39.30.060. The Bidder shall not substitute a listed Sub-Bidder in furtherance of bid shopping or bid peddling.

6. Sub-Bidder Qualification. Listed Sub-Bidders may be required to provide evidence of their qualifications, including a statement of experience and references, prior to Award, or at any time during the Contract Time. Such information shall be provided within twenty-four (24) hours of request. This evidence shall demonstrate that the Sub-Bidder meets or exceeds all requirements for experience, qualifications, manufacturer's certifications, or any other requirements specified in any of the technical sections of the Contract Documents for which the Sub-Bidder proposes to perform Work.
7. Replacement. If a listed Sub-Bidder fails to provide adequate evidence of qualifications, is unable to comply with any bonding requirements of the Bidding Documents or with other requirements of the Contract or Bidding Documents, is not properly licensed, or fails to meet the Responsibility Criteria of the Bidding Documents, the Port may require the Bidder to replace the Sub-Bidder with another subcontractor reasonably acceptable to the Port at no change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time.
8. Sub-Bidder Standards. Sub-Bidders shall meet contractual and technical qualification standards, and provide specialized certification, licensing, and/or payment and performance bonding, if required.
9. MWBE, Veteran-owned, and small business participation encouraged. The Port's policy is to encourage the Contractor to solicit and document participation, and to provide and promote the maximum lawful, practicable opportunity for increased participation, by MWBE firms certified by the Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises (OMWBE), Veteran-owned businesses (defined in RCW 43.60.010, and Small, Mini and Micro business enterprises (defined in RCW 39.26.010).

C. BID SECURITY

1. Purpose and Procedure. Each Bid shall be accompanied by Bid security payable to the Port in the form required by the Bidding Documents and equal to five (5) percent of the Base Bid only (i.e., not including any Alternates or Unit Prices). The Bid security constitutes a pledge by the Bidder to the Port that the Bidder will enter into the Contract with the Port in the form provided, in a timely manner, and on the terms stated in its Bid, and will furnish in a timely manner, the payment and performance bonds, certificates of insurance, and all other documents required in the Contract Documents. Should the Bidder fail or refuse to enter into the Contract or fail to furnish such documents, the amount of the Bid security shall be forfeited to the Port as liquidated damages, not as a penalty. By submitting a Bid, each Bidder represents and agrees that the Bid security, if forfeited, is a reasonable prediction on the Bid Date of future damages to the Port. Failure of the Bidder to provide Bid Security as required shall render the bid non-responsive.
2. Form. The Bid security shall be in the form of a certified or bank cashier's check payable to the Port or a Bid bond executed by a bonding company reasonably acceptable to the Port, licensed in the State of Washington, registered with the Washington State Insurance Commissioner, possess an A.M. Best rating of "A-," Fiscal Size Category (FSC) six (6) or better, and be authorized by the U.S. Department of the Treasury. The Bid security shall be signed by the person or persons legally authorized to bind the Bidder. Bid bonds shall be submitted using the form included with the Bidding Documents.
3. Retaining Bid Security. The Port will have the right to retain the Bid security of Bidders to whom an Award is being considered until the earliest of either: (a) mutual execution of the Contract, and the Port's receipt of payment and performance bonds, (b) the specified time has elapsed so that Bids may be withdrawn, or (c) when all Bids have been rejected.

4. Return of Bid Security. Within sixty (60) days after the Bid Date, the Port will release or return Bid securities to Bidders whose Bids are not to be further considered in awarding the Contract. Bid securities of the three apparent low Bidders will be held until the Contract has been finally executed, after which all un-forfeited Bid securities will be returned. Bid security may be returned in the form provided or by separate payment.

D. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

1. Procedure. The Bid, the Bid security, and other documents required to be submitted with the Bid, shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope identified with the Project name and number and the Bidder's name and address. If the Bid is sent by mail, the sealed envelope shall be enclosed in a separate mailing envelope with the notation "SEALED BID ENCLOSED" on the face of the mailing envelope.
 - a. If a Bid is mailed, it shall be addressed to the Port of Tacoma, Contracts Department, 1 Sitcum Plaza, Tacoma, WA 98421.
 - b. If a Bid is delivered, it shall be delivered to the Front Reception Desk, Port of Tacoma, 1 Sitcum Plaza, Tacoma, WA 98421.
 - c. The time stamp clock at the Front Reception Desk at 1 Sitcum Plaza is the Port's official clock.
2. Deposit. Bids shall be deposited at the designated location prior to the Bid Date indicated in the Advertisement or Invitation to Bid, or any extension thereof made by Addendum. Bids received after the Bid Date and time specified shall be returned without consideration at the discretion of the Port, or rejected at the time of receipt.
3. Delivery. The Bidder assumes full responsibility for timely delivery at the location designated for receipt of Bids.
4. Form. Oral, facsimile, telephonic, electronic, or email Bids are invalid and will not be considered.

E. MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF BID

1. After the Bid Date. A Bid may not be modified, withdrawn, or canceled by the Bidder during a ninety (90) day period following the Bid Date, and each Bidder so agrees by virtue of submitting its Bid.
2. Before the Bid Date. Prior to the Bid Date, any Bid submitted may be modified or withdrawn only by notice to the party receiving Bids at the place designated for receipt of Bids. The notice shall be in writing, with the signature of the Bidder, and shall be worded so as not to reveal the amount of the original Bid. Email notice will not be accepted. It shall be the Bidder's sole responsibility to verify that the notice has been received by the Port in time to be withdrawn before the Bid opening.
3. Resubmittal. Withdrawn Bids may be resubmitted up to the time designated for the receipt of Bids, provided that they are then fully in conformance with these Instructions to Bidders.
4. Bid Security with Resubmission. Bid security shall be in an amount sufficient for the Bid as modified or resubmitted.

F. COMMUNICATIONS

Communications from a Bidder related to these Instructions to Bidders must be in writing to the Procurement Department through the Procurement and Question Submission Portal (Portal link is accessible via this specific procurements website. See left side of page.). A direct link is also available here: [Procurement and Question Portal Link](#). Communications, including but not limited to, notices and requests by Sub-Bidders shall be made through the Bidder and not directly by a Sub-Bidder to the Port. No oral responses will be binding by the Port.

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1.05 CONSIDERATION OF BIDS

- A. OPENING OF BIDS. Unless stated otherwise in the Advertisement or Invitation to Bid or an Addendum, the properly identified Bids received on time will be opened publicly and will be read aloud. An abstract of the Base Bids and any Alternate Bids will promptly (and generally within twenty-four (24) hours) be made available to Bidders and other interested parties.
- B. REJECTION OF BIDS. The Port shall have the right, but not the obligation, to reject any or all Bids for any reason, or for no reason, to reject a Bid not accompanied by the required Bid security, or to reject a Bid which is in any way incomplete or irregular.
- C. BIDDING MISTAKES. The Port will not be obligated to consider notice of claimed Bid mistakes received more than twenty-four (24) hours after the Bid Date. In accordance with Washington law, a low Bidder that claims error and fails to enter into the Contract is prohibited from Bidding on the Project if a subsequent call for Bids is made for the Project.
- D. ACCEPTANCE OF BID (AWARD)
 - 1. Intent to Accept. The Port intends, but is not bound, to Award a Contract to the Responsible Bidder with the lowest responsive Bid, provided the Bid has been submitted in accordance with the requirements of the Bidding Documents and does not exceed the funds available. The Port has the right to waive any informality or irregularity in any Bid(s) received and to accept the Bid which, in its judgment, is in its own best interests.
 - 2. Requirements for Award. Before the Award, the lowest responsive Bidder must be deemed Responsible by the Port and must satisfy all Award Requirements.
- E. BID PROTEST PROCEDURES
 - 1. Procedure. A Bidder protesting, for any reason, the Bidding Documents, a Bidding procedure, the Port's objection to a Bidder or a person or entity proposed by the Bidder, including but not limited to, a finding of non-Responsibility, the Award of the Contract or any other aspect arising from, or relating in any way to, the Bidding, shall cause a written protest to be filed with the Port within two (2) business days of the event giving rise to the protest. (Intermediate Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays are not counted as business days.) The written protest shall include the name of the protesting Bidder, the bid solicitation number and title under which the protest is submitted, a detailed description of the specific factual and legal grounds for the protest, copies of all supporting documents, evidence that the apparent low bidder has been given notice of the protest, and the specific relief requested. The written protest shall be sent by email to procurement@portoftacoma.com.

2. Consideration. Upon receipt of the written protest, the Port will consider the protest. The Port may, within three (3) business days of the Port's receipt of the protest, provide any other affected Bidder(s) the opportunity to respond in writing to the protest. If the protest is not resolved by mutual agreement of the protesting Bidder and the Port, the Contracts Director of the Port, or his or her designee, will review the issues and promptly furnish a final and binding written decision to the protesting Bidder, and any other affected Bidder(s), within six (6) business days of the Port's receipt of the protest. (If more than one (1) protest is filed, the Port's decision will be provided within six (6) business days of the Port's receipt of the last protest.) If no reply is received from the Port during the six (6) business-day period, the protest will be deemed rejected.
3. Waiver. Failure to comply with these protest procedures will render a protest waived.
4. Condition Precedent. Timely and proper compliance with, and exhaustion of, these protest procedures shall be a condition precedent to any otherwise permissible judicial consideration of a protest.

1.06 POST BID INFORMATION

A. THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE BIDDER SHALL:

1. Responsibility Detail Form. Within 24 hours of the Low Responsive Bidder Selection Notification, the apparent low Bidder shall submit to the Port the Responsibility Detail Form and other required documents (Section 00 45 13) executed by an authorized company officer. As requested from the Port, the low responsive Bidder shall provide written confirmation that the person signing the Bid on behalf of the Bidder was duly authorized at the time of bid, a detailed breakdown of the Bid in a form acceptable to the Port, and other information required by the Port.
2. The apparent low Bidder shall submit to the Port upon request:
 - a. Additional information regarding the use of the Bidder's own forces and the use of subcontractors and suppliers;
 - b. The names of the persons or entities (including a designation of the Work to be performed with the Bidder's own forces, and the names of those who are to furnish materials or equipment fabricated to a special design) proposed for each of the principal portions of the Work (i.e., either a listed Sub-Bidder or a Sub-Bidder performing Work valued at least ten (10) percent of the Base Bid), consistent with the listing required with the Bid; and
 - c. The proprietary names and the suppliers of the principal items or systems of materials and equipment proposed for the Work.
3. Failure to provide any of the above information in a timely manner will constitute an event of breach permitting forfeiture of the Bid security.
4. Bidder Responsibility. The Bidder will be required to establish, to the satisfaction of the Port, the reliability and responsibility of itself and the persons or entities proposed to furnish and perform the Work described in the Bidding Documents. If requested, the Bidder shall meet with the Port to discuss the Bid, including any pricing, the Bid components, and any assumptions made by the Bidder.

5. Sub-Bidder Responsibility. The Responsibility of the Bidder may be judged in part by the Responsibility of Sub-Bidders. Bidders must verify the Responsibility Criteria for each first-tier Sub-Bidder. A Sub-Bidder of any tier that hires other Sub-Bidders must verify Responsibility Criteria for each of its lower-tier Sub-Bidders. The verification shall include a representation that each Sub-Bidder, at the time of subcontract execution, is Responsible and possesses required licenses.
6. Objection. Prior to an Award of the Contract, the Port will notify the Bidder in writing if the Port, after due investigation, has reasonable objection to the Bidder or a person or entity proposed by the Bidder. Upon receiving such objection, the Bidder may, at Bidder's option: (a) withdraw their Bid, (b) submit an acceptable substitute person or entity with no change in the Contract Time and no adjustment in the Base Bid or any Alternate Bid, even if there is a cost to the Bidder occasioned by such substitution, or (c) file a protest in accordance with the Bidding Documents.
7. Change. Persons and entities proposed by the Bidder to whom the Port has made no reasonable objection must be used on the Work for which they were proposed and shall not be changed, except with the written consent of the Port.
8. Right to Terminate. The Bidder's representations concerning its qualifications will be construed as a covenant under the Contract. If a Bidder makes a material misrepresentation on a Qualification Statement, the Port has the right to terminate the Contract for cause and may then pursue any remedies that exist under the Contract or that are otherwise available.

- B. INFORMATION FROM OTHER BIDDERS: All other Bidders designated by the Port as under consideration for Award of a Contract shall also provide a properly executed Qualification Statement, if so requested by the Port.

1.07 PERFORMANCE BOND, LABOR AND MATERIAL PAYMENT BOND, AND INSURANCE

- A. BOND REQUIREMENTS. Within ten (10) days after the Port's Notice of Award of the Contract, the successful Bidder shall obtain and furnish statutory bonds pursuant to RCW 39.08 covering the faithful performance of the Contract and the payment of all obligations arising thereunder in the form and amount prescribed in the Contract Documents. Bonds shall be written for one hundred (100) percent of the contract award amount, plus Washington State Sales Tax and Change Orders. The cost of such bonds shall be included in the Base Bid.
1. On contracts of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) or less, at the option of the Contractor or the General Contractor/Construction Manager as defined in RCW 39.10.210, the Port may, in lieu of the bond, retain ten (10) percent of the contract amount for a period of thirty days after date of final acceptance, or until receipt of all necessary releases from the department of revenue, the employment security department, and the department of labor and industries and settlement of any liens filed under RCW 60.28, whichever is later. The recovery of unpaid wages and benefits must be the first priority for any actions filed against retainage held by a state agency or authorized local government.
 2. On contracts of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) or less, the Port may accept a full payment and performance bond from an individual surety or sureties.
- B. TIME OF DELIVERY AND FORM OF BONDS. The successful Bidder shall deliver an original copy of the required bonds to the Port, 1 Sitcum Plaza, Tacoma, WA 98421, within the time specified in the Contract Documents.
- C. INSURANCE. The successful Bidder shall deliver a certificate of insurance from the Bidder's insurance company that meets or exceeds all requirements of the Contract Documents.

- D. **GOVERNMENTAL REQUIREMENTS.** Notwithstanding anything in the Bidding or Contract Documents to the contrary, the Bidder shall provide all bonding, insurance, and permit documentation as required by governmental authorities having jurisdiction for any portions of the Project.

1.08 FORM OF AGREEMENT

- A. **FORM TO BE USED.** The Contract for the Work will be written on the form(s) contained in the Bidding Documents, including any General, Supplemental, or Special Conditions, and the other Contract Documents included with the project manual.
- B. **CONFLICTS.** In case of conflict between the provisions of these Instructions and any other Bidding Document, these Instructions shall govern. In case of conflict between the provisions of the Bidding Documents and the Contract Documents, the Contract Documents shall govern.
- C. **CONTRACT DELIVERY.** Within ten (10) days after Notice of Award, the Bidder shall submit a signed Contract to the Port in the form tendered to the Bidder and without modification.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for substitutions.

1.02 DEFINITIONS/CLARIFICATIONS

- A. Substitutions. Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those required by the Contract Documents and proposed by Contractor.
- B. The Contract Documents include performance specifications for products and equipment which meet Project requirements. In those cases where a representative item or manufacturer is named in the specification, it is provided for the sole purpose of identifying a product meeting the required functional performance, and where the words "or equal" are used, a substitution request as further described, is not required.
- C. Where non-competitive or sole source products or manufacturers are explicitly specified with the words "or approved equal," or "Engineer approved equal," or "as approved by the Engineer" are used, they shall be taken to mean "or approved equal." In these cases a substitution request as further described in this Section, is required.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Substitution Request Form. Use copy of form located at the end of this Section.
- B. Pre-Bid Substitution Requests. Submit one (1) PDF of the Substitution Request Form along with all supporting documentation for consideration of each request. Identify product, fabrication, or installation method to be replaced. Include Drawing numbers and titles. Substitution requests prior to the Bid Date may originate directly from a prime Bidder, or from a prospective Sub-Bidder.
1. Documentation. Show compliance with requirements for substitutions with the following, as applicable:
 - a. Statement indicating why specified product, fabrication, or installation cannot be provided.
 - b. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work that will be necessary to accommodate proposed substitution.
 - c. Product Data, including drawings and descriptions of products, fabrication, and installation procedures.
 - d. Samples, where applicable or requested.
 - e. Certificates and qualification data, where applicable or requested.
 - f. Research reports evidencing compliance with building code in effect for the Project.
 2. Engineer's Action. Engineer will review substitution requests if received through the Procurement and Question Submission Portal at least seven (7) days prior to the Bid Date (Portal link is accessible via this specific procurements website. See left side of page.) A direct link is also available here: [Procurement and Question Portal Link](#). No oral responses will be binding by the Port.
 - a. Forms of Acceptance. Substitution requests will be formally accepted via written addendum prior to the Bid Date. Bidders shall not rely upon approvals made in any other manner.

- b. Use product originally specified if Engineer does not issue a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.
- c. The Port's decision of approval or disapproval of a proposed substitution shall be final.

Instructions for utilizing the portal can be found here: [Procurement and Question Submission Portal Instructions](#).

C. Post-Award Substitution Requests must be submitted by the Contractor and not a Subcontractor nor Supplier.

- 1. Documentation. Show compliance with requirements for substitutions with the following, as applicable:
 - a. Statement indicating why specified product or fabrication or installation cannot be provided, if applicable.
 - b. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work that will be necessary to accommodate proposed substitution.
 - c. Detailed comparison of significant qualities of proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Include annotated copy of applicable specification Section. Significant qualities may include, but are not limited to, attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, sustainable design characteristics, warranties, and specific features and requirements indicated. Indicate deviations, if any, from the Work specified.
 - d. Product Data, including drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
 - e. Samples, where applicable or requested.
 - f. Certificates and qualification data, where applicable or requested.
 - g. List of similar installations for completed projects with project names and addresses. Also provide names and addresses of the applicable architect, engineer, and owner.
 - h. Material test reports from a qualified testing agency indicating and interpreting test results for compliance with requirements indicated.
 - i. Research reports evidencing compliance with building code in effect for the Project.
 - j. Comparison of the approved Baseline Project Schedule using proposed substitution with products specified for the Work, including effect on the overall Contract Time. If specified product or method of construction cannot be provided within the Contract Time, include letter from manufacturer, on manufacturer's letterhead, stating date of receipt of purchase order, lack of availability, or delays in delivery.
 - k. Cost information, including a proposal of change, if any, in the Contract Sum.
 - l. Contractor's certification that proposed substitution complies with requirements in the Contract Documents except as indicated in substitution request, is compatible with related materials, and is appropriate for applications indicated.
 - m. Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of failure of proposed substitution to produce indicated results.

2. Engineer's Action. If necessary, Engineer will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within seven (7) calendar days of receipt of a request for substitution. Engineer will notify Contractor through Port of acceptance or rejection of proposed substitution within fifteen (15) calendar days of receipt of request, or seven (7) calendar days of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later.
 - a. Forms of Acceptance. Change Order or Minor Change in Work.
 - b. Use product originally specified if Engineer does not issue a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.
3. Substitutions for Cause. Submit requests for substitution immediately upon discovery of need for change, but not later than fourteen (14) days prior to date required for preparation and review of related submittals.
 - a. Conditions. Engineer will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied:
 - 1) Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.
 - 2) Requested substitution will not adversely affect the Baseline Project Schedule.
 - 3) Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.
 - 4) Requested substitution is compatible with other portions of the Work.
 - 5) Requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work.
 - 6) Requested substitution provides specified warranty.
 - 7) If requested substitution involves more than one (1) contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.
4. Substitutions for Convenience. Engineer will consider Contractor's requests for substitution if received within fourteen (14) days after the Notice of Award.
 - a. Conditions. Engineer will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied:
 - 1) Requested substitution offers Port a substantial advantage in cost, time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities Port must assume. Port's additional responsibilities may include compensation to Engineer for redesign and evaluation services, increased cost of other construction by Port, and similar considerations.
 - 2) Requested substitution does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.
 - 3) Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.
 - 4) Requested substitution will not adversely affect the Baseline Project Schedule.
 - 5) Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.
 - 6) Requested substitution is compatible with other portions of the Work.

- 7) Requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work.
- 8) Requested substitution provides specified warranty.
- 9) If requested substitution involves more than one (1) contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.

D. Substitutions will not be considered when:

1. Indicated or implied on shop drawings or product data submittals without formal request submitted in accordance with this Section.
2. Acceptance will require substantial revision of Contract Documents or other items of the Work.
3. Submittal for substitution request does not include point-by-point comparison of proposed substitution with specified product.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Compatibility of Substitutions: Investigate and document compatibility of proposed substitution with related products and materials.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

PROJECT TITLE: Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade

PROJECT NO.: 101615.01

SUBMITTED BY: _____

CONTRACT NO.: 071940

PRIME/SUB/SUPPLIER: _____

DATE: _____

Specification Title: _____

Section No.: _____

Description: _____

Paragraph: _____

Page No.: _____

Proposed Substitution: _____

Trade Name: _____ Model No.: _____

Manufacturer: _____

Address: _____ Phone No.: _____

Installer: _____

Address: _____ Phone No.: _____

Differences between proposed substitution and specified product: _____

☐ Point-by-Point comparative data attached - REQUIRED

Reason for not providing specified item: _____

Similar Installation:

Project: _____ A/E: _____

Address: _____

Owner: _____ Date Installed: _____

Proposed substitution affects other parts of Work: ☐ No ☐ Yes; explain _____

Supporting Data Attached:

☐ Drawings ☐ Product Data ☐ Samples ☐ Tests ☐ Reports ☐ Other: _____

Applicable to Substitution Requests During Construction:

Proposed to Port for accepting substitution: \$ _____

Proposed substitution changes Contract Time: ☐ No ☐ Yes [Add] [Deduct] _____ # days.

The Undersigned certifies:

- Proposed substitution has been fully investigated and determined to be equal or superior in all respects to specified product.
- Same warranty will be furnished for proposed substitution as for specified product.

- Same maintenance service and source of replacement parts, as applicable, is available.
- Proposed substitution will have no adverse effect on other trades and will not affect or delay Baseline Project Schedule.
- Cost data as stated above is complete. Claims for additional costs related to accepted substitution which may subsequently become apparent are to be waived.
- Proposed substitution does not affect dimensions and functional clearances.
- Payment will be made for changes to building design, including A/E design, detailing, and construction costs caused by the substitution.
- Coordination, installation, and changes in the Work as necessary for accepted substitution will be complete in all respects.

Submitted By: _____
Signed By: _____ Firm: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____ Email: _____
Attachments: _____

A/E's REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION

- ☐ Approved Substitution
- ☐ Approved Substitution as Noted
- ☐ Reject Substitution - Use specified materials.
- ☐ Substitution Request received too late - Use specified materials.

Signed by: _____ Date: _____

ENGINEER'S REVIEW AND ACTION

- ☐ Substitution Approved - Make submittals in accordance with this Specification Section. If during construction, prepare Change Order.
- ☐ Substitution Approved as Noted - Make submittals in accordance with this Specification Section. If during construction, prepare Change Order.
- ☐ Substitution Rejected - Use specified materials.
- ☐ Substitution Request received too late - Use specified materials.

Signed by: _____ Date: _____

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This Section provides the notification required for disclosure of asbestos, lead-containing or other hazardous materials.

1.02 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS NOTICE

- A. The Port is reasonably certain that asbestos and lead will not be disturbed by the project. If the Contractor encounters material suspected of containing lead or asbestos which will interfere with the execution of the work, the Contractor shall stop work and notify the Engineer.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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BIDDER'S NAME: _____

PROJECT TITLE: **BANANA YARD RAIL SWITCH UPGRADE**

The undersigned Bidder declares that it has read the Contract Documents (including documents provided by reference), understands the conditions under which the Work will be performed, has examined the Project site, and has determined for itself all situations affecting the Work herein Bid upon. Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to provide at Bidder's own expense, all labor, machinery, tools, materials, etc., including all Work incidental to, or described or implied as incidental to such items, according to the Contract Documents, and that the Bidder will complete the Work within the time stated, and that Bidder will accept in full the lump sum or unit price(s) set forth below:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM	QTY	UOM	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE (QTY. x UNIT PRICE)
1	Mobilization, Demobilization and General Construction	1	LS		
2	Project Administration	1	LS		
3	Field Engineering	1	LS		
4	Pavement Demolition and Replacement	1	LS		
5	Track and Ballast Removal	1	LS		
6	Furnish and Install Ballast and Geotextile	1	LS		
7	Furnish and Install No 9 Turnouts	10	EA		
8	Furnish and Install No 9 Crossover	1	EA		
9	Furnish and Install No 9 Three-Turnout Crossover	1	EA		
10	Furnish and Install Non-Turnout Track	70	TF		
11	Railroad Flaggers and Spotters	30	DAY		
12	Unforeseen Conditions Allowance	1	LS	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00

TOTAL BID AMOUNT	
10.3% WASHINGTON STATE SALES TAX (WSST) ON BASE BID SUBTOTAL	
BID TOTAL (WITH WSST)	

Note: Show prices in figures only.

Evaluation of Bids. In accordance with the provisions of the Contract Documents, Bids will be evaluated to determine the lowest Base Bid Subtotal offered by a responsible Bidder submitting a responsive Bid.

Principal Subcontractors/Suppliers. For Bids greater than one million (\$1,000,000) dollars, the Bidder shall list below the name of each subcontractor or supplier to whom the Bidder proposes to subcontract the portions of the work listed below, or name itself for the work, in accordance with RCW 39.30.060.

Work to be preformed	Contractor License Number	Name of Firm
HVAC (Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning) Work		
Plumbing Work		
Electrical Work		
Structural Steel Installation		
Rebar Installation		

Non-Collusion Representation. The Bidder declares under penalty of perjury that the Bid submitted is genuine and not a sham or collusive bid, or made in the interest or on behalf of any person or firm not therein named; and further represents that the Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to submit a sham bid, or encouraged any other person or corporation to refrain from bidding; and that the Bidder has not in any manner sought by collusion to secure to the Bidder an advantage over any other bidder or bidders.

RCW 39.04.350 Certification. The Bidder represents and certifies, under penalty of perjury, that within the three- (3-) year period immediately preceding the Bid Date, the Bidder has not been determined by a final and binding citation and notice of assessment issued by the Department of Labor and Industries, nor through a civil judgment entered by a court of limited or general jurisdiction, to have willfully violated, as defined in RCW 49.48.082, any provision of Chapters 49.46, 49.48, nor 49.52 RCW.

Addenda. Bidder acknowledges receipt and acceptance of all Addenda through No. ____ (Identify Last Addenda By Number)

Bid Security. A certified check, cashier's check, or other obligation of a bank, or a bid bond in substantially the form set forth in Section 00 43 13, Bid Security Form for at least five (5) percent of the Base Bid Subtotal, shall be submitted with this Bid.

Apprenticeship Requirements. For Bids greater than one million (\$1,000,000) dollars, the apprentice labor hours required for this project are fifteen (15) percent of the total labor hours. The Bidder agrees to utilize this level of apprentice participation.

Name of Firm

Date

Signature

By Title

Mailing Address

City, State Zip Code

Telephone Number

Email Address

WA State Contractor's License No.

Employment Security Department No.

Identification of Bidder as a sole proprietor, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, or another described form of legal entity

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, _____, as Principal, and
_____, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto
the PORT OF TACOMA as Obligee, in the penal sum of _____
Dollars, for the payment of which the Principal and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors,
administrators, successors and assigned, jointly and severally, by these present.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the Obligee shall make any award to the Principal for
_____, according to the terms of the proposal or bid
made by the Principal therefor, and the Principal shall duly make and enter into a contract with the
Obligee in accordance with the terms of said proposal or bid and award and shall give bond for the
faithful performance thereof, with Surety or Sureties approved by the Obligee; or, if the principal shall, in
case of failure to do so, pay and forfeit to the Obligee the penal amount of the deposit specified in the
call for bids, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and
effect and the Surety shall forthwith pay and forfeit to the Obligee, as penalty and liquidated damages,
the amount of this bond.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DATED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20____

BY _____
PRINCIPAL

BY _____
SURETY

AGENT AND ADDRESS

Note: Bidder may submit Surety's bid bond form, provided it is similar in substance, made out in the
name of the Port of Tacoma, and that the agent's name and address appear as specified. Bonds
containing riders limiting responsibility for toxic waste or limiting the term of responsibility will be rejected.

END OF SECTION

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THIS IS NOT TO BE SUBMITTED WITH A BID.

THE LOW RESPONSIVE BIDDER SHALL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THIS RESPONSIBILITY DETAIL FORM AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 00 21 00 - INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS. **THIS COMPLETED RESPONSIBILITY DETAIL FORM SHALL BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY (PDF) VIA EMAIL TO THE CONTACT(S) IDENTIFIED IN THE LOW RESPONSIVE BIDDER SELECTION NOTIFICATION.**

BIDDER'S COMPANY NAME: _____

For the below Mandatory Bidder Responsibility Criteria, please mark the appropriate choice.

1.01 MANDATORY BIDDER RESPONSIBILITY CRITERIA

- A. The Bidder shall meet the following mandatory responsibility criteria as described in RCW 39.04.350(1). The Bidder shall be rejected as not responsible if any answer to questions 1 through 5 is "No" or any answer to questions 6 through 8 is "Yes."
1. Does the Bidder have a Certificate of Registration in compliance with RCW 18.27?
☐ Yes ☐ No
 2. Does the Bidder have a current Washington State Unified Business Identifier number?
☐ Yes ☐ No
 3. Does the Bidder have Industrial Insurance Coverage for the Bidder's employees working in Washington State as required in RCW 51?
☐ Yes ☐ No
 4. Does the Bidder have an Employment Security Department number as required in RCW 50?

****Attach** letter dated within six (6) months of Bid Date.*

**Request a letter electronically by clicking on the following link
<https://fortress.wa.gov/esd/twt/pwcinternet/> or by emailing a request to
publicworks@esd.wa.gov.*

☐ Yes ☐ No
 5. Does the Bidder have a Washington State Excise Tax Registration number as required in RCW 82?

☐ Yes ☐ No
 6. Has the Bidder been disqualified from bidding on any public works project under RCW 39.06.010 or 39.12.065(3)?

☐ Yes ☐ No
 7. Has the Bidder violated RCW 39.04.370 more than one (1) time as determined by the Washington State Department of Labor and Industries?

☐ Yes ☐ No

8. Has the Bidder ever been found to be out of compliance with Apprenticeship Utilization requirements of RCW 39.04.320?
- ☐ Yes ☐ No
9. Has the Bidder ever been found to have willfully violated, as defined in RCW 49.48.082, any provision of Chapters 49.46, 49.48, or 49.52 RCW within the three- (3-) year period immediately preceding the date of this bid solicitation?
- ☐ Yes ☐ No
10. Has the Bidder completed the training required by RCW 39.04.350, or is the Bidder on the list of exempt businesses maintained by the Department of Labor and Industries?
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

If any answer to questions 1 through 5 is "No" or any answer to questions 6 through 8 is "Yes" - **STOP HERE** and contact the Contract Administrator. The Bidder is not responsible for this Work. Otherwise proceed to 1.02. **Provide attached to this completed form documentation to confirm responsibility criteria.**

For remaining criteria below, check or fill-out the appropriate item. Based upon the answer provided by the Bidder, the Port may request additional information or seek further explanation. As needed, provide backup documentation for any explanations listed below.

1.02 CONTRACT AND REGULATORY HISTORY

- A. The Port will evaluate whether the Bidder's contract and regulatory history demonstrates an acceptable record of past project performance and consistent responsibility. The Bidder shall answer the following questions. The Bidder may be rejected as not responsible if any answer to questions 1 through 5 below is "Yes."

1. Has the Bidder had a contract terminated for cause or default in the last five (5) years?
- ☐ Yes, **If YES, explain below.** ☐ No
-
2. Has the Bidder required a Surety to take over all, or a portion of, a project to cure or respond to an asserted default or material breach of contract on the part of the Bidder on any public works project in the last five (5) years?
- ☐ Yes, **If YES, explain below.** ☐ No
-
3. Have the Bidder and major Sub-Bidders been in bankruptcy, reorganization, and/or receivership on any public works project in the last five (5) years?
- ☐ Yes, **If YES, explain below.** ☐ No
-

4. Have the Bidder and major Sub-Bidders been disqualified by any state or local agency from being awarded and/or participating on any public works project in the last five (5) years?

☐ Yes, **If YES, explain below.** ☐ No

5. Are the Bidder and major Sub-Bidders currently a party to a formal dispute resolution process with the Port (i.e., a pending mediation, arbitration, or litigation)?

☐ Yes, **If YES, explain below.** ☐ No

1.03 ACCIDENT/INJURY EXPERIENCE

- A. The Port will evaluate the Bidder's accident/injury Experience Modification Factor ("EMF") from the Washington State Department of Labor and Industries to assess whether the Bidder has an acceptable safety record preventing personal injuries on projects.
- B. List the Bidder's accident/injury EMF for the last five (5) years. An experience factor is calculated annually by the Washington State Department of Labor and Industries.

Year	Effective Year	Experience Factor
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		

If the Bidder has received an EMF of greater than 1.0 for any year, explain the cause(s) of the designation and what remedial steps were taken to correct the EMF. The Bidder may be rejected as not responsible if the Bidder's EMF is greater than 1.0 and sufficient remedial steps have not been implemented.

1.04 WORK PERFORMED BY BIDDER

- A. The Bidder shall state the amount of the Work, as an equivalent to the Base Bid, excluding taxes, insurance, and bonding, the Bidder will execute with its own forces.

_____ %

1.05 ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

- A. As part of completing this Responsibility Detail Form, **submit the following information with the completed Responsibility Detail Form:**
1. Bidder's recent job resume, including a list of similar projects performed and contact information for the similar project owner(s), a brief description of work, start and end dates, and contract amount.
 2. Resumes of Bidder's proposed project manager and job superintendent.
- B. The Bidder's failure to provide the required project information may result in a determination of the Bidder being declared non-responsible by the Port.
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- C. The Bidder shall submit this completed, **SIGNED** Responsibility Detail Form electronically (PDF), with all requested backup documentation, via email to the contact(s) noted on the Low Responsive Bidder Selection Notification.
- D. The Bidder and its subcontractors to verify that its subcontractors at each tier meet the responsibility criteria as required by RCW 39.06.020 and 39.04.350.
 - 1. Bidder shall verify major subcontractors meet the responsibility criteria required. Fill out one Port of Tacoma Public Works Project Bidder Evaluation Checklist for Subcontractors for each major subcontractor and submit to the Port with this form. Backup documentation is not required to be submitted.

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PROJECT NO.: 101615.01

CONTRACT NO.: 071940

Responsibility Certification Form

The Low responsive Bidder shall complete the Responsibility Detail Form, attach all documentation, and submit to the Port within twenty-four (24) hours following receipt of the Low Responsive Bidder Selection Notification. All forms shall be submitted electronically (PDF) via email to the contact(s) listed on the Selection Notice. Note, the same project may be used to demonstrate experience across multiple categories if applicable.

By completing and signing this Responsibility Detail Form, the Bidder is certifying that the information contained within the Form, the backup documentation, and any additional information requested by the Port is true and complete. The Bidder's failure to disclose the required information or the submittal of false or misleading information may result in the rejection of the Bidder's Bid, revocation of award, or contract termination.

The information provided herein is true and complete.

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Print Name and Title

**PORT OF TACOMA PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT BIDDER EVALUATION CHECKLIST FOR
SUBCONTRACTORS**

PROJECT TITLE: Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade

BIDDER: _____

CONTRACT AND PROJECT NUMBER: 071940/ 101615.01

This checklist shall be completed by the Bidder and its subcontractors to verify that its subcontractors at each tier meet the responsibility criteria as required by RCW 39.06.020 and RCW 39.04.350.

This checklist should be submitted to the Port of Tacoma Contracts Administrator within twenty-four (24) hours of request.

Document verification information or backup data is not to be submitted to the Port, this information should remain on file with the Contractor and be presented to the Port if requested at a later date.

Item No.	Item	Initials/Comments
1.	At the time of Bid submittal, have a certificate of registration in compliance with RCW 18.27: Check the L&I site https://fortress.wa.gov/lni/bbip/ . Verify that a subcontractor has an electrical contractor license, if required by RCW 19.28, or an elevator contractor license, if required by RCW 70.87.	
2.	While reviewing registration information above, also check contractor's Employer Liability Certificate to verify workers' comp (industrial insurance) premium status – current account. Complete a "Submit Contractor Tracking Request" to be notified if the contractor fails to pay workers' comp premiums or renew their contractor registration or if their electrical contractor license is suspended or revoked within one year.	
3.	State excise tax registration number (Department of Revenue). (contractor's Washington State Unified Business Identifier and tax registration number) http://dor.wa.gov/content/doingbusiness/registermybusiness/brd/ .	
4.	Not disqualified from bidding on any public works contract under RCW 39.06.010 or RCW 39.12.065(3) . Check the Department of Labor and Industries http://www.lni.wa.gov/TradesLicensing/PrevWage/AwardingAgencies/DebarredContractors/ .	
5.	Verify subcontractors are registered with the Washington State Employment Security Department (ESD) and have an account number. Request a letter to be sent from the subcontractor electronically by clicking on the following link https://fortress.wa.gov/esd/twt/pwcinternet/ or by emailing a request to publicworks@esd.wa.gov . Include ESD#, UBI#, and business name in the email. Certificate of Coverage letter issued/dated within the last six (6) months.	

Item No.	Item	Initials/ Comments
	Document if subcontractor confirms in writing, under penalty of perjury, that it has no employees and this requirement does not apply.	

END OF SECTION

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the PORT OF TACOMA, a State of Washington municipal corporation, hereinafter designated as the "Port," and:

The "Contractor" is: _____ (Legal Name)

_____ (Address)

_____ (Address 2)

_____ (Phone No.)

The "Project" is: Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade (Title)

101615.01 | 071940 (Project/Contract No.)

2603 SR 509 N. Frontage Road (Project Address)

Project Location Address 2 (Project Address 2)

The "Engineer" is: Thais Howard, PE (Engineer)

Director of Engineering (Title)

thoward@portoftacoma.com (Email)

(253) 888-4718 (Phone No.)

The "Contractor's Representative" is: _____ (Representative)

_____ (Title)

_____ (Email)

_____ (Phone No.)

BACKGROUND AND REPRESENTATIONS:

The Port publicly solicited bids on the Contract Documents. The Contractor submitted a Bid to the Port on the _____ day of _____, 20____ to perform the Work.

The Contractor represents that it has the personnel, experience, qualifications, capabilities, and means to accomplish the Work in strict accordance with the Contract Documents, within the Contract Time and for the Contract Price, and that it and its Subcontractors satisfy the responsibility criteria set forth in the Contract Documents, including any supplemental responsibility criteria.

The Contractor further represents that it has carefully examined, and is fully familiar with, all provisions of the Contract Documents, including any Addenda, that it has fully satisfied itself as to the nature, location, difficulty, character, quality, and quantity of the Work required by the Contract Documents and the conditions and other matters that may be encountered at or near the Project site(s), or that may affect performance of the Work or the cost or difficulty thereof, including all applicable safety and site responsibilities, and that it understands and can satisfy all scheduling and coordination requirements and interim milestones.

AGREEMENT:

The Port and the Contractor agree as follows:

1.0 CONTRACTOR TO FULLY PERFORM THE WORK

The Contractor shall fully execute and complete the entire Work for the Project described in the Contract Documents, except to the extent specifically indicated in the Agreement, the General Conditions of the Contract (as well as any Supplemental, Special, or other conditions included in the Project Manual), the Drawings, the Specifications, and all Addenda issued prior to, and all modifications issued after, execution of the Contract.

2.0 DATE OF COMMENCEMENT

The date of commencement of the Work, which is the date from which the Contract Time is measured, shall be fixed as the date of execution of the Contract.

3.0 CONTRACT TIME AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

The Contractor shall achieve all interim milestones as set forth in the Contract Documents and Substantial Completion of the entire Work not later than 300 calendar days from execution of the Contract, subject to adjustments of this Contract Time as provided in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall achieve Final Completion of the entire Work within 30 calendar days of the date on which Substantial Completion is achieved.

Provisions for liquidated damages as a reasonable estimate of future loss, as of the date of this Agreement, are included in the Contract Documents. The parties agree that the stated liquidated damages are reasonable and not penalties individually nor cumulatively.

The liquidated damages for failure to achieve Substantial Completion by the required date shall be \$250 per calendar day. After the required Final Completion date, the liquidated damages for failure to achieve Final Completion shall be \$100 per calendar day.

Liquidated damages assessed by the Port will be deducted from monies due to the Contractor, or from monies that will become due to the Contractor. The liquidated damages, as specified and calculated herein, shall be levied, cumulatively if applicable, for each and every calendar day that Substantial Completion and/or Final Completion of the Work is delayed beyond the required completion dates, or the completion dates modified by the Port for extensions of the Contract Time.

4.0 CONTRACT PRICE

In accordance with the Contractor's Bid dated _____, the Port shall pay the Contractor in current funds for the Contractor's performance of the Contract, the Contract Price of _____ Dollars (\$_____), subject to additions and deductions as provided in the Contract Documents. State and local sales tax is not included in the Contract Price, but will be due and paid by the Port with each progress payment.

5.0 INSURANCE AND BONDS

The Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance and provide bonds as set forth in the Contract Documents.

This Agreement is entered into as of the day and year first written above:

CONTRACTOR

PORT OF TACOMA

By: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Execution _____
Date: _____

END OF SECTION

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PERFORMANCE BOND # _____

CONTRACTOR (NAME AND ADDRESS)

SURETY (NAME AND PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS)

OWNER (NAME AND ADDRESS)

PORT OF TACOMA
P.O. BOX 1837
TACOMA, WA 98401-1837

AGENT OR BROKER (FOR INFORMATION ONLY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That _____ as Principal, hereinafter called Contractor, and _____ as Surety, hereinafter called Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Port of Tacoma as Obligee, hereinafter called the Port, in the amount of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) for the payment whereof Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS:

Contractor shall execute an agreement with the Port for Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade, Project No. 101615.01/Contract No. 071940, a copy of which Contract is by reference made a part hereof (the term "Contract" as used herein to include the aforesaid agreement together with all the Contract Documents, addenda, modifications, all alterations, additions thereto, deletions therefrom, and any other document or provision incorporated into the Contract) and is hereinafter referred to as the Contract.

This bond is executed and issued pursuant to the provisions of RCW 39.08.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that if Contractor shall promptly and faithfully perform said Contract, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect.

FURTHER:

- A. Surety hereby waives notice of any alterations, change orders, modifications, or extensions of time made by the Port.
- B. Surety recognizes that the Contract includes provisions for additions, deletions, and modifications to the Work and/or Contract Time and the amounts payable to the Contractor. Subject to the limitations contained in (A) above, Surety agrees that no such addition, deletion, or modification, or any combination thereof, shall avoid or impair Surety's obligation hereunder.
- C. Whenever Contractor has been declared by the Port to be in default, and the Port has given Surety notice of the Port's determination of such default, Surety shall promptly (in no event more than fifteen (15) days following receipt of such notice) advise the Port of its intended action to:
 1. Remedy the default within fifteen (15) days following its advice to the Port as set forth above, or
 2. Assume within fifteen (15) days, following its advice to the Port as set forth above, completion of the Contract in accordance with the Contract Documents and become entitled to payment of the balance of the Contract Sum, or

3. Pay the Port upon completion of the Contract, in cash, the cost of completion together with all other reasonable costs and expenses incurred by the Port as a result of the Contractor's default, including but not limited to, those reasonable costs and expenses incurred by the Port in its efforts to mitigate its losses, which may include, but are not limited to, attorney's fees and efforts to complete the Work prior to the Surety exercising the options available to it as set forth herein.
- D. If the Port shall commence suit and obtain judgment against the Surety for recovery hereunder, then the Surety, in addition to such judgment, shall pay all costs and attorney's fees incurred by the Port in enforcement of its rights hereunder. Venue for any action arising out of, or in connection with, this bond shall be in Pierce County, Washington.
- E. No right or action shall accrue on this bond to, or for the use of, any person or corporation other than the Port of Tacoma.

Signed and Sealed the _____ day of _____, 20____.

IMPORTANT: Surety companies executing bonds must have an A.M. Best Rating of "A-, FSC (6)" or higher, have an underwriting limitation of not less than the Contract Sum, and be authorized to transact business in the State of Washington.

SURETY

CONTRACTOR

Signature

Signature

Printed Name and Title

Printed Name and Title

Power of Attorney attached.

END OF SECTION

LABOR AND MATERIAL PAYMENT BOND # _____

CONTRACTOR (NAME AND ADDRESS)

SURETY (NAME AND PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS)

OWNER (NAME AND ADDRESS)

PORT OF TACOMA
P.O. BOX 1837
TACOMA, WA 98401-1837

AGENT OR BROKER (FOR INFORMATION ONLY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That _____ as Principal, hereinafter called Contractor, and _____ as Surety, hereinafter called Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Port of Tacoma as Oblige, hereinafter called the Port, and all others entitled to recovery hereunder, in the amount of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) for the payment whereof Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS:

Contractor shall execute an agreement with the Port for Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade, Project No. 101615.01/Contract No. 071940, a copy of which Contract is by reference made a part hereof (the term "Contract" as used herein to include the aforesaid agreement together with all the Contract Documents, addenda, modifications, alterations, additions thereto, deletions therefrom, and any other document or provision incorporated into the Contract) and is hereinafter referred to as the Contract.

This bond is executed pursuant to the provisions of RCW 39.08.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that if Contractor shall promptly make payment to all claimants, as hereinafter defined, for all labor and material used or reasonably required for use in the performance of the Contract and shall indemnify and save the Port harmless from all cost and damage by reason of Contractor's default, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect, subject to the following conditions.

- A. Surety hereby waives notice of any alterations, change orders, modifications, or extensions of time made by the Port.
- B. Surety recognizes that the Contract includes provisions for additions, deletions, and modifications to the Work and/or Contract Time and the amounts payable to the Contractor. Subject to the limitations contained in (A) above, Surety agrees that no such addition, deletion, or modification, or any combination thereof, shall avoid or impair Surety's obligation hereunder.
- C. Surety hereby agrees that every person protected under the provisions of RCW 39.08.010 who has not been paid as provided under the Contract, and pursuant to RCW 39.08.010, less any amounts withheld pursuant to statute, and less retainage withheld pursuant to RCW 60.28, after the expiration of a period of thirty (30) days after the date on which the completion of the Contract in accordance with RCW 39.08, may sue on this bond, prosecute the suit to final judgment as may be due claimant, and have execution thereon including recovery of reasonable costs and attorney's fees as provided by RCW 39.08. The Port shall not be liable for the payment of any costs or expenses of any such suit.

- D. No suit or action shall be commenced hereunder by any claimant unless claimant shall have given the written notices to the Port, and where required, the Contractor, in accordance with RCW 39.08.030.
- E. The amount of this bond shall be reduced by, and to the extent of, any payment or payments made in good faith hereunder, inclusive of the payment by Surety of claims which may be properly filed in accordance with RCW 39.08 whether or not suit is commenced under and against this bond.
- F. If any Claimant shall commence suit and obtain judgment against the Surety for recovery hereunder, then the Surety, in addition to such judgment and attorney fees as provided by RCW 39.08.030, shall also pay such costs and attorney fees as may be incurred by the Port as a result of such suit. Venue for any action arising out of, or in connection with, this bond shall be in Pierce County, Washington.

Signed and Sealed the _____ day of _____, 20____.

IMPORTANT: Surety companies executing bonds must have an A.M. Best Rating of "A-, FSC (6)" or higher, have an underwriting limitation of not less than the Contract Sum, and be authorized to transact business in the State of Washington.

SURETY

CONTRACTOR

Signature

Signature

Printed Name and Title

Printed Name and Title

Power of Attorney attached.

END OF SECTION

BOND NO.: _____

PROJECT TITLE: Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade

PROJECT NO.: 101615.01

CONTRACT NO.: 071940

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, _____
_____ a corporation existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Washington and authorized to do business in the State of Washington, as Principal, and _____, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____ and authorized to transact the business of surety in the State of Washington, as Surety, are jointly and severally held and bound unto the PORT OF TACOMA, hereinafter called Port, as Obligee, and are similarly held and bound unto the beneficiaries of the trust fund created by RCW 60.28 as their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns in the penal sum of _____ (\$ _____) plus five (5) percent of any increases in the Contract Price that have occurred or may occur, due to change orders, increases in the quantities, or the addition of any new item of work.

WHEREAS, on the _____ day of _____, the said Principal herein executed Contract No. 071940 with the Port for Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade, Project No. 101615.01.

WHEREAS, said Contract and RCW 60.28 require the Port to withhold from the Principal the sum of five (5) percent from monies earned by the Principal on estimates during the progress of the work, hereinafter referred to as earned retained funds.

WHEREAS, the Principal has requested that the Port accept a bond in lieu of earned retained funds as allowed under RCW 60.28.

NOW THEREFORE, this obligation is such that the Surety, its successors, and assigns are held and bound unto the Port and unto all beneficiaries of the trust fund created by RCW 60.28.011(1) in the aforesaid sum. This bond, including any proceeds therefrom, is subject to all claims and liens and in the same manner and priority as set forth for retained percentages in RCW 60.28. The condition of this obligation is also that if the Principal shall satisfy all payment obligations to persons who may lawfully claim under the trust fund created pursuant to RCW 60.28, to the Port, and indemnify and hold the Port harmless from any and all loss, costs, and damages that the Port may sustain by release of said retainage to Principal, then this obligation shall be null and void, provided the Surety is notified by the Port that the requirements of RCW 60.28.021 have been satisfied and the obligation is duly released by the Port.

IT IS HEREBY DECLARED AND AGREED that the Surety shall be liable under this obligation as Principal. The Surety will not be discharged or released from liability for any act, omission, or defenses of any kind or nature that would not also discharge the Principal.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER DECLARED AND AGREED that this obligation shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Principal, the Surety, the Port, the beneficiaries of the trust fund created by RCW 60.28 and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Principal and said Surety have caused these presents to be duly signed and sealed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

By: _____
Principal

Address: _____

City/ST/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Surety Name: _____

By: _____
Attorney-In-Fact

Address: _____

City/ST/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

IMPORTANT: Surety companies executing bonds must have an A.M. Best Rating of "A-, FSC (6)" or higher, and be authorized to transact business in the State of Washington.

END OF SECTION

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ARTICLE 1 - THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

1.01 GENERAL

- A. Contract Documents form the Contract. The Contract Documents are enumerated in the Agreement between the Port and Contractor ("Agreement"). Together, the Contract Documents form the Contract. The Contract represents the entire integrated agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral. The Contract may be amended or modified only in writing and only as set forth in the Contract Documents.
- B. Headings only for convenience. The titles or headings of the sections, divisions, parts, articles, paragraphs, and subparagraphs of the Contract Documents are intended only for convenience.

1.02 DEFINITIONS

- A. "Contract Documents" proposed for the Work consist of the Agreement, the General Conditions of the Contract (as well as any Supplemental, Special, or other conditions included in the Project Manual), the Drawings, the Specifications, and all Addenda issued prior to, and all modifications issued after, execution of the Contract.
- B. "Contractor" means the person or entity contracting to perform the Work under these Contract Documents. The term Contractor includes the Contractor's authorized representative for purposes of identifying obligations and responsibilities under the Contract Documents, including the ability to receive notice and direction from the Port.
- C. "Day" means a calendar day unless otherwise specifically designated.
- D. "Drawings" are the graphic and pictorial portions of the Contract Documents showing the design, location, and dimensions of the Work, including plans, elevations, sections, details, and diagrams.
- E. "Engineer" is the Port employee generally tasked with administering the Project on the Port's behalf and the person with overall responsibility for managing, for the Port, the Project scope, budget, and schedule. To the extent empowered, the Engineer may delegate to others at the Port (such as a Project Manager or Inspector) the responsibility for performing delegated responsibilities of the Engineer's under this Contract.
- F. "Port" means the Port of Tacoma. The Port will designate in writing a representative (usually the Engineer) who shall have the authority to act on the Port's behalf related to the Project. The "Port" does not include staff, maintenance, or safety workers, or other Port employees or consultants that may contact the Contractor or be present at the Project site.
- G. "Project" is identified in the Agreement and is the total construction to be performed by or through the Port, of which the Work performed under the Contract Documents may be only a part.
- H. "Specifications" are those portions of the Contract Documents that specify the written requirements for materials, equipment, systems, standards, and workmanship for the Work and for the performance of related services.
- I. "Subcontractor" means a person or entity that contracts directly with the Contractor to perform any Work under the Contract Documents. "Subcontractor of any tier" includes Subcontractors as well as any other person or entity, including suppliers, that contracts with a Subcontractor or a lower-tier Subcontractor (also referred to as "Sub-subcontractors") to perform any of the Work.

- J. "Work" means the construction and services required by the Contract Documents, whether completed or partially completed, and includes all labor, tools, equipment, materials, services, and incidentals necessary to complete all obligations under the Contract Documents. The Work may constitute only a part of the Project, and may interface and need to be coordinated with the work of others.

1.03 INTENT OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Intent of Contract Documents. The intent of the Contract Documents is to describe the complete Work and to include all items and information necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work by the Contractor.
- B. Contract Documents are complementary. The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is required by one shall be as binding as if required by all; performance by the Contractor is required to the extent consistent with the Contract Documents and reasonably inferable from them as being necessary to produce the indicated results.
- C. No third party contract rights. The Contract Documents shall not create a contractual relationship of any kind (1) between the Port and a Subcontractor of any tier (although the Port does not waive any third-party beneficiary rights it may otherwise have as to Subcontractors of any tier), (2) between the Contractor and the Engineer or other Port employees or consultants, or (3) between any persons or entities other than the Port and Contractor.

1.04 CORRELATION OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Precedence. In the event of a conflict or discrepancy between or among the Contract Documents, the conflict or discrepancy will be resolved by the following order of precedence: with an addendum or Change Order having precedence over an earlier document, and computed dimensions having precedence over scaled dimensions, and large scale drawings take precedence over small scale drawings:
1. The signed Agreement
 - a. Supplemental Conditions
 - b. Division 00 General Conditions
 - c. Division 01 General Requirements of Specifications
 - d. All other Specifications, including all remaining divisions, material and system schedules and attachments, and Drawings
 - e. All other sections in Division 00 not specifically identified herein by Section
- B. Inconsistency between or among Contract Documents. If there is any inconsistency between the Drawings, schedules, or Specifications, or any attachments, the Contractor will make an inquiry to the Engineer to determine how to proceed, and, unless otherwise directed, the Contractor will provide the better quality or greater quantity of any work or materials, as reasonably interpreted by the Port, at no change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time. Thus, if Work is shown on Drawings, but not contained in Specifications or schedules, or contained in Specifications or schedules, but not shown on the Drawings, the Work as shown or contained will be provided at no change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, according to Specifications or Drawings to be issued by the Port.
- C. Inconsistency with law. In the event of a conflict between the Contract Documents and applicable laws, codes, ordinances, regulations, or orders of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Work, or in the event of any conflict between such laws, the most stringent requirements govern.

- D. Organization of Contract Documents. The organization of the Specifications and Drawings shall not control the Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or in establishing the extent of the Work to be performed. The Port assumes no responsibility for the division and proper coordination of Work between particular Subcontractors.
- E. Bid quantities are estimates only. Any "bid quantities" set forth in the Contract Documents are estimates only. The Port does not warrant that the actual amount of Work will correspond to any estimates. The basis of payment will be the actual quantities performed in accordance with the Contract Documents.

1.05 OWNERSHIP OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Port owns all Contract Documents. All Drawings, Specifications, and other Contract Documents furnished to the Contractor are Port property, and the Port retains all intellectual property rights, including copyrights. The Contract Documents are to be used only with respect to the Project.

ARTICLE 2 - PORT OF TACOMA

2.01 AUTHORITY OF THE ENGINEER

- A. Engineer will be Port's representative. The Engineer or the Engineer's designee will be the Port's representative during the Project and will administer the Project on the Port's behalf.
- B. Engineer may enforce all obligations. The Engineer has the authority to enforce all requirements imposed on the Contractor by the Contract Documents.
- C. Only Engineer is agent of Port. Other than the Engineer, no other Port employee or consultant is an agent of the Port, and none are authorized to agree on behalf of the Port to changes in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, nor to waive provisions of the Contract Documents, nor to direct the Contractor to take actions that change the Contract Sum or Contract Time, nor to accept notice of protests or claims on behalf of the Port.

2.02 ADMINISTRATION OF THE CONTRACT

- A. Port will administer Contract. The Port will provide administration of the Contract through the Engineer or the Engineer's designee. All communications with the Port or its consultants related to the Contract will be through the designated representative.
- B. Port not responsible for means and methods. The Port is not responsible for, and will have no control or charge of, the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or for safety precautions or programs incidental thereto, because these are the sole responsibility of the Contractor. If the Port makes any suggestion of means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures, the Contractor will exercise its independent judgment in deciding whether to adopt the suggestion, except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents.
- C. Port not responsible for acts or omissions of Contractor or Subcontractors. The Port is not responsible for, and will have no control or charge of, the acts or omissions of the Contractor, Subcontractors of any tier, suppliers, or any of their agents or employees, or any other persons performing a portion of the Work.
- D. Port not responsible for the Work. The Port is not responsible for the Contractor's failure to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. The presence of the Engineer or others at the Project site at any time does not relieve the Contractor from its responsibility for non-conforming Work.

- E. Port will have access to the Work. The Port and its representatives will at all times have access to the Work in progress, and the Contractor will provide proper facilities for such access and for inspection.

2.03 INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE PORT

- A. Port to furnish information with reasonable promptness. The Port shall furnish information and services required of the Port by the Contract Documents with reasonable promptness.
- B. Subsurface investigation. The Port may have undertaken a limited investigation of the soil and other subsurface conditions at the Project site for design purposes only. The results of these investigations will be available for the convenience of the Contractor, but they are not Contract Documents. There is no warranty or guarantee, express or implied, that the conditions indicated are representative of those existing at the site or that unforeseen developments may not occur. The Contractor is solely responsible for interpreting the information.

2.04 CONTRACTOR REVIEW OF PROJECT INFORMATION

- A. Contractor to familiarize itself with site and conditions of Work. Prior to executing the Contract, the Contractor shall visit the site, become generally familiar with local conditions under which the Work is to be performed, and correlate personal observations with the requirements of the Contract Documents and all information provided with the Bid Documents. By signing the Contract, the Contractor confirms that the Contract Sum is reasonable compensation for the Work; that the Contract Time is adequate; that it has carefully examined the Contract Documents and the Project site; and that it has satisfied itself as to the nature, location, and character of the Work, the labor, materials, equipment, and other items required and all other requirements of the Contract Documents. The Contractor's failure fully to acquaint itself with any such condition does not relieve the Contractor from the responsibility for performing the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, within the Contract Time, and for the Contract Sum.
- B. Contractor to review Contract Documents. Because the Contract Documents are complementary, the Contractor will, before starting each portion of the Work, carefully study and compare the various Drawings, Specifications, and other Contract Documents, as well as all information furnished by the Port.
- C. Contractor to confirm field conditions. Before starting each portion of the Work, the Contractor shall take field measurements of and verify any existing conditions, including all Work in place, and all general reference points; shall observe any conditions at the site affecting the Contractor; and shall carefully compare field measurements, conditions and other information known to the Contractor with the Contract Documents.

2.05 PORT'S RIGHT TO REJECT, STOP, AND/OR CARRY-OUT THE WORK

- A. Port may reject Work. The Port has the authority, but not the obligation, to reject work, materials, and equipment that is defective or that otherwise does not conform to the Contract Documents, and to decide questions concerning the Contract Documents. However, the failure to so reject, or the presence of the Port at the site, shall not be construed as assurance that the Work is acceptable or being completed in compliance with the Contract Documents.
- B. Port may stop Work. If the Contractor fails to correct Work that does not comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents, or repeatedly or materially fails to properly carry out the Work, the Port may issue an order to stop all or a portion of the Work until the cause for the order has been eliminated. The Port's right to stop the Work shall not impose a duty on the Port to exercise this right for the benefit of the Contractor or any third party.

- C. Port may carry-out Work. If the Contractor fails to perform the Work properly, fails to perform any provision of this Contract, or fails to maintain the Baseline Project Schedule, or if the Port reasonably concludes that the Work will not be completed in the specified manner or within the Contract Time, then the Port may, after three (3) days' written notice to the Contractor and without prejudice to any other remedy the Port may have, perform itself or have performed any or all of the Work and may deduct the cost thereof from any payment then or later due the Contractor.

2.06 SEPARATE CONTRACTORS

- A. Port may engage separate contractors or perform work with its own forces. The Port may contract with other contractors ("Separate Contractor") in connection with the Project or perform work with its own forces. The Contractor shall coordinate and cooperate with any Port forces or Separate Contractors, as applicable. The Contractor shall provide reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of materials and the execution of work by others.
- B. Contractor to inspect work of others. If any part of the Contractor's Work depends on the work of the Port or any Separate Contractor, the Contractor shall inspect and promptly report to the Port, in writing, any defects that impact the Contractor. Failure of the Contractor to so inspect and report defects in writing shall constitute an acceptance by Contractor of the work of the Port or Separate Contractor.
- C. Contractor to resolve claims of others. Should the Contractor, or any of its Subcontractors of any tier, cause damage of any kind, including but not limited to delay, to any Separate Contractor, the Contractor shall promptly, and using its best efforts, settle or otherwise resolve the dispute with the Separate Contractor. The Contractor shall also promptly remedy damage caused to completed or partially completed construction.

2.07 OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE PORT

- A. No personal liability. Officers, employees, and representatives of the Port, including the Commissioners, acting within the scope of their employment, shall not be personally liable to Contractor for any acts or omissions arising out of the Project.

ARTICLE 3 - CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

3.01 DUTY TO PERFORM THE ENTIRE WORK

- A. Contractor must perform entire Work in accordance with Contract Documents. The Contractor shall perform the entire Work required by the Contract in accordance with the Contract Documents. Unless otherwise specifically provided, the Contractor shall provide and pay for all labor, tools, equipment, materials, electricity, power, water, other utilities, transportation, and other facilities necessary for the execution and completion of the Work.
- B. Contractor shall be independent contractor. The Contractor shall be, and operate as, an independent contractor in the performance of the Work. The Contractor is not authorized to enter into any agreements or undertakings for, or on behalf of, the Port and is not an agent or employee of the Port.

3.02 OBSERVED ERRORS, INCONSISTENCIES, OMISSIONS, OR VARIANCES IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Contractor to notify Port of any discrepancy. The Contractor's obligations to review and carefully study the Contract Documents and field conditions are for the purpose of facilitating coordination and construction. If the Contractor at any time observes that the Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, vary from the conditions of the Project site, are in error, or omit any necessary detail, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Engineer in writing through a Request for Information. Any Work done after such observation, until authorized by the Engineer, shall be at Contractor's risk. The Contractor shall also promptly report to the Engineer any observed error, inconsistency, omission, or variance with applicable laws through a Request for Information. If the Contractor fails either to carefully study and compare the Contract Documents, or to promptly report any observed error, inconsistency, omission, or variance, the Contractor shall assume full responsibility and shall bear all costs, liabilities, and damages attributable to the error, inconsistency, omission, or variance.
- B. Requests for Information. The Contractor shall submit Requests for Information concerning the Contract Documents by following the procedure and using such form as the Port may require. The Contractor shall minimize Requests for Information by thoroughly studying the Contract Documents and reviewing all Subcontractor requests. The Contractor shall allow adequate time in its planning and scheduling for a response from the Port to a Request for Information.
- C. Port may provide information to supplement Drawings and Specifications. Minor items of work or detail that are omitted from the Drawings and Specifications, but inferable from the information presented and normally provided by accepted good practice, shall be provided and/or performed by the Contractor as part of the Contract Sum and within the Contract Time. Similarly, the Engineer may furnish to the Contractor additional Drawings and clarifications, consistent with the Contract Documents, as necessary to detail and illustrate the Work. The Contractor shall conform its Work to such additional Drawings and clarifications at no increase in the Contract Sum or Contract Time.

3.03 SUPERVISION AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUBCONTRACTORS

- A. Contractor responsible for Work and workers. The Contractor shall have complete control of the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures related to the Work, and for all safety precautions or programs. The Contractor shall have complete control over, and responsibility for, all personnel performing the Work. The Contractor is also responsible for the acts and omissions of the Contractor's principals, employees, and other persons or entities performing portions of the Work for, or on behalf of, the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors of any tier.
- B. Contractor to supervise the Work. The Contractor shall continuously supervise and direct the Work using competent and skilled personnel and the Contractor's best skill and attention.
- C. Contractor to enforce discipline and good order. The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among all workers on the Project, and shall not employ any unfit person or anyone not skilled in the work to which they are assigned. Incompetent, careless, or negligent workers shall immediately be removed from the Work. The Port may, but is not obligated to, require the Contractor to remove from the Work, at no change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, anyone whom the Port considers objectionable.

3.04 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. Material and equipment to be new. All materials and equipment to be incorporated into the Work shall be new, unless specifically provided otherwise in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall, if required in writing by the Port, furnish satisfactory evidence regarding the kind and quality of any materials, identify the source, and warrant compliance with the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall ensure that all materials and equipment are protected, kept dry, and stored under cover in a manner to protect such materials and equipment.
- B. Material and equipment shall conform to manufacturer instructions. All materials and equipment shall conform, and shall be applied, installed, used, maintained, and conditioned in accordance with the instructions of the applicable manufacturer, fabricator, or processor, unless otherwise specifically provided by the Engineer.

3.05 CONTRACTOR WARRANTIES

- A. Work will be of good quality and performed in workmanlike manner. In addition to any specific warranties set forth in the Contract Documents, the Contractor warrants that the Work, including all materials and equipment furnished under the Contract, will be of good quality and new, will be performed in a skillful and workmanlike manner, and will conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents. Any Work not conforming to this warranty, including unapproved or unauthorized substitutions, shall be considered defective.
- B. Work will be free from defects. The Contractor warrants that the Work will be free from defects for a period of one (1) year from the date of Substantial Completion of the Project.
- C. Contractor to collect and deliver warranties to Port. The Contractor shall collect and deliver to the Port any written warranties required by the Contract Documents. These warranties shall be obtained and enforced by the Contractor for the benefit of the Port without the necessity of separate assignment. These warranties shall extend to the Port all rights, claims, benefits, and interests that the Contractor may have under express or implied warranties or guarantees against a Subcontractor of any tier, supplier, or manufacturer for defective or non-conforming Work. Warranty provisions that purport to limit or alter the Port's rights under the Contract Documents, or the laws of the State of Washington, are null and void.
- D. General requirements. The Contractor is not relieved of its general warranty obligations by the specification of a particular product or procedure in the Contract Documents. Warranties in the Contract Documents shall survive completion, acceptance, and final payment.

3.06 REQUIRED WAGES

- A. Contractor will pay required wages. The Contractor shall pay (and shall ensure that all Subcontractors of any tier pay) all prevailing wages and other wages (such as Davis-Bacon Act wages) applicable to the Project. See Specification Section 00 73 46.
- B. The Contractor shall defend (at Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold the Port harmless from all liabilities, obligations, claims, demands, damages, disbursements, lawsuits, losses, fines, penalties, costs, and expenses, whether direct or indirect, and including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees and consultants' fees and other costs and expenses of litigation, from any violation or alleged violation by the Contractor or any Subcontractor of any tier of RCW 39.12 ("Prevailing Wages on Public Works") or Chapter 51 RCW ("Industrial Insurance").

3.07 STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

- A. Contractor will pay taxes on consumables. The Contractor will pay the retail sales tax on all consumables used during performance of the Work and on all items that are not incorporated into the final Work; this tax shall be included in the Contract Sum.

- B. Port will pay taxes on the Contract Sum. The Port will pay state and local retail sales tax on the Contract Sum with each progress payment, and on final payment, for transmittal by the Contractor to the Washington State Department of Revenue or to the applicable local taxing authority. Rule 170: WAC 458-20-170.
- C. Direct all tax questions to the Department of Revenue. The Contractor should direct all questions concerning taxes on any portion of the Work to the State of Washington Department of Revenue or to the local taxing authority.
- D. State Sales Tax - Rule 171: WAC 458-20-171. For work performed related to building, repairing, or improving streets, roads, etc., which are owned by a municipal corporation, or political subdivision of the state, or by the United States, and which are used, primarily, for foot or vehicular traffic, the Contractor shall include Washington State Retail Sales Taxes in the various schedule prices, or other contract amounts, including those that the Contractor pays on the purchase of materials, equipment, or supplies used or consumed in doing the Work.
 - 1. The bid form will indicate which bid items are subject to Rule 171. Any such identification by the Port is not binding upon the Department of Revenue.

3.08 PERMITS, LICENSES, FEES, AND ROYALTIES

- A. Contractor to provide and pay for permits unless otherwise specified. Unless otherwise specified, the Contractor shall procure and pay for all permits, licenses, and governmental inspection fees necessary or incidental to the performance of the Work. All costs related to these permits, licenses, and inspections shall be included in the Contract Sum. Any action taken by the Port to assist the Contractor in obtaining permits or licenses shall not relieve the Contractor of its sole responsibility to obtain and pay for permits, licenses, and inspections as part of the Contract Sum.
- B. Contractor's obligations when permit must be in Port's name. When applicable law or agency requires a permit to be issued to a public agency, the Port will support the Contractor's request for the permit and accept the permit in the Port's name, if:
 - 1. The Contractor takes all necessary steps required for the permit to be issued;
 - 2. The permit applies to Work performed in connection with the Project; and
 - 3. The Contractor agrees in writing to abide by all requirements of the permit and to defend and hold harmless the Port from any liability in connection with the permit.
- C. Contractor to pay royalties. The Contractor shall pay all royalties and license fees required for the Work unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents.

3.09 SAFETY

- A. Contractor solely responsible for safety. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work and the performance of the Contract.
- B. Port not responsible for safety. The Port may identify safety concerns to the Contractor; however, no action or inaction of the Port or any third party relating to safety will: (1) relieve the Contractor of its sole and complete responsibility for safety and sole liability for any consequences, (2) impose any obligation on the Port or a third party to inspect or review the Contractor's safety program or precautions, (3) impose any continuing obligation on the Port or a third party to ensure the Contractor performs the Work safely, or (4) affect the Contractor's responsibility for the protection of property, workers, and the general public.

- C. Contractor to maintain a safe Work site. The Project site may be occupied during performance of the Work. The safety of these site occupants is of paramount importance to the Port. The Contractor shall maintain the Work site and perform the Work in a safe manner and in accordance with the Washington Industrial Safety and Health Act (WISHA) and all other applicable safety laws, rules, and regulations. This requirement shall apply continuously and not be limited to working hours.
- D. Contractor to protect Work site and adjacent property until Final Completion. The Contractor shall continuously protect the Work and adjacent property from damage. At all times until Final Completion, the Contractor shall be responsible for, and protect from damage, weather, deterioration, theft, and vandalism, the Work and all materials, equipment, tools, and other items incorporated or to be incorporated in the Work, and shall repair any damage, injury, or loss.

3.10 CORRECTION OF WORK

- A. Contractor to correct defective Work. The Contractor shall, at no cost to the Port, promptly correct Work that is defective or that otherwise fails to conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents. Such Work shall be corrected, whether before or after Substantial Completion, and even if it was previously inspected or observed by the Port.
- B. One-year correction period. The Contractor shall correct all defects in the Work appearing within one (1) year of Substantial Completion or within any longer period prescribed by law or by the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall initiate remedial action within fourteen (14) days of receipt of notice from the Port and shall complete remedial work within a reasonable time. Work corrected by the Contractor shall be subject to the provisions of this Section 3.10 for an additional one-year period following the Port's acceptance of the corrected Work.
- C. Contractor responsible for defects and failures to correct. The Contractor shall be responsible for any expenses incurred by the Port resulting from defects in the Work. If the Contractor refuses or neglects to correct the defects, or does not timely accomplish corrections, the Port may correct the Work and charge the Contractor the cost of the corrections. If damage or loss of service may result from a delay in correction, the corrections may be made by the Port and reimbursed by the Contractor.
- D. Port may accept defective work. The Port may, at its sole option, elect to retain defective or nonconforming Work. In such a case, the Port shall reduce the Contract Sum by a reasonable amount to account for the defect or non-conformance.
- E. No period of limitation established. Nothing contained in this Section 3.10 establishes a period of limitation with respect to any obligations under the Contract Documents or law. The establishment of the one (1) year correction period relates only to the specific obligation of the Contractor to correct defective or non-conforming Work.

3.11 UNCOVERING OF WORK

- A. Contractor to uncover work covered prior to inspection. If any portion of the Work is covered prior to inspection and approval, the Contractor shall, at its expense, uncover or remove the Work for inspection by the Port or others, and replace the Work to the standard required by the Contract Documents.

- B. Contractor to uncover work at Port's request. After initial inspection and observation, the Port may order a reexamination of Work, and the Work must be uncovered by the Contractor. If the uncovered Work complies with the Contract Documents, the Port shall pay the cost of reexamination and replacement. If the Work is found not to comply with the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall pay the cost of replacement, unless the Contractor demonstrates that it did not cause the defect in the Work.

3.12 RELOCATION OF UTILITIES

- A. Contractor should assume underground utilities are in approximate locations. The Contractor should assume that the locations of any underground or hidden utilities, underground tanks, and plumbing or electrical runs indicated in surveys or the Contract Documents are shown in approximate locations. The accuracy of this information is not guaranteed by the Port and shall be verified by the Contractor. The Contractor shall comply with RCW 19.122.030 and utilize a utility locator service to locate utilities on Port property. The Contractor shall bear the risk of loss if any of its Work directly or indirectly damages or interrupts any utility service or causes or contributes to damages of any nature.
- B. Utility relocation or removal. Where relocation or removal of utilities is necessary or required, it shall be performed at the Contractor's sole expense, unless the Contract Documents specify otherwise. If a utility owner is identified as being responsible for relocating or removing utilities, the work will be accomplished at the utility owner's convenience, either during, or in advance of, construction. Unless otherwise specified, it shall be the Contractor's sole responsibility to coordinate, schedule, and pay for work performed by a utility owner.
- C. Contractor to notify Port of unknown utilities. If the Contractor discovers the presence of any unknown utilities, it shall immediately notify the Engineer in writing.

3.13 LABOR

- A. Contractor responsible for labor peace. The Contractor is responsible for labor peace relating to the Work and shall cooperate in maintaining Project-wide labor harmony. The Contractor shall use its best efforts as an experienced contractor to adopt and implement policies and practices designed to avoid work stoppages, slowdowns, disputes, or strikes.
- B. Contractor to minimize impact of labor disputes. The Contractor will take all necessary steps to prevent labor disputes from disrupting or otherwise interfering with access to Port property. If a labor dispute disrupts the progress of the Work or interferes with access, the Contractor shall promptly and expeditiously take all necessary action to eliminate or minimize the disruption or interference.

3.14 INDEMNIFICATION

- A. Duty to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless. To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to this Section 3.14, the Contractor shall defend (at the Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold harmless the Port and the Northwest Seaport Alliance, including their respective Commissions, officers, managers, and employees, the Engineer, any consultants, and the agents and employees, successors and assigns of any of them (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against claims, damages, lawsuits, losses (including loss of use), disbursements, liabilities, obligations, fines, penalties, costs, and expenses, whether direct and indirect or consequential, including but not limited to, consultants' fees, and attorneys' fees incurred on such claims and in proving the right to indemnification ("Claims"), arising out of, or resulting from, the acts or omissions of the Contractor, a Subcontractor of any tier, their agents, and anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts they may be liable (individually and collectively, the "Indemnitor").

- B. Duty to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless for sole negligence. The Contractor will fully defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties for the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the Indemnitor.
- C. Duty to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless for concurrent negligence. Where Claims arise from the concurrent negligence of (1) the Port; and (2) the Indemnitor, the Contractor's obligations to indemnify and defend the Indemnified Parties under this Section 3.14 shall be effective only to the extent of the Indemnitor's negligence.
- D. Duty to indemnify not limited by workers' compensation or similar employee benefit acts. In claims against any of the Indemnified Parties by an employee of the Contractor, a Subcontractor of any tier, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts they may be liable, the indemnification obligation under this Section 3.14 shall not be limited by a limitation on amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts. After mutual negotiation of the parties, the Contractor waives immunity as to the Indemnified Parties under Title 51 RCW, "Industrial Insurance."
- E. Intellectual property indemnification. The Contractor will be liable for and shall defend (at the Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold the Indemnified Parties harmless for Claims for infringement by the Contractor of copyrights or patent rights arising out of, or relating to, the Project.
- F. Labor peace indemnification. If the Contractor fails to satisfy its labor peace obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be liable for and shall defend (at the Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties for Claims brought against the Port by third parties (including but not limited to lessees, tenants, contractors, customers, licensees, and invitees of the Port) for injunctive relief or monetary loss.
- G. Cyber risk indemnification. Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties from and against any liability, expense, fines, penalties, cost, demand, or other obligation, resulting from or out of any cyber-related risk that includes theft, loss or misuse of data, release of private information as result of a network breach, penetration, compromise, or loss of IT systems control.
- H. Joinder. The Contractor agrees to being added by the Port as a party to any arbitration or litigation with third parties in which the Port alleges indemnification or seeks contribution from the Indemnitor. The Contractor shall cause each of its Subcontractors of any tier to similarly stipulate in their subcontracts; in the event any does not, the Contractor shall be liable in place of such Subcontractor(s) of any tier.
- I. Other. To the extent that any portion of this Section 3.14 is stricken by a court or arbitrator for any reason, all remaining provisions shall retain their vitality and effect. The obligations of the Contractor under this Section 3.14 shall not be construed to negate, abridge, or otherwise reduce any other right or obligations of indemnity which would otherwise exist. To the extent the wording of this Section 3.14 would reduce or eliminate an available insurance coverage, it shall be considered modified to the extent necessary so that the insurance coverage is not affected. This Section 3.14 shall survive completion, acceptance, final payment, and termination of the Contract.

3.15 WAIVER OF CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES

- A. Mutual waiver of consequential damages. The Contractor and Port waive claims against each other for consequential damages arising out of, or relating to, this Contract. This mutual waiver includes, but is not limited to: (1) damages incurred by the Port for rental expenses, financing, business and reputation, and for loss of management or employee productivity or of the services of such persons, and (2) damages incurred by the Contractor for principal and home office overhead and expenses including, but not limited to, the compensation of personnel stationed there, for losses of financing, business, and reputation, for losses on other projects, for loss of profit, and for interest or financing costs. This mutual waiver includes, but is not limited to, all consequential damages due to either party's termination.
- B. Limitation. Nothing contained in this Section 3.15; however, shall be deemed to preclude an award of liquidated damages, when applicable, in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, to preclude damages specified in the Agreement, or to affect the Contractor's obligation to indemnify the Port for direct, indirect, or consequential damages alleged by a third party.

ARTICLE 4 - SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

4.01 RESPONSIBILITY FOR ACTIONS OF SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS.

- A. Contractor responsible for Subcontractors. The Contractor is fully responsible to the Port for the acts and omissions of its Subcontractors of any tier and all persons either directly or indirectly employed by the Contractor or its Subcontractors.

4.02 AWARD OF CONTRACTS TO SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

- A. Contractor to provide proposed Subcontractor information. The Contractor, within ten (10) days after the Port's notice of award of the Contract, shall provide the Engineer with the names of the persons or entities proposed to perform each of the principal portions of the Work (i.e., either a Subcontractor listed in a bid or proposal or a Subcontractor performing Work valued at least ten percent (10%) of the Contract Sum) and the proprietary names, and the suppliers of, the principal items or systems of materials and equipment proposed for the Work. No progress payment will become due until after this information has been furnished.
- B. Port to respond promptly with objections. The Port may respond promptly to the Contractor in writing stating: (1) whether the Port has reasonable objection to any proposed person or entity, or (2) whether the Port requires additional time for review. If the Port makes a reasonable objection, the Contractor shall replace the Subcontractor with no increase to the Contract Sum or Contract Time. Such a replacement shall not relieve the Contractor of its responsibility for the performance of the Work and compliance with all of the requirements of the Contract within the Contract Sum and Contract Time.
- C. Reasonable objection defined. "Reasonable objection" as used in this Section 4.02 includes, but is not limited to: (1) a proposed Subcontractor of any tier different from the entity listed with the bid, (2) lack of "responsibility" of the proposed Subcontractor, as defined by Washington law and the Bidding Documents, or lack of qualification or responsibility of the proposed Subcontractor based on the Contract or Bidding Documents, or (3) failure of the Subcontractor to perform satisfactorily in the Port's opinion (such as causing a material delay or submitting a claim that the Port considers inappropriate) on one or more projects for the Port within five (5) years of the bid date.
- D. No substitution allowed without permission. The Contractor shall not substitute a Subcontractor, person, or organization without the Engineer's written consent.

4.03 SUBCONTRACTOR AND SUPPLIER RELATIONS

- A. Contractor to schedule, supervise, and coordinate Subcontractors. The Contractor shall schedule, supervise, and coordinate the operations of all Subcontractors of any tier, including suppliers. The Contractor shall ensure that appropriate Subcontractors coordinate the Work of lower-tier Subcontractors.
- B. Subcontractors to be bound to Contract Documents. By appropriate agreement, the Contractor shall require each Subcontractor and supplier to be bound to the terms of the Contract Documents and to assume toward the Contractor, to the extent of their Work, all of the obligations that the Contractor assumes toward the Port under the Contract Documents. Each subcontract shall preserve and protect the rights of the Port and shall allow to the Subcontractor, unless specifically provided in the subcontract, the benefit of all rights, remedies, and redress against the Contractor that the Contractor, by the Contract Documents, has against the Port. Where appropriate, the Contractor shall require each Subcontractor to enter into similar agreements with lower-tier Subcontractors.
- C. Contractor to correct deficiencies in Subcontractor performance. When a portion of the Work subcontracted by the Contractor is not being prosecuted in accordance with the Contract Documents, or if such subcontracted Work is otherwise being performed in an unsatisfactory manner in the Port's opinion, the Contractor shall, on its own initiative or upon the written request of the Port, take immediate steps to correct the deficiency or remove the non-performing party from the Project. The Contractor shall replace inadequately performing Subcontractors upon request of the Port at no change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time.
- D. Contractor to provide subcontracts. Upon request, the Contractor will provide the Port copies of written agreements between the Contractor and any Subcontractor.

ARTICLE 5 - WORKFORCE AND NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

5.01 COMPLIANCE WITH NON-DISCRIMINATION LAWS

- A. Contractor to comply with non-discrimination laws. The Contractor shall fully comply with all applicable laws, regulations, and ordinances pertaining to non-discrimination.
- B. Nondiscrimination Provision – Implementing SB 5186
 - 1. Nondiscrimination Requirement. During the term of this Contract, Contractor, including any subcontractor, shall not discriminate on the bases enumerated at RCW 49.60.530(3). In addition, Contractor, including any subcontractor, shall give written notice of this nondiscrimination requirement to any labor organizations with which Contractor, or subcontractor, has a collective bargaining or other agreement.
 - 2. Obligation to Cooperate. Contractor, including any subcontractor, shall cooperate and comply with any Washington state agency investigation regarding any allegation that Contractor, including any subcontractor, has engaged in discrimination prohibited by this Contract pursuant to RCW 49.60.530(3).

3. Default. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, POT may suspend Contractor, including any subcontractor, upon notice of a failure to participate and cooperate with any state agency investigation into alleged discrimination prohibited by this Contract, pursuant to RCW 49.60.530(3). Any such suspension will remain in place until POT receives notification that Contractor, including any subcontractor, is cooperating with the investigating state agency. In the event Contractor, or subcontractor, is determined to have engaged in discrimination identified at RCW 49.60.530(3), POT may terminate this Contract in whole or in part, and Contractor, subcontractor, or both, may be referred for debarment as provided in RCW 39.26.200. Contractor or subcontractor may be given a reasonable time in which to cure this noncompliance, including implementing conditions consistent with any court-ordered injunctive relief or settlement agreement.
4. Remedies for Breach. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, in the event of Contract termination or suspension for engaging in discrimination, Contractor, subcontractor, or both, shall be liable for contract damages as authorized by law including, but not limited to, any cost difference between the original contract and the replacement or cover contract and all administrative costs directly related to the replacement contract, which damages are distinct from any penalties imposed under Chapter 49.60, RCW. POT shall have the right to deduct from any monies due to Contractor or subcontractor, or that thereafter become due, an amount for damages Contractor or subcontractor will owe POT for default under this provision.

5.02 MWBE, VETERAN-OWNED, AND SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION.

- A. In accordance with the legislative findings and policies set forth in RCW 39.19, the Port encourages participation in all of its contracts by MWBE firms certified by the Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises (OMWBE). Participation may be either on a direct basis in response to this invitation or as a subcontractor to a Bidder. However, unless required by federal statutes, regulations, grants, or contract terms referenced in the Contract Documents, no preference will be included in the evaluation of Bids, no minimum level of MWBE participation shall be required as a condition for receiving an award, and Bids will not be rejected or considered non-responsive on that basis. Any affirmative action requirements set forth in federal regulations or statutes included or referenced in the Contract Documents will apply.

The Port encourages participation in all of its contracts by Veteran-owned businesses (defined in RCW 43.60.010) and located at <http://www.dva.wa.gov/program/certified-veteran--and-servicemember-owned-businesses> and Small, Mini, and Micro businesses (defined in RCW 39.26.010)

5.03 APPRENTICESHIP PARTICIPATION

- A. In accordance with RCW 39.04.320, fifteen (15) percent Apprenticeship Participation is required for all projects estimated to cost one million (\$1,000,000) dollars or more.
- B. Apprentice participation, under this contract, may be counted towards the required percentage (%) only if the apprentices are from an apprenticeship program registered and approved by the Washington State Apprenticeship and Training Council (RCW 49.04 and WAC 296-05).
- C. Bidders may contact the Department of Labor and Industries, Specialty Compliance Services Division, Apprenticeship Section, P.O. Box 44530, Olympia, WA 98504-4530 by phone at (360) 902-5320, or e-mail at Apprentice@lni.wa.gov, to obtain information on available apprenticeship programs.

- D. For each project that has apprentice requirements, the contractor shall submit a "Statement of Apprentice and Journeyman Participation" on forms provided by the Port of Tacoma, with every request for project payment. The Contractor shall submit consolidated and cumulative data collected by the Contractor and collected from all subcontractors by the Contractor. The data to be collected and submitted includes the following:
1. Contractor name and address
 2. Contract number
 3. Project name
 4. Contract value
 5. Reporting period "Beginning Date" through "End Date"
 6. Name and registration number of each apprentice by contractor
 7. Total number of apprentices and labor hours worked by them, categorized by trade or craft.
 8. Total number of journeymen and labor hours worked by them, categorized by trade or craft
 9. Cumulative combined total of apprentice and journeymen labor hours
 10. Total percentage of apprentice hours worked
- E. No changes to the required percentage (%) of apprentice participation shall be allowed without written approval of the Port. In any request for the change, the Contractor shall clearly demonstrate a good faith effort to comply with the requirements for apprentice participation.

ARTICLE 6 - CONTRACT TIME AND COMPLETION

6.01 CONTRACT TIME

- A. Contract Time is measured from Contract execution. Unless otherwise provided in the Agreement, the Contract Time is the period of time, including authorized adjustments, specified in the Contract Documents from the date the Contract is executed to the date Substantial Completion of the Work is achieved.
- B. Commencement of the Work. The Contractor shall begin Work in accordance with the notice of award and the notice to proceed and shall complete all Work within the Contract Time. When the Contractor's signed Agreement, required insurance certificate with endorsements, bonds, and other submittals required by the notice of award have been accepted by the Port, the Port will execute the Contract and, following receipt of other required pre-work submittals, will issue a notice to proceed to allow the Contractor to mobilize and commence physical Work at the Project site, as further described in these contract documents. No Work at the Project site may commence until the Port issues a notice to proceed.
- C. Contractor shall achieve specified completion dates. The Contractor shall achieve Substantial Completion within the Contract Time and shall achieve Final Completion within the time period thereafter stated in the Contract Documents.
- D. Time is of the essence. Time limits stated in the Contract Documents, including any interim milestones, are of the essence of the Contract. By executing the Agreement, the Contractor confirms that the Contract Time is a reasonable period for performing the Work.

6.02 PROGRESS AND COMPLETION

- A. Contractor to maintain schedule. The Contractor's sequence and method of operations, application of effort, and work force shall at all times be created and implemented to ensure the orderly, expeditious, and timely completion of the Work and performance of the Contract. The Contractor shall furnish sufficient forces and shall work such hours, including extra shifts, overtime operations, and weekend and holiday work as may be necessary to ensure completion of the Work within the Contract Time and the approved Baseline Project Schedule.
- B. Contractor to take necessary steps to meet schedule. If the Contractor fails substantially to perform in a timely manner in accordance with the Contract Documents and, through the fault of the Contractor or Subcontractor(s) of any tier, fails to meet the Baseline Project Schedule, the Contractor shall take such steps as may be necessary to immediately improve its progress by increasing the number of workers, shifts, overtime operations, or days of work, or by other means and methods, all without additional cost to the Port. If the Contractor believes that any action or inaction of the Port constitutes acceleration, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Port in writing and shall not accelerate the Work until the Port either directs the acceleration in writing or denies the constructive acceleration.
- C. Liquidated damages not exclusive. Any provisions in the Contract Documents for liquidated damages shall not preclude other damages due to breaches of Contract of the Contractor.

6.03 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

- A. Substantial Completion defined. Substantial Completion is the stage in the progress of the Work, or portion or phase thereof, when the Work or designated portion is sufficiently complete in accordance with the Contract Documents so that the Port can fully occupy or utilize the Work, or the designated portion thereof, for its intended use, all requirements in the Contract Documents for Substantial Completion have been achieved, and all required documentation has been properly submitted to the Port in accordance with the Contract Documents. All Work, other than incidental corrective or punch list Work and final cleaning, must be completed. The fact that the Port may occupy the Work or a designated portion thereof does not indicate that Substantial Completion has occurred or that the Work is acceptable in whole or in part.
- B. Work not Substantially Complete unless Final Completion attainable. The Work is not Substantially Complete unless the Port reasonably judges that the Work can achieve Final Completion within the period of time specified in the Contract Documents.
- C. Notice of Substantial Completion. When the Work or designated portion has achieved Substantial Completion, the Port will provide a notice to establish the date of Substantial Completion. The notice shall establish responsibilities of the Port and Contractor for security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work, and insurance, and shall fix the time within which the Contractor shall finish all remaining Work. If the notice of Substantial Completion does not so state, all responsibility for the foregoing items shall remain with the Contractor until Final Completion.

6.04 COMPLETION OF PUNCH LIST

- A. Contractor shall complete punch list items prior to Final Completion. The Contractor shall cause punch list items to be completed prior to Final Completion. If, after Substantial Completion, the Contractor does not expeditiously proceed to correct punch list items or if the Port considers that the punch list items, are unlikely to be completed prior to the date established for Final Completion (or such other period of time as is specified in the Contract Documents), the Port may, upon seven (7) days' written notice to the Contractor, take over and perform some or all of the punch list items. The Port may also take over and complete any portion of the Work at any time following Substantial Completion and deduct the actual cost of performing the Work (including direct and indirect costs) from the Contract Sum. The Port's rights under this Section 6.04 are not obligations and shall not relieve the Contractor of its responsibilities under any other provisions of the Contract Documents.

6.05 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. Final Completion. Upon receipt of written notice from the Contractor that all punch list items and other Contract requirements are completed, the Contractor will notify the Port, and the Port will perform a final inspection. If the Port determines that some or all of the punch list items have not been addressed, the Contractor shall be responsible to the Port for all costs, including re-inspection fees, for any subsequent reviews to determine completion of the punch list. When the Port determines that all punch list items have been satisfactorily addressed, that the Work is acceptable under the Contract Documents, and that the Work has fully been performed, the Port will promptly notify the Contractor of Final Completion.
- B. Contractor responsible for costs if Final Completion is not timely achieved. In addition to any liquidated damages, the Contractor is liable for, and the Port may deduct from any amounts due the Contractor, all costs incurred by the Port for services performed after the contractual date of Final Completion, whether or not those services would have been performed prior to that date had Final Completion been timely achieved.
- C. Final Completion submittals. The Port is not obligated to accept the Project as complete until the Contractor has submitted all required submittals to the Port.
- D. Contractor responsible for the Work until Final Completion. The Contractor shall assume the sole risk of loss and responsibility for all Work under the Contract, and all materials to be incorporated in the Work, whether in storage or at the Project site, until Final Completion. Damage from any cause to either permanent or temporary Work, utilities, materials, equipment, existing structures, the site, or other property owned by the Port or others, shall be repaired by the Contractor to the reasonable satisfaction of the Port at no change in the Contract Sum.

6.06 FINAL ACCEPTANCE

- A. Final Acceptance. Final Acceptance is the formal action of the Port accepting the Project as complete. Public notification of Final Acceptance will be posted on the Port's external website (<http://www.portoftacoma.com/final-acceptance>).
- B. Final Acceptance not an acceptance of defective Work. Final Acceptance shall not constitute acceptance by the Port of unauthorized or defective Work, and the Port shall not be prevented from requiring the Contractor to remove, replace, repair, or dispose of unauthorized or defective Work or recovering damages due to the same.
- C. Completion of Work under RCW 60.28. Pursuant to RCW 60.28, "Lien for Labor, Materials, Taxes on Public Works," completion of the Contract Work shall occur upon Final Acceptance.

6.07 PORT'S RIGHT TO USE THE PREMISES

- A. Port has right to use and occupy Work. The Port reserves the right to occupy or use any part of the Work before or after Substantial Completion of some or all of the Work without relieving the Contractor of any of its obligations under the Contract. Such occupancy or use shall not constitute acceptance by the Port of any of the Work, and shall not cause any insurance to be canceled or lapse.
- B. No compensation due if Port elects to use and occupy Work. No additional compensation shall be due to the Contractor as a result of the Port's use or occupancy of the Work or a designated portion.

ARTICLE 7 - PAYMENT

7.01 ALL PAYMENTS SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE LAWS AND SCHEDULE OF VALUES

- A. Payment of the Contract Sum. The Contract Sum is stated in the Agreement and, including authorized adjustments, is the total amount payable by the Port to the Contractor for performance of the Work under the Contract Documents. Payments made to the Contractor are subject to all laws applicable to the Port and the Contractor. Payment of the Contract Sum constitutes full compensation to the Contractor for performance of the Work, including all risk, loss, damages, or expense of whatever character arising out of the nature or prosecution of the Work. The Port is not obligated to pay for extra work or materials furnished without prior written approval of the Port.
- B. Schedule of Values. All payments will be based upon an approved Schedule of Values. Prior to submitting its first Application for Payment, the Contractor shall submit a Schedule of Values to the Port allocating the entire Contract Sum to the various portions of the Work. The Schedule of Values shall be prepared in such form, and supported by such data to substantiate its accuracy, as the Port may require. This schedule, unless objected to by the Port, shall be used as a basis for reviewing the Contractor's applications for payment.

7.02 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

- A. Applications for Payment. Progress payments will be made monthly for Work duly certified, approved by the Engineer, and performed (based on the Schedule of Values and actual quantities of Work performed) during the calendar month preceding the Application for Payment. These amounts are paid in trust to the Contractor for distribution to Subcontractors to the extent, and in accordance with, the approved Application for Payment.

7.03 PROGRESS PAYMENTS

- A. Progress payments. Following receipt of a complete Application for Payment, the Engineer will either authorize payment or indicate in writing to the Contractor the specific reasons why the payment request is being denied, in whole or in part, and the remedial action the Contractor must take to receive the withheld amount. After a complete Application for Payment has been received and approved by the Port, payment will be made within thirty (30) days. Any payments made by, or through, or following receipt of, payment from third parties will be made in accordance with the third party's policies and procedures.
- B. Port may withhold payment. The Port may withhold payment in whole or in part as provided in the Contract Documents or to the extent reasonably necessary to protect the Port from loss or potential loss for which the Contractor is responsible, including loss resulting from the Contractor's acts and omissions.

7.04 PAYMENT BY CONTRACTOR TO SUBCONTRACTORS

- A. Payment to Subcontractors. With each Application for Payment, the Contractor shall provide a list of Subcontractors to be paid by the Contractor. No payment request shall include amounts the Contractor does not intend to pay to a Subcontractor because of a dispute or other reason. If, however, after submitting an Application for Payment, but before paying a Subcontractor, the Contractor discovers that part or all of a payment otherwise due to the Subcontractor is subject to withholding from the Subcontractor under the subcontract (such as for unsatisfactory performance or non-payment of lower-tier Subcontractors), the Contractor may withhold the amount as allowed under the subcontract, but it shall give the Subcontractor and the Port written notice of the remedial actions that must be taken and pay the Subcontractor within eight (8) working days after the Subcontractor satisfactorily completes the remedial action identified in the notice.
- B. Payment certification to be provided upon request. The Contractor shall provide, with each Application for Payment, a certification signed by Contractor attesting that all payments by the Contractor to Subcontractors from the last Application for Payment were made within ten (10) days of the Contractor's receipt of payment. The certification will also attest that the Contractor will make payment to Subcontractors for the current Application for Payment within ten (10) days of receipt of payment from the Port.

7.05 FINAL PAYMENT

- A. Final payment. Final applications for payment are due within seven (7) days following Final Completion. Final payment of the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum, except retainage, will be made following Final Completion and within thirty (30) days of the Contractor's submission of an approved final Application for Payment.
- B. Releases required for final payment. The final payment shall not become due until the Contractor delivers to the Port a complete release of all liens arising out of the Contract, as well as an affidavit stating that, to the best of Contractor's knowledge, its release includes all labor and materials for which a lien could be filed. If a Subcontractor of any tier refuses to furnish a release or waiver required by the Port, the Port may (a) retain in the fund, account, or escrow funds in such amount as to defray the cost of foreclosing the liens of such claims and to pay attorneys' fees, the total of which shall be no less than 150% of the claimed amount, or (b) accept a bond from the Contractor, satisfactory to the Port, to indemnify the Port against the lien. If any such lien remains unsatisfied after all payments from the retainage are made, the Contractor shall refund to the Port all moneys that the Port may be compelled to pay in discharging such lien, including all costs and reasonable attorneys' fees.
- C. Contractor to hold Port harmless from liens. The Contractor shall defend (at the Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold harmless the Port from any liens, claims, demands, lawsuits, losses, damages, disbursements, liabilities, obligations, fines, penalties, costs, and expenses, whether direct or indirect, including but not limited to, attorneys' fees and consultants' fees and other costs and expenses, except to the extent a lien has been filed because of the failure of the Port to make a contractually required payment.

7.06 RETAINAGE

- A. Retainage to be withheld. In accordance with RCW 60.28, a sum equal to five percent (5%) of each approved Application for Payment shall be retained. Prior to submitting its first Application for Payment, the Contractor shall exercise one of the options listed below:
 - 1. Retained percentages will be retained by the Port in a fund; or

2. Deposited by the Port in an interest-bearing account or escrow account in a bank, mutual savings bank, or savings and loan association designated by the Contractor, not subject to withdrawal until after the final acceptance of said improvement or work as completed, or until agreed to by both parties; provided that interest on such account shall be paid to the Contractor. Contractor to complete and submit Port provided Retainage Escrow Agreement (Section 00 61 23.13); or
 3. If the Contractor provides a bond in place of retainage, it shall be in an amount equal to 5% of the Contract Sum plus Change Orders. The retainage bond shall be based on the form furnished in Section 00 61 23 or otherwise acceptable to the Port and duly completed and signed by a licensed surety or sureties registered with the Washington State Insurance Commissioner and on the currently authorized insurance list published by the Washington State Insurance Commissioner. The surety or sureties must be rated at least "A-, FSC(6)" or higher by A.M. Best Rating Guide and be authorized by the Federal Department of the Treasury. Attorneys-in-fact who sign the retainage bond must file with each bond a certified and effective Power of Attorney statement.
- B. Contractor may withhold retainage from Subcontractors. The Contractor or a Subcontractor may withhold not more than five percent (5%) retainage from the monies earned by any Subcontractor or lower-tier Subcontractor, provided that the Contractor pays interest to the Subcontractor at the same interest rate it receives from its reserved funds. If requested by the Port, the Contractor shall specify the amount of retainage and interest due a Subcontractor.
- C. Release of retainage. Retainage will be withheld and applied by the Port in a manner required by RCW 60.28 and released in accordance with the Contract Documents and statutory requirements. Release of the retainage will be processed in the ordinary course of business within sixty (60) days following Final Acceptance of the Work by the Port provided that no notice of lien has been given as provided in RCW 60.28, that no claims have been brought to the attention of the Port, that the Port has no claims under this Contract, and that release of retention has been duly authorized by the State. The following items must also be obtained prior to release of retainage: pursuant to RCW 60.28, a certificate from the Department of Revenue; pursuant to RCW 50.24, a certificate from the Department of Employment Security; and appropriate information from the Department of Labor and Industries including approved affidavits of wages paid for the Contractor and each subcontractor.

7.07 DISPUTED AMOUNTS

- A. Disputed amounts. If the Contractor believes it is entitled to payment for Work performed during the prior calendar month in addition to the agreed-upon amount, the Contractor may submit to the Port, along with the approved Application for Payment, a separate written payment request specifying the exact additional amount claimed to be due, the category in the Schedule of Values to which the payment would apply, the specific Work for which additional payment is sought, and an explanation of why the Contractor believes additional payment is due.

7.08 EFFECT OF PAYMENT

- A. Payment does not relieve Contractor of obligations. Payment to the Contractor of progress payments or final payment does not relieve the Contractor from its responsibility for the Work or its responsibility to repair, replace, or otherwise make good defective Work, materials, or equipment. Likewise, the making of a payment does not constitute a waiver of the Port's right to reject defective or non-conforming Work, materials, or equipment (even though they are covered by the payment), nor is it a waiver of any other rights of the Port.

- B. Acceptance of final payment waives claims. Acceptance of final payment by the Contractor, a Subcontractor of any tier, or a supplier shall constitute a waiver of claims except those previously made in writing and identified as unsettled in Contractor's final Application for Payment.
- C. Execution of Change Order waives claims. The execution of a Change Order shall constitute a waiver of claims by the Contractor arising out of the Work to be performed or deleted pursuant to the Change Order, except as specifically described in the Change Order.

7.09 LIENS

- A. Contractor to discharge liens. The Contractor shall promptly pay (and secure the discharge of any liens asserted by) all persons properly furnishing labor, equipment, materials, or other items in connection with the performance of the Work including, but not limited to, any Subcontractors of any tier.

ARTICLE 8 - CHANGES IN THE WORK

8.01 CHANGES IN THE WORK

- A. Changes in the Work authorized. Without invalidating the Contract and without notice to the Contractor's surety, the Port may authorize changes in the Work after execution of the Contract, including changes in the Contract Sum or Contract Time. Changes shall occur solely by Change Order, Unilateral Change Directive, or Minor Change in Work. All changes in the Work are effective immediately, and the Contractor shall proceed promptly to perform the change, unless otherwise provided in the Change Order or Directive.
- B. Changes in the Work Defined.
 - 1. A Change Order is a written instrument signed by the Port and Contractor stating their agreement to a change in the Work and the adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum and/or Contract Time.
 - 2. A Unilateral Change Directive is a written instrument issued by the Port to transmit new or revised Drawings, issue additions or modifications to the Contract, furnish other direction and documents adjustment, if any, to the Contract Sum and/or Contract Time. A Unilateral Change Directive is signed only by the Port, without requiring the consent or signature of the Contractor.
 - 3. A Minor Change in the Work is a written order from the Port directing a change that does not involve an adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.
- C. Request for Proposal: At any time, the Port may issue a Proposal Request directing the Contractor to propose a change to the Contract Sum and/or Contract Time, if any, based on a proposed change in the Work. The Contractor shall submit a responsive Change Order proposal as soon as possible, and no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt, in which the Contractor specifies in good faith the extent to which the Contract Sum and/or Contract Time would change. All cost components shall be limited to the manner described in Section 8.02(B). If the Contractor fails to timely respond to a Proposal Request, the Port may issue the change as a Unilateral Change Directive.

1. Fixed price method is default for Contractor Change Order proposal. When the Port has requested that the Contractor submit a Change Order proposal, the Port may specify the basis on which the Contract Sum will be adjusted by the Contractor. The Engineer's preference, unless otherwise indicated, is for changes in the Work to be priced using Lump Sums or Unit Prices or on a time and material (Force Account) basis if unit pricing or lump sums cannot be negotiated or determined. In all instances, however, proposed changes shall include a not-to-exceed price for the change and shall be itemized for evaluation purposes in accordance with Section 8.02(B), as requested by the Engineer.
 2. The Port may accept or reject the Contractor's Change Order proposal, request further documentation, or negotiate acceptable terms with the Contractor. If The Port and Contractor reach agreement on the terms of any change in the Work, including any adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, such agreement shall be incorporated in a Change Order.
 3. The Change Order shall constitute full payment and final settlement of all claims for time and for direct, indirect, and consequential costs, including costs of delays, inconvenience, disruption of schedule, or loss of efficiency or productivity, related to any Work either covered or affected by the Change Order, or related to the events giving rise to the request for equitable adjustment. The Port may reject a proposal, in which case the Port may either not effectuate the change or issue a Unilateral Change Directive. The Port will not make payment to the Contractor for any work until that work has been incorporated into an executed Change Order.
- D. Unforeseen Conditions: If the Contractor encounters conditions at the site that are: (1) subsurface or otherwise concealed physical conditions that differ materially from those indicated in the Contract Documents or any soils reports made available by the Port to the Contractor, or (2) unknown physical conditions of an unusual nature that differ materially from those ordinarily found to exist and generally recognized as inherent in construction activities of the character provided for in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall immediately provide oral notice to the Engineer before conditions are disturbed, followed within 24 hours by an initial written notice. The Contractor shall submit a detailed proposal no later than seven (7) days following discovery of differing site conditions. The Engineer will promptly investigate these conditions and, if the Engineer determines that they differ materially and cause an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost or time required for performance of any part of the Work, will establish a change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, or both, consistent with the requirements of the Contract Documents. If the Contractor disputes the Engineer's determination, the Contractor may proceed as provided in the dispute resolution procedure (Article 11). No increase to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time shall be allowed if the Contractor does not comply with the contractual requirements or if the Contractor knew, or reasonably should have known, of the concealed conditions prior to executing the Contract.
- E. Proceed Immediately: Pending agreement on the terms of the Change Order or upon determination of a differing site condition as defined in 8.01(D), the Engineer may direct Contractor to proceed immediately with the change in the Work. Contractor shall not proceed with any change in the Work until it has obtained the Engineer's written approval and documentation of the following:
1. The scope of work
 2. An agreed upon maximum not-to-exceed amount
 3. The method of final cost determination
 4. Estimated time to complete the changed work

5. As a change in the Work is performed, unless the parties have signed a written Change Order to establish the cost of the change, the Contractor shall maintain an itemized accounting of all costs related to the change based on the categories in Section 8.02(B) and provide such data to the Port upon request. This includes, without limitation, invoices, including freight and express bills, and other support for all material, equipment, Subcontractor, and other charges related to the change and, for material furnished from the Contractor's own inventory, a sworn affidavit certifying the actual cost of such material. Failure to provide data to the Port within seven (7) days of a request constitutes a waiver of any claim. The Port may furnish any material or equipment to the Contractor that it deems advisable, and the Contractor shall have no claim for any costs or fee on such material or equipment.
- F. Procedure for Unilateral Change Directive. Whether or not the Port has rejected a Contractor's proposal, the Port may issue a Unilateral Change Directive and the Contractor shall promptly proceed with the specified Work. If the Contractor disagrees with a Unilateral Change Directive, the Contractor shall advise the Port in writing through a Change Order proposal within seven (7) days of receipt. The Contractor's Change Order proposal shall reasonably specify the reasons for any disagreement and the adjustment it proposes. Without this timely Change Order proposal, the Contractor shall conclusively be deemed to have accepted the Port's proposal.
- G. Payment pending final determination of Force Account work. Pending final determination of the total cost of Force Account Work, and provided that the Work to be performed under Force Account is complete and any reservations of rights have been signed by the Port, the Contractor may request payment for amounts not in dispute in the next Application for Payment accompanied by documentation indicating the parties' agreement. Work done on a Force Account basis must be approved in writing on a daily basis by the Engineer or the Engineer's designee and invoices shall be submitted with an Application for Payment within sixty (60) days of performance of the Work.

8.02 CHANGES IN THE CONTRACT SUM

- A. Port to Decide How Changes are Measured. The Port may elect, in its sole discretion, how changes in the Work will be measured for payment. Change in the Work may be priced on a lump sum basis, through Unit Prices, as Force Account, or by another method documented in the executed Change Order, Unilateral Change Directive, or Minor Change in the Work.
- B. Determination of Cost of Change. The total cost of any change in the Work, including a claim under Article 11, shall not exceed the prevailing cost for the Work in the locality of the Project. In all circumstances, the change in the Work shall be limited to the reasonable, actual cost of the following components:
 1. Direct labor costs: These are the actual labor costs determined by the number of additional craft hours at their normal hourly rate necessary to perform a change in the Work. The hourly cost of labor will be based upon the following:

- a. Basic wages and fringe benefits: The hourly wage (without markup or labor burden) and fringe benefits paid by the Contractor as established by the Washington Department of Labor and Industries or contributed to labor trust funds as itemized fringe benefits, whichever is applicable, not to exceed that specified in the applicable "Intent to Pay Prevailing Wage," for the laborers, apprentices, journeymen, and foremen performing or directly supervising the change in the Work on site. These wages do not include the cost of Contractor's project manager or superintendent or above, and the premium portion of overtime wages is not included unless pre-approved in writing by the Port. Costs paid or incurred by the Contractor for vacations, per diem, subsistence, housing, travel, bonuses, stock options, or discretionary payments to employees are not separately reimbursable. The Contractor shall provide to the Port copies of payroll records, including certified payroll statements for itself and Subcontractors of any tier, upon the Port's request.
 - b. Workers' insurance: Direct contributions to the State of Washington as industrial insurance; medical aid; and supplemental pension by class and rates established by the Washington Department of Labor and Industries.
 - c. Federal insurance: Direct contributions required by the Federal Insurance Compensation Act (FICA); Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA); and State Unemployment Compensation Act (SUCA).
2. Direct material costs: This is an itemization, including material invoices, of the quantity and actual cost of additional materials necessary to perform the change in the Work. The cost will be the net cost after all discounts or rebates, freight costs, express charges, or special delivery costs, when applicable. No lump sum costs will be allowed unless approved in advance by the Port.
3. Construction equipment usage costs: This is an itemization of the actual length of time that construction equipment necessary and appropriate for the Work is used solely on the changed Work times the applicable rental cost as established by the lower of the local prevailing rates published in www.equipmentwatch.com, as modified by the AGC/WSDOT agreement, or the actual rate paid to an unrelated third party. If more than one rate is applicable, the lowest available rate will be utilized. Rates and quantities of equipment rented that exceed the local fair market rental costs shall be subject to the Port's prior written approval. Total rental charges for equipment or tools shall not exceed 75% of the fair market purchase value of the equipment or the tool. Actual, reasonable mobilization costs are permitted if the equipment is brought to the site solely for the change in the Work. Mobilization and standby costs shall not be charged for equipment already present on the site.

The rates in effect at the time of the performance of the changed Work are the maximum rates allowable for equipment of modern design, and in good working condition, and include full compensation for furnishing all fuel, oil, lubrication, repairs, maintenance, and insurance. No gas surcharges are payable. Equipment not of modern design and/or not in good working condition will have lower rates. Hourly, weekly, and/or monthly rates, as appropriate, will be applied to yield the lowest total cost.
4. Subcontractor costs: These are payments the Contractor makes to Subcontractors for changed Work performed by Subcontractors. The Subcontractors' cost of changed Work shall be determined in the same manner as prescribed in this Section 8.02 and, among other things, shall not include consultant costs, attorneys' fees, or claim preparation expenses.

5. Service provider costs: These are payments the Contractor makes to service providers for changed Work performed by service providers. The service providers' cost of changed Work shall be determined in the same manner as prescribed in this Section 8.02.
6. Markup: This is the maximum total amount for overhead, profit, and other costs, including office, home office and site overhead (including purchasing, project manager, superintendent, project engineer, estimator, and their vehicles and clerical assistants), taxes (except for sales tax on the Contract Sum), warranty, safety costs, printing and copying, layout and control, quality control/assurance, small or hand tools (a tool that costs \$500 or less and is normally furnished by the performing contractor), preparation of as-built drawings, impact on unchanged Work, Change Order and/or claim preparation, and delay and impact costs of any kind (cumulative, ripple, or otherwise), added to the total cost to the Port of any Change Order work. No markup shall be due, however, for direct settlements of Subcontractor claims by the Port after Substantial Completion. The markup shall be limited in all cases to the following schedule:
 - a. Direct labor costs -- 20% markup on the direct cost of labor for the party (Contractor or Subcontractor) providing labor related to the change in the Work;
 - b. Direct material costs -- 20% markup on the direct cost of material for the party (Contractor or Subcontractor) providing material related to the change in the Work;
 - c. Construction equipment usage costs -- 10% markup on the direct cost of equipment for the party (Contractor or Subcontractor) providing equipment related to the change in the Work;
 - d. Contractor markup on Subcontractor costs -- 10% markup for the Contractor on the direct cost (excluding markup) of a change in the Work performed by Subcontractors (and for Subcontractors, for a change in the Work performed by lower-tier Subcontractors); and
 - e. Service provider costs -- 5% markup for the Contractor on the direct cost (excluding markup) of a change in the Work performed by service providers.

The total summed markup of the Contractor and all Subcontractors of any tier shall not exceed 30% of the direct costs of the change in the Work. If the markup would otherwise exceed 30%, the Contractor shall proportionately reduce the markup for the Contractor and all Subcontractors of any tier.

7. Cost of change in insurance or bond premium. This is defined as:
 - a. Contractor's liability insurance: The actual cost (expressed as a percentage submitted with the certificate of insurance provided under the Contract Documents and subject to audit) of the Contractor's liability insurance arising directly from the changed Work; and
 - b. Public works bond: The actual cost (expressed as a percentage submitted under the Contract Documents and subject to audit) of the Contractor's performance and payment bond arising directly from the changed Work.

Upon request, the Contractor shall provide the Port with supporting documentation from its insurer or surety of any associated cost incurred. The cost of the insurance or bond premium together shall not exceed 2.0% of the cost of the changed Work.

8. Unit Prices. If Unit Prices are specified in the Contract Documents or established by agreement of the parties for certain Work, the Port may apply them to the changed Work. Unit Prices shall include pre-agreed rates for material quantities and shall include reimbursement for all direct and indirect costs of the Work, including overhead, profit, bond, and insurance costs arising out of, or related to, the Unit Priced item. Quantities must be supported by field measurement statements signed by the Port, and the Port shall have access as necessary for quantity measurement. The Port shall not be responsible for not-to-exceed limit(s) without its prior written approval.

8.03 CHANGES IN THE CONTRACT TIME

- A. Extension of the Contract Time. If the Contractor is delayed at any time in the commencement or progress of the Work by events for which the Port is responsible, by unanticipated abnormal weather (subject to Section 8.03(E) below), or by other causes not the fault or responsibility of the Contractor that the Port determines may justify a delay in the Contract Time, then the Contract Time shall be extended by Change Order for such reasonable time as the Port may determine. In no event, however, shall the Contractor be entitled to any extension of time absent proof of: (1) delay to an activity on the critical path of the Project, or (2) delay transforming an activity to the critical path, so as to actually delay the anticipated date of Substantial Completion.
- B. Allocation of responsibility for delay not caused by Port or Contractor. If a delay was not caused by the Port, the Contractor, or anyone acting on behalf of any of them, the Contractor is entitled only to an increase in the Contract Time but not an increase in the Contract Sum.
- C. Allocation of responsibility for delay caused by Port. If a delay was caused by the Port or someone acting on behalf of the Port and affected the critical path, the Contractor shall be entitled to a change in the Contract Time and Contract Sum in accordance with Section 8.02. The Contractor shall not recover damages, an equitable adjustment, or an increase in the Contract Sum or Contract Time from the Port; however, where the Contractor could reasonably have avoided the delay. The Port is not obligated directly or indirectly for damages for any delay suffered by a Subcontractor of any tier that does not increase the Contract Time.
- D. Allocation of responsibility for delay caused by Contractor. If a delay was caused by the Contractor, a Subcontractor of any tier, or anyone acting on behalf of any of them, the Contractor is not entitled to an increase in the Contract Time or in the Contract Sum.
- E. Adverse weather. If adverse weather is identified as the basis for a claim for additional time, the claim shall be documented by data substantiating that weather conditions were abnormal for the period of time, could not reasonably have been anticipated and had an adverse effect on the critical path of construction, and that the Work was on schedule (or not behind schedule through the fault of the Contractor) at the time the adverse weather conditions occurred. Neither the Contract Time nor the Contract Sum will be adjusted for normal inclement weather. For a claim based on adverse weather, the Contractor shall be eligible only for a change in the Contract Time (but not a change in the Contract Sum) if the Contractor can substantiate that there was significantly greater than normal inclement weather considering the full term of the Contract Time.
- F. Damages for delay. In the event the Contractor (including any Subcontractors of any tier) is held to be entitled to damages from the Port for delay beyond the amount permitted in Section 8.02(B), the total combined damages to the Contractor and any Subcontractors of any tier for each day of delay shall be limited to the reasonable, actual costs of the delay for which the Port is wholly responsible. The limitation on damages set forth in this Section does not apply to any damages arising exclusively from delay to which the Contractor is entitled to recover under Section 8.03(F).

- G. Limitation on damages. The Contractor shall not be entitled to damages arising out of loss of efficiency; morale, fatigue, attitude, or labor rhythm; constructive acceleration; home office overhead; expectant under run; trade stacking; reassignment of workers; rescheduling of Work, concurrent operations; dilution of supervision; learning curve; beneficial or joint occupancy; logistics; ripple; season change; extended or increased overhead or general conditions; profit upon damages for delay; impact damages including cumulative impacts; or similar damages. Any effect that such alleged costs may have upon the Contractor or its Subcontractors of any tier is fully compensated through the markup on Change Orders paid through Section 8.02(B).

8.04 RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

- A. Reservations of rights void unless signed by Port. Reservations of rights will be deemed waived and are void unless any reserved rights are described in detail and are signed by the Contractor and the Port.
- B. Procedure for unsigned reservations of rights. If the Contractor adds a reservation of rights not signed by the Port to any Change Order, Unilateral Change Directive, Change Order proposal, Application for Payment, or any other document, all amounts and all Work therein shall be considered disputed and not payable until costs are re-negotiated or the reservation is withdrawn or changed in a manner satisfactory to, and signed by, the Port. If the Port makes payment based on a document that contains a reservation of rights not signed by the Port, and if the Contractor cashes such payment, then the reservation of rights shall be deemed waived, withdrawn, and of no effect.

8.05 UNIT PRICES

- A. Adjustment to Unit Prices. If Unit Prices are stated in the Contract Documents or subsequently agreed upon, and if quantities originally contemplated are materially changed (less than eighty percent (80%) or more than one hundred and twenty percent (120%) of the quantity estimated) so that application of a Unit Price would be substantially unfair, the applicable Unit Price but not the Contract Time, shall be adjusted if the Port prospectively approves a Change Order revising the Unit Price.
- B. Procedure to change Unit Prices. The Contractor or Port may request a Change Order revising a Unit Price by submitting information to support the change. A proposed change to a Unit Price will be evaluated by the Port based on the change in cost resulting solely from the change in quantity, any change in production rate or method as compared to the original plan, and the share, if any, of fixed expenses properly chargeable to the item. If the Port and Contractor agree on the change, a Change Order will be executed. If the parties cannot agree, the Contractor shall comply with the dispute resolution procedures (Article 11).

ARTICLE 9 - SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

9.01 PORT'S RIGHT TO SUSPEND WORK

- A. Port may suspend the Work. The Port may at any time suspend the Work, or any part thereof, by giving notice to the Contractor. The Work shall be resumed by the Contractor as soon as possible, but no later than fourteen (14) days after the date fixed in a notice to resume the Work. The Port shall reimburse the Contractor for appropriate and reasonable expenses consistent with Section 8.02 incurred by the Contractor as a result of the suspension, except where a suspension is the result of the Contractor repeatedly or materially failing to carry out or correct the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, and the Contractor shall take all necessary steps to minimize expenses.

- B. Contractor obligations. During any suspension of Work, the Contractor shall take every precaution to prevent damage to, or deterioration of, the Work. The Contractor shall be responsible for all damage or deterioration to the Work during the period of suspension and shall, at its sole expense, correct or restore the Work to a condition acceptable to the Port prior to resuming Work.

9.02 TERMINATION OF CONTRACT FOR CAUSE BY THE PORT

- A. Port may terminate for cause. If the Contractor is adjudged bankrupt or makes a general assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors, if a receiver is appointed due to the Contractor's insolvency, or if the Contractor, in the opinion of the Port, persistently or materially refuses or fails to supply enough properly skilled workmen or materials for proper completion of the Contract, fails to make prompt payment to Subcontractors or suppliers for material or labor, disregards laws, ordinances, or the instructions of the Port, fails to prosecute the Work continuously with promptness and diligence, or otherwise materially violates any provision of the Contract, then the Port, without prejudice to any other right or remedy, may terminate the Contractor after giving the Contractor seven (7) days' written notice (during which period the Contractor shall have the right to cure).
- B. Procedure following termination for cause. Following a termination for cause, the Port may take possession of the Project site and all materials and equipment, and utilize such materials and equipment to finish the Work. The Port may also exclude the Contractor from the Project site(s). If the Port elects to complete all or a portion of the Work, it may do so as it sees fit. The Port shall not be required to accept the lowest bid for completion of the Work and may choose to complete all or a portion of the Work using its own work force. If the Port elects to complete all or a portion of the Work, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any further payment until the Work is finished. If the expense of finishing the Work, including compensation for additional managerial and administrative services of the Port, exceeds the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum, the excess shall be paid by the Contractor.
- C. Port's remedies following termination for cause. The Port may exercise any rights, claims, or demands that the Contractor may have against third persons in connection with the Contract, and for this purpose the Contractor assigns and transfers to the Port all such rights, claims, and demands.
- D. Inadequate termination for cause converted to termination for convenience. If, after the Contractor has been terminated for cause, it is determined that inadequate "cause" for such termination exists, then the termination shall be considered a termination for convenience pursuant to Section 9.03.

9.03 TERMINATION OF CONTRACT FOR CONVENIENCE BY THE PORT

- A. Port may terminate for convenience. The Port may, at any time (without prejudice to any right or remedy of the Port), terminate all, or any portion of, the Contract for the Port's convenience and without cause. The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment consistent with the Contract Documents only for Work properly executed through the date of termination, and costs necessarily incurred by reason of the termination (such as the cost of settling and paying claims arising out of the termination under subcontracts or orders), along with a fee of one percent (1%) of the Contract Sum not yet earned on the whole or part of the Work. The total amount to be paid to the Contractor shall not exceed the Contract Sum as reduced by the amount of payments otherwise made. The Port shall have title to all Work performed through the date of termination.

9.04 TERMINATION OF CONTRACT BY THE CONTRACTOR

- A. Contractor may terminate for cause. The Contractor may terminate the Contract if the Work is stopped for a period of sixty (60) consecutive days through no act or fault of the Contractor or a Subcontractor of any tier, for either of the following reasons:
 - 1. Issuance of an order of a court or other public authority having jurisdiction that requires all Work to be stopped; or
 - 2. An act of government, such as a declaration of national emergency, that requires all Work to be stopped.
- B. Procedure for Contractor termination. If one of the reasons described in Section 9.04A exists, the Contractor may, upon seven (7) days' written notice to the Port (during which period the Port has the opportunity to cure), terminate the Contract and recover from the Port payment for Work executed through the date of termination in accordance with the Contract Documents and for proven loss with respect to materials, equipment, tools, and construction equipment and machinery, including reasonable overhead and profit on Work executed and direct costs incurred by reason of such termination. The total recovery of the Contractor shall not exceed the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum.
- C. Contractor may stop the Work for failure of Port to pay undisputed amounts. The Contractor may stop Work under the Contract if the Port does not pay undisputed amounts due and owing to the Contractor within fifteen (15) days of the date established in the Contract Documents. If the Port fails to pay undisputed amounts, the Contractor may, upon fifteen (15) additional days' written notice to the Port, during which the Port can cure, stop the Work until payment of the amount owing has been received. The Contract Time shall be extended appropriately, and the Contract Sum shall be increased by the amount of the Contractor's reasonable costs of shut-down, delay, and start-up.

9.05 SUBCONTRACT ASSIGNMENT UPON TERMINATION

- A. Subcontracts assigned upon termination. Each subcontract is hereby assigned by the Contractor to the Port provided that:
 - 1. The Port requests that the subcontract be assigned.
 - 2. The assignment is effective only after termination by the Port and only for those subcontracts that the Port accepts in writing.
 - 3. The assignment is subject to the prior rights of the surety, if any, under any bond issued in accordance with the Contract Documents.

When the Port accepts the assignment of a subcontract, the Port assumes the Contractor's rights and obligations under the subcontract, but only for events and payment obligations that arise after the date of the assignment.

ARTICLE 10 - BONDS

10.01 CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS

- A. Contractor to furnish performance and payment bonds. Within ten (10) days following its receipt of a notice of award, and as part of the Contract Sum, the Contractor shall secure and furnish duly executed performance and payment bonds using the forms furnished by the Port. The bonds shall be executed by a surety (or sureties) reasonably acceptable to the Port, admitted and licensed in the State of Washington, registered with the Washington State Insurance Commissioner, and possessing an A.M. Best rating of "A-, FSC (6)" or better and be authorized by the U.S. Department of the Treasury. Pursuant to RCW 39.08, the bonds shall be in an amount equal to the Contract Sum, and shall be conditioned only upon the faithful performance of the Contract by the Contractor within the Contract Time and upon the payment by the Contractor of all taxes, fees, and penalties to the State of Washington and all laborers, Subcontractors, and suppliers, and others who supply provisions, equipment, or supplies for the performance of the Work covered by this Contract. The bonds shall be signed by the person or persons legally authorized to bind the Contractor.
- B. On contracts of one hundred fifty thousand dollars or less, at the option of the contractor as defined in RCW 39.10.210, the Port may, in lieu of the bond, retain ten percent of the contract amount for a period of thirty days after date of final acceptance, or until receipt of all necessary releases from the department of revenue, the Employment Security Department, and the Department of Labor and Industries and settlement of any liens filed under chapter 60.28 RCW, whichever is later. The recovery of unpaid wages and benefits must be the first priority for any actions filed against retainage held by a state agency or authorized local government.

For contracts of one hundred fifty thousand dollars or less, the Port may accept a full payment and performance bond from an individual surety or sureties.
- C. Port may notify surety. If the Port makes or receives a claim against the Contractor, the Port may, but is not obligated to, notify the Contractor's surety of the nature and amount of the claim. If the claim relates to a possibility of a Contractor's default, the Port may, but is not obligated to, notify the surety and request the surety's assistance in resolving the controversy.

ARTICLE 11 - DISPUTE RESOLUTION

11.01 NOTICE OF PROTEST AND CLAIM

- A. Dispute resolution procedure mandatory. All claims, direct or indirect, arising out of, or relating to, the Contract Documents or the breach thereof, shall be decided exclusively by the following alternative dispute resolution procedure, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise. If the Port and Contractor agree to a partnering process to assist in the resolution of disputes, the partnering process shall occur prior to, and not be in place of, the mandatory dispute resolution procedures set forth below.
- B. Notice of protest defined. Except for claims requiring notice before proceeding with the affected Work as otherwise described in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide immediate oral notice of protest to the Engineer prior to performing any disputed Work and shall submit a written notice of protest to the Port within seven (7) days of the occurrence of the event giving rise to the protest that includes a clear description of the event(s). The protest shall identify any point of disagreement, those portions of the Contract Documents believed to be applicable, and an estimate of quantities and costs involved. When a protest relates to cost, the Contractor shall keep full and complete records and shall permit the Port to have access to those records at any time as requested by the Port.

- C. Claim defined. A claim is a demand by one of the parties seeking adjustment or interpretation of the Contract terms, payment of money, extension of time, or other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract Documents. The term "claim" also includes all disputes and matters in question between the Port and Contractor arising out of, or relating to, the Contract Documents. Claims must be initiated in writing and include a detailed factual statement and clear description of the claim providing all necessary dates, locations, and items of Work, the date or dates on which the events occurred that give rise to the claim, the names of employees or representatives knowledgeable about the claim, the specific provisions of the Contract Documents that support the claim, any documents or oral communications that support the claim, any proposed change in the Contract Sum (showing all components and calculations) and/or Contract Time (showing cause and analysis of the resultant delay in the critical path), and all other data supporting the claim. Claims shall also be submitted with a statement certifying, under penalty of perjury, that the claim as submitted is made in good faith, that the supporting cost and pricing data are true and accurate to the best of Contractor's knowledge and belief, that the claim is fully supported, and that the amount requested accurately reflects the adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time for which Contractor believes the Port is liable. A claim shall be deemed to include all changes, direct and indirect, in cost and in time to which the Contractor and Subcontractors of any tier are entitled and may not contain reservations of rights without the Port's written approval; any unapproved reservations of rights shall be without effect.
- D. Claim procedure. The Contractor shall submit a written claim within thirty (30) days of providing written notice of protest. The Contractor may delay submitting supporting data by an additional thirty (30) days if it notifies the Port in its claim that substantial data must be assembled. Any claim of a Subcontractor of any tier may be brought only through, and after review by and concurrence of, the Contractor.
- E. Failure to comply with notice of protest and claim requirements waives claims. Any notice of protest by the Contractor and any claim of the Contractor, whether under the Contract or otherwise, must be made pursuant to, and in strict accordance with, the applicable provisions of the Contract. Failure to properly and timely submit a notice of protest or to timely submit a claim shall waive the claim. No act, omission, or knowledge, actual or constructive, of the Port shall waive the requirement for timely written notice of protest and a timely written claim, unless the Port and the Contractor sign an explicit, unequivocal written waiver approved by the Port. The Contractor expressly acknowledges and agrees that the Contractor's failure to timely submit required notices of protest and/or timely submit claims has a substantial impact upon, and prejudices, the Port. For the purpose of calculating time periods, an "event giving rise to a claim," among other things, is not a Request for Information, but rather is a response that the Contractor believes would change the Contract Sum and/or Contract Time.
- F. False claims. The Contractor shall not make any fraudulent misrepresentations, concealments, errors, omissions, or inducements to the Port in the formation or performance of the Contract. If the Contractor or a Subcontractor of any tier submits a false or frivolous claim to the Port, which for purposes of this Section 11.01(F) is defined as a claim based in whole or in part on a materially incorrect fact, statement, representation, assertion, or record, the Port shall be entitled to collect from the Contractor by offset or otherwise (without prejudice to any right or remedy of the Port) any and all costs and expenses, including investigation and consultant costs, incurred by the Port in investigating, responding to, and defending against the false or frivolous claim.

- G. Compliance with lien and retainage statutes required. If a claim relates to, or is the subject of, a lien or retainage claim, the party asserting the claim may proceed in accordance with applicable law to comply with the notice and filing deadlines prior to resolution of the claim by mediation or by litigation.
- H. Performance required pending claim resolution. Pending final resolution of a claim, the Contractor shall continue to perform the Contract and maintain the Baseline Project Schedule, and the Port shall continue to make payments of undisputed amounts due in accordance with the Contract Documents.

11.02 MEDIATION

- A. Claims must be subject to mediation. At any time following the Port's receipt of a written claim, the Port may require that an officer of the Contractor and the Port's designee (all with authority to settle) meet, confer, and attempt to resolve a claim. If the claim is not resolved during this meeting, the claim shall be subject to mandatory mediation as a condition precedent to the initiation of litigation. This requirement can be waived only by an explicit, written waiver signed by the Port and the Contractor.
- B. Mediation procedure. A request for mediation shall be filed in writing with the other party to the Contract, and the parties shall promptly attempt to agree upon a mediator. If the parties have not reached agreement within thirty (30) days of the request, either party may file the request with the American Arbitration Association, or such other alternative dispute resolution service to which the parties mutually agree, with a copy to the other party, and the mediation shall be administered by the American Arbitration Association (or other agreed service). The parties to the mediation shall share the mediator's fee and any filing fees equally. The mediation shall be held in Pierce County, Washington, unless another location is mutually agreed upon. Agreements reached in mediation shall be enforceable as settlement agreements in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Unless the Port and the Contractor mutually agree in writing otherwise, all claims shall be considered at a mediation session that shall occur prior to Final Completion.

11.03 LITIGATION

- A. Claims not resolved by mediation are subject to litigation. Claims not resolved through mediation shall be resolved by litigation, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise. The venue for any litigation shall be Pierce County, Washington. The Contractor may bring no litigation on claims, unless such claims have been properly raised and considered in the procedures of this Article 11. The Contractor must demonstrate in any litigation that it complied with all requirements of this Article.
- B. Litigation must be commenced promptly. All unresolved claims of the Contractor shall be waived and released, unless the Contractor has complied with the requirements of the Contract Documents, and litigation is served and filed within 180 days of the date of Substantial Completion approved in writing by the Port or termination of the Contract. The pendency of mediation (the time period between receipt by the non-requesting party of a written mediation request and the date of mediation) shall toll these deadlines until the earlier of the mediator providing written notice to the parties of impasse, or thirty (30) days after the date of the mediation session.
- C. Port not responsible for attorneys' fees. Neither the Contractor nor a Subcontractor of any tier, whether claiming under a bond or lien statute or otherwise, shall be entitled to attorneys' fees directly or indirectly from the Port (but may recover attorneys' fees from the bond or statutory retainage fund itself to the extent allowable under law).

- D. Port may join Contractor in dispute. The Port may join the Contractor as a party to any litigation or arbitration involving the alleged fault, responsibility, or breach of contract of the Contractor or Subcontractor of any tier.

ARTICLE 12 - MISCELLANEOUS

12.01 GENERAL

- A. Rights and remedies are cumulative. The rights and remedies of the Port set forth in the Contract Documents are cumulative, and in addition to and not in limitation of, any rights and remedies otherwise available to the Port. The pursuit of any remedy by the Port shall not be construed to bar the Port from the pursuit of any other remedy in the event of similar, different, or subsequent breaches of this Contract. All such rights of the Port shall survive completion of the Project or termination of the Contractor.
- B. Reserved rights do not give rise to duty. The rights reserved or possessed by the Port to take any action shall not give rise to a duty for the Port to exercise any such right.

12.02 WAIVER

- A. Waiver must be in writing and authorized by Port. Waiver of any provisions of the Contract Documents must be in writing and authorized by the Port. No other waiver is valid on behalf of the Port.
- B. Inaction or delay not a waiver. No action, delay in acting, or failure to act by the Port shall constitute a waiver of any right or remedy of the Port, or constitute an approval or acquiescence of any breach or defect in the Work, nor shall any delay or failure of the Port to act waive or otherwise prejudice the right of the Port to enforce a right or remedy at any subsequent time.
- C. Claim negotiation not a waiver. The fact that the Port and the Contractor may consider, discuss, or negotiate a claim that has or may have been defective or untimely under the Contract, shall not constitute a waiver of the provisions of the Contract Documents, unless the Port and the Contractor sign an explicit, unequivocal waiver.

12.03 GOVERNING LAW

- A. Washington law governs. This Contract and the rights and duties of the parties hereunder shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of Washington, without regard to its conflict of law principles.

12.04 COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

- A. Contractor to comply with applicable laws. The Contractor shall at all times comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, ordinances, and regulations. This compliance shall include, but is not limited to, the payment of all applicable taxes, royalties, license fees, penalties, and duties.
- B. Contractor to provide required notices. The Contractor shall give notices required by all applicable Federal, State and local laws, ordinances, and regulations bearing on the Work.
- C. Contractor to confine operations at site to permitted areas. The Contractor shall confine operations at the Project site to areas permitted by applicable laws, ordinances, permits, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities and the Contract Documents.

12.05 ASSIGNMENT

- A. Assignment. The Port and Contractor respectively bind themselves, their partners, successors, assigns, and legal representatives to the other party and to the partners, successors, assigns, and legal representatives of such other party. The Contractor may not assign, transfer, or novate all or any portion of the Contract, including but not limited to, any claim or right to the Contract Sum, without the Port's prior written consent. If the Contractor attempts to make an assignment, transfer, or novation without the Port's consent, the assignment shall be of no effect, and Contractor shall nevertheless remain legally responsible for all obligations under the Contract. The Contractor also shall not assign or transfer, to any third party, any claims it may have against the Port arising under the Contract or otherwise related to the Project.

12.06 TIME LIMIT ON CAUSES OF ACTION

- A. Time limit on causes of action. The Port and Contractor shall commence all causes of action, whether in contract, tort, breach of warranty, or otherwise, against the other arising out of, or related to, the Contract in accordance with the requirements of the dispute resolution procedure set forth in Article 11 of these General Conditions, within the time period specified by applicable law, and within the time limits identified in the Contract Documents. The Contractor waives all claims and causes of action not commenced in accordance with this Section 12.06.

12.07 SERVICE OF NOTICE

- A. Notice. Written notice under the Contract Documents by either the Contractor or Port may be served on the other party by personal service, electronic or facsimile transmission, or delivery service to the last address provided in writing to the other party. For the purpose of measuring time, notice shall be deemed to be received by the other party on the next business day following the sender's electronic or facsimile transmittal or delivery by delivery service.

12.08 RECORDS

- A. Contractor and Subcontractors to maintain records and cooperate with Port audit. The Contractor and Subcontractors of any tier shall maintain books, ledgers, records, documents, estimates, bids, correspondence, logs, schedules, emails, and other tangible and electronic data and evidence relating or pertaining to costs and/or performance of the Contract ("records") to such extent, and in such detail, as will properly reflect and fully support compliance with the Contract Documents and with all costs, charges, and other amounts of whatever nature. The Contractor shall preserve these records for a period of six (6) years following the date of Final Acceptance under the Contract. Within seven (7) days of the Port's request, both during the Project and for six (6) years following Final Acceptance, the Contractor and Subcontractors of any tier shall make available, at their office during normal business hours, all records for inspection, audit, and reproduction (including electronic reproduction) by the Port or its representatives; failure to fully comply with this requirement shall constitute a material breach of contract and a waiver of all claims by the Contractor and Subcontractors of any tier.
- B. Rights under RCW 42.56. The Contractor agrees, on behalf of itself and Subcontractors of any tier, that any rights under Chapter 42.56 RCW will commence at Final Acceptance, and that the invocation of such rights at any time by the Contractor or a Subcontractor of any tier, or their respective representatives, shall initiate an equivalent right to disclosures from the Contractor and Subcontractors of any tier for the benefit of the Port.

12.09 STATUTES

- A. Contractor to comply with Washington statutes. The Contractor shall abide by the provisions of all applicable statutes, regulations, and other laws. Although a number of statutes are referenced in the Contract Documents, these references are not meant to be, and are not, a complete list.

1. Pursuant to RCW 39.06, "Registration, Licensing of Contractors," the Contractor shall be registered and licensed as required by the laws of the State of Washington, including but not limited to RCW 18.27, "Registration of Contractors," and shall satisfy all State of Washington bonding and insurance requirements. The Contractor shall also have a current state Unified Business Identifier number; have industrial insurance coverage for the Contractor's employees working in Washington as required by Title 51 RCW; have an Employment Security Department number as required by Title 50 RCW; have a state excise tax registration number as required in Title 82 RCW; and not be disqualified from bidding on any public works contract under RCW 39.06.010 (unregistered or unlicensed contractors) or RCW 39.12.065(3) (prevailing wage violations).
2. The Contractor shall comply with all applicable provisions of RCW 49.28, "Hours of Labor."
3. The Contractor shall comply with pertinent statutory provisions relating to public works of RCW 49.60, "Discrimination."
4. The Contractor shall comply with pertinent statutory provisions relating to public works of RCW 70.92, "Provisions in Buildings for Aged and Handicapped Persons," and the Americans with Disabilities Act.
5. Pursuant to RCW 50.24, "Contributions by Employers," in general, and RCW 50.24.130 in particular, the Contractor shall pay contributions for wages for personal services performed under this Contract or arrange for an acceptable bond.
6. The Contractor shall comply with pertinent provisions of RCW 49.17, "Washington Industrial Safety and Health Act," and Chapter 296-155 WAC, "Safety Standards for Construction Work."
7. Pursuant to RCW 49.70, "Worker and Community Right to Know Act," and WAC 296-62-054 et seq., the Contractor shall provide to the Port, and have copies available at the Project site, a workplace survey or material safety data sheets for all "hazardous" chemicals under the control or use of Contractor or any Subcontractor of any tier.
8. All products and materials incorporated into the Project as part of the Work shall be certified as "asbestos-free" and "lead-free" by United States standards, and shall also be free of all hazardous materials or substances. At the completion of the Project, the Contractor shall submit certifications of asbestos-free and of lead-free materials certifying that all materials and products incorporated into the Work meet the requirements of this Section, and shall also certify that materials and products incorporated into the Work are free of hazardous materials and substances.

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes requirements for the Contractor's insurance.

1.02 SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Evidence of the required insurance within ten (10) days of the issued Notice of Award to the Contractor.
- B. Updated evidence of insurance as required until final completion.

1.03 COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY (CGL) INSURANCE

- A. The Contractor shall secure and maintain until Final Completion, at its sole cost and expense, the following insurance in carriers reasonably acceptable to the Port, licensed in the State of Washington, registered with the Washington State Insurance Commissioner, and possessing an A.M. Best rating of "A-, FSC six (6)" or better.
- B. The Port of Tacoma (Port) will be included as additional insureds for both ongoing and completed operations by endorsement to the policy using ISO Form CG 20 10 11 85 or forms CG 20 10 04 13 and CG 20 37 04 13 (or equivalent coverage endorsements). The inclusion of the Port as additional insureds shall not create premium liability for the Port.

Also, by endorsement to the policy, there shall be:

1. An express waiver of subrogation in favor of the Port;
 2. A cross liabilities clause; and
 3. An endorsement stating that the Contractor's policy is primary and not contributory with any insurance carried by the Port.
- C. If the Contractor, Supplier, or Subcontractors will perform any work requiring the use of a licensed professional, per RCW 18, the Contractor shall provide evidence to the Port of professional liability insurance in amounts not less than \$1,000,000.
- D. This insurance shall cover all of the Contractor's operations, of whatever nature, connected in any way with the Contract, including any operations performed by the Contractor's Subcontractors of any tier. **It is the obligation of the Contractor to ensure that all Subcontractors (at whatever level) carry a similar program that provides the identified types of coverage, limits of liability, inclusion of the Port as additional insured(s), waiver of subrogation and cross liabilities clause.** The Port reserves the right to reject any insurance policy as to company, form, or substance. Contractor's failure to provide, or the Port's acceptance of, the Contractor's certificate of insurance does not waive the Contractor's obligation to comply with the insurance requirements of the Contract as specifically described below:
1. Commercial General Liability Insurance on an Occurrence Form Basis including, but not limited to:
 - a. Bodily Injury Liability;
 - b. Property Damage Liability;
 - c. Contractual Liability;
 - d. Products - Completed Operations Liability;
 - e. Personal Injury Liability;

- f. By endorsement to the policy, not exclude work within fifty feet of any railroad track;
Alternatively, a Commercial General Liability (CGL) policy is acceptable if all of the above coverages are incorporated in the policy and there are no marine exclusions that will remove coverage for either vessels or work done by or above or around the water.
- 2. Comprehensive Automobile Liability including, but not limited to:
 - a. Bodily Injury Liability;
 - b. Property Damage Liability;
 - c. Personal Injury Liability;
 - d. Owned and Non-Owned Automobile Liability; and
 - e. Hired and Borrowed Automobile Liability.
- 3. Railroad protective liability insurance naming the Port and Tacoma Rail as Insureds with coverage of at least \$2,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 in the aggregate. The policy must be issued on a standard ISO form CG 00 35 10 93 and include the following:
 - a. Endorsed to include the Pollution Exclusion Amendment (ISO form CG 28 31 10 93);
 - b. Endorsed to include the Limited Seepage and Pollution Endorsement;
 - c. Endorsed to include Evacuation Expense Coverage Endorsement;
 - d. No other endorsements restricting coverage may be added; and
 - e. The original policy must be provided to the Port prior to execution of the Contract; within ten (10) days of Notice of Award.
- 4. Contractor's Pollution Liability (CPL) covering claims for bodily injury, property damage and cleanup costs, and environmental damages from pollution conditions arising from the performance of covered operations.
 - a. If the Work involves remediation or abatement of regulated waste to include, but not limited to asbestos containing materials, lead containing products, mercury, PCB, underground storage tanks, or other hazardous materials or substances, the CPL policy shall not exclude such coverage, or a specific policy covering such exposure shall be required from the Contractor and all Subcontractors performing such Work.
 - b. If the Work involves transporting regulated materials or substances or waste, a separate policy or endorsement to the CPL policy specifically providing coverage for liability and cleanup arising from an upset or collision during transportation of hazardous materials or substances shall be required from the Contractor and all Subcontractors performing such Work.
 - c. It is preferred that CPL insurance shall be on a true occurrence form without a sunset clause. However, if CPL insurance is provided on a Claims Made basis, the policy shall have a retroactive date prior to the start of this project, and this insurance shall be kept in force for at least three years after the final completion of this project. Alternatively, the contractor, at its option, may provide evidence of extended reporting period of not less than three (3) years in its place. The Contractor shall be responsible for providing the Port with certificates of insurance each year evidencing this coverage.
 - d. The Port shall be named as an additional insured(s) on the CPL policy.

5. Technology Professional Liability Errors and Omissions Insurance appropriate to the Consultant's profession and work hereunder, with limits not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence. Coverage shall be sufficiently broad to respond to the duties and obligations as is undertaken by the Vendor in this agreement and shall include, but not be limited to, claims involving infringement of intellectual property, copyright, trademark, invasion of privacy violations, information theft, release of private information, extortion and network security. The policy shall provide coverage for breach response costs as well as regulatory fines and penalties as well as credit monitoring expenses with limits sufficient to respond to these obligations.

The policy shall include, or be endorsed to include, **property damage liability coverage** for damage to, alteration of, loss of, or destruction of electronic data and/or information "property" of the Agency in the care, custody, or control of the Vendor.

- E. Except where indicated above, the limits of all insurance required to be provided by the Contractor shall be not less than \$2,000,000 for each occurrence. If the coverage is aggregated, the coverage shall be no less than two times the per occurrence or per claim limit. However, coverage in the amounts of these minimum limits shall not be construed as to relieve the Contractor from liability in excess of such limits. Any additional insured endorsement shall NOT be limited to the amounts specified by this Contract, unless expressly waived in writing by the Port.
- F. Contractor shall certify that its operations are covered by the Washington State Worker's Compensation Fund. The Contractor shall provide its Account Number or, if self-insured, its Certificate of Qualification Number. The Contractor shall also provide evidence of Stop-Gap Employers' Liability Insurance.

United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Worker's Act (USL&H) and Jones Act may be required for this project. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for determining the applicability of USL&H and Jones Act coverage. The failure of the Contractor to procure either USL&H or Jones Act coverage shall at no time create liability on the part of the Port. The Contractor shall bear all responsibility and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Port for any and all liability, cost, and/or damages.

- G. The Contractor shall furnish, within ten (10) days following issuance of the Notice of Award, a certificate of insurance satisfactory to the Port evidencing that insurance in the types and minimum amounts required by the Contract Documents has been secured. The Certificate of Insurance shall be signed by an authorized representative of the insurer together with a copy of the endorsement, which shows that the Port are named as additional insured(s).
- H. Contractor shall provide at least forty-five (45) days prior written notice to the Port of any termination or material change, or ten (10) day's-notice in the case of non-payment of premium(s).
- I. If the Contractor is required to make corrections to the Work after Final Completion, the Contractor shall obtain at its own expense, prior to the commencement of any corrective work, insurance coverage as required by the Contract Documents, which coverage shall be maintained until the corrections to the Work have been completed and accepted by the Port.

1.04 BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE

- A. Until Final Completion of the Work, the construction Work is at the risk of the Contractor and no partial payment shall constitute acceptance of the Work or relieve the Contractor of responsibility of completing the Work under the Contract.

- B. To the extent the Work provided under this Contract does not include the construction, rehabilitation or repair of any dam, road or bridge, and whenever the estimated cost of the Work is less than \$25,000,000, the Port and Contractor acknowledge that the Port will purchase, or has purchased, from a company or companies lawfully authorized and admitted to do business in Washington, property insurance written on a Builder's Risk "all-risk" (including Earthquake and Flood with applicable sub-limits) or equivalent policy form to cover the course of construction in the amount of the full insurable value thereof. This property insurance shall be maintained, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or otherwise agreed in writing by all persons and entities who are beneficiaries of such insurance, until final payment has been made or until no person or entity other than the Port has an insurable interest in the property, whichever is later. Without further endorsement, the coverage afforded by this insurance includes the interests of the Port, the Contractor, and Subcontractors of any tier on the Project. Coverage for materials intended to be installed in the facility will be covered by the Builder's Risk policy. Losses up to the deductible amount, and payment of any deductible amount, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. All tools and equipment not intended as part of the construction or installation (including but not limited to Contractor's equipment and tools) will NOT be covered by the policy.

To the extent the Work provided under this Contract involves any dam, roadway or bridge, the value of which exceeds \$250,000, or whenever the estimated cost of the Work is equal to or greater than \$25,000,000, Contractor will purchase from a company or companies lawfully authorized and admitted to do business in Washington, property insurance written on a Builder's Risk "all-risk" (excluding Earthquake and Flood with applicable sub-limits) or equivalent policy form to cover the course of construction in the amount of the full insurable value thereof. This Builder's Risk insurance shall be maintained, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or otherwise agreed in writing by all persons and entities who are beneficiaries of such insurance, until final payment has been made or until no person or entity other than the Port has an insurable interest in the property, whichever is later. Contractor shall provide evidence satisfactory to the Port confirming the coverage afforded by this insurance shall include the interests of the Port, the Contractor, and Subcontractors of any tier on the Project. Coverage for materials intended to be installed in the facility will be covered by the Builder's Risk policy purchased by the Contractor. Losses up to the deductible amount, and payment of any deductible amount, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor.

In all instances, the Contractor shall obtain property insurance for all Contractor-owned equipment and tools and, in the event of loss, payment of any deductible amount shall be the responsibility of the Contractor.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 PREVAILING AND OTHER REQUIRED WAGES

- A. The Contractor shall pay (and shall ensure that all Subcontractors of any tier pay) all prevailing wages and other wages (such as Davis-Bacon Act wages) applicable to the Project.
- B. Pursuant to RCW 39.12, "Prevailing Wages on Public Works," no worker, laborer, or mechanic employed in the performance of any part of the Work shall be paid less than the "prevailing rate of wage" in effect as of the date that bids are due.
 - 1. Based on the Bid Date, the applicable effective date for prevailing wages for this Project is March 7, 2024.
- C. The State of Washington prevailing wage rates applicable for this public works Project, which is located in Pierce County, may be found at the following website address of the Department of Labor and Industries:

<https://fortress.wa.gov/lni/wagelookup/prvWagelookup.aspx>
- D. The schedule of the prevailing wage rates is made a part of the Contract Documents by reference as though fully set forth herein, and a printed copy of the applicable prevailing wage rates are also available for viewing at the Port Administration Building, located at 1 Sitcum Plaza, Tacoma, WA 98421 (253-383-5841). Upon request to the Procurement Department at procurement@portoftacoma.com, the Port will email or mail a hard copy of the applicable Journey Level prevailing wages for this Project.
- E. Questions relating to prevailing wage data should be addressed to the Industrial Statistician.

Mailing Address: Washington State Department of Labor and Industries
Prevailing Wage Office
P.O. Box 44540
Olympia, WA 98504

Telephone: (360) 902-5335

Facsimile: (360) 902-5300

 - 1. If there is any discrepancy between the provided schedule of prevailing wage rates and the published rates applicable under WAC 296-127-011, the applicable published rates shall apply with no increase in the Contract Sum. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that the correct prevailing wage rates are paid.
- F. Statement to Pay Prevailing Wages
 - 1. Prior to any payment being made by the Port under this Contract, the Contractor, and each Subcontractor of any tier, shall file a Statement of Intent to Pay Prevailing Wages with the Department of Labor and Industries for approval.
 - 2. The statement shall include the hourly wage rate to be paid to each classification of workers entitled to prevailing wages, which shall not be less than the prevailing rate of wage, and the estimated number of workers in each classification employed on the Project by the Contractor or a Subcontractor of any tier, as well as the Contractor's contractor registration number and other information required by the Department of Labor and Industries.
 - 3. The statement, and any supplemental statements, shall be filed in accordance with the requirements of the Department of Labor and Industries. No progress payment shall be made until the Port receives such certified statement.

- G. The Contractor shall post, in a location readily visible to workers, at the Project site: (i) a copy of the Statement of Intent to Pay Prevailing Wages approved by the Industrial Statistician of the Department of Labor and Industries and (ii) the address and telephone number of the Industrial Statistician of the Department of Labor and Industries to whom a complaint or inquiry concerning prevailing wages may be directed.
- H. If a State of Washington prevailing wage rate conflicts with another applicable wage rate (such as Davis-Bacon Act wage rate) for the same labor classification, the higher of the two shall govern.
- I. Pursuant to RCW 39.12.060, if any dispute arises concerning the appropriate prevailing wage rate for work of a similar nature, and the dispute cannot be adjusted by the parties in interest, including labor and management representatives, the matter shall be referred for arbitration to the Director of the Department of Labor and Industries, and his or her decision shall be final and conclusive and binding on all parties involved in the dispute.
- J. Immediately following the end of all Work completed under this Contract, the Contractor and each Subcontractor of any tier, shall file an approved Affidavit of Wages Paid with the Department of Labor and Industries.
- K. The Contractor shall defend (at the Contractor's sole cost, with legal counsel approved by Port), indemnify, and hold the Port harmless from all liabilities, obligations, claims, demands, damages, disbursements, lawsuits, losses, fines, penalties, costs, and expenses, whether direct, indirect, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees and consultants' fees and other costs and expenses, from any violation or alleged violation by the Contractor or any Subcontractor of any tier of RCW 39.12 ("Prevailing Wages on Public Works") or RCW Title 51 ("Industrial Insurance"), including, but not limited to, RCW 51.12.050.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE PORT-WIDE

- A. The Contractor shall submit, prior to the start of Work, a list of emergency contact numbers for itself and its Subcontractors, Suppliers, and manufacturer representatives. Each person on the Project site shall have a valid identification card that is tamper proof with laminated photo identification, such as one (1) of the following:
1. State-issued Driver's license (also required if driving a vehicle)
 2. Card issued by a governmental agency
 3. Passport
 4. Pacific Maritime Association card
 5. Labor organization identification card
- B. Identification cards shall be visible while on the Project site or easily displayed when requested.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SCOPE

- A. The accompanying Drawings and Specifications show and describe the location and type of Work to be performed under this project. Work is more specifically defined on the drawings listed in Section 00 01 15.
 - 1. The Work under this contract is to provide, furnish and install all labor, materials and equipment required to complete the work, installed, tested, and ready for use, and as described in these documents.
 - 2. The Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade consists of:
 - a. Removal and replacement of fifteen No 9 turnouts. Five of the turnouts shall be constructed in crossover configurations as specified in the drawings and specifications.
 - b. Removal of existing ballast and placement of new ballast for new turnout construction.
 - c. Furnishing, lining, grading and compaction of new turnouts and trackwork.
 - d. Removal and replacement of existing paved railroad crossings.
 - e. Coordination with the Port of Tacoma and Tacoma Rail to complete the work with a phased approach that limits impacts to track outages and traffic.

1.02 LOCATION

- A. The work is located at:
 - 2603 SR 509 N. Frontage Road
 - Tacoma, WA 98421

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This Section specifies work sequence and constraints.
- B. The purpose of the milestones, sequence and limitations of construction are to ensure that the Contractor understands the requirements and limitations on its work by the specific characteristics of the Contract, schedules and conducts work in a manner consistent with achieving these purposes, and complies with the construction schedule, the specific sequence, constraints, milestones and limitations of work specified.
- C. Sequence of construction. Plan the sequence of construction to accommodate all the requirements of the specifications. The Contract Price shall include all specified requirements as described in this Section.

1.02 CONTRACTOR ACCESS AND USE OF PREMISES

- A. Activity Regulations
 - 1. Ensure Contractor personnel deployed to the project become familiar with and follow all regulations or restrictions established by the Engineer.
- B. Working Facility
 - 1. The Facility will remain in operation for the duration of construction. The Contractor shall conduct all items of the Work in such a manner as to prevent interference with the normal operations of the Facility.
- C. Work Site Regulations
 - 1. Keep within the limits of work and assigned avenues of ingress and egress. Do not enter any areas outside the designated work location unless previously approved by the Engineer. The Contractor must comply with the following conditions:
 - a. Restore all common areas to a clean and useable condition that permits the resumption of Tenant operations after the Contractor ceases daily work.
 - b. Be responsible for control and security of Contractor-owned equipment and materials at the work site. Report to Port Security (phone (253) 383-9472) any missing/lost/stolen property.
 - c. Ensure all materials, tools and equipment will be removed from the site or secured within the designated laydown area at the end of each shift.

1.03 CONSTRAINTS - GENERAL

- A. Constraints for Work at Site
 - 1. Track Work and Outage Constraints:
 - a. Contractor shall work consecutive weeks from start to finish of track work.
 - b. All track work and outages will be coordinated with the Engineer, Port Maintenance Track Crew and Tacoma Rail. Outages and sequencing will be provided weekly on the 3 week lookahead schedule provided by the Contractor.
 - c. Allowed Track Outages:
 - 1) Turnouts - 2 days
 - 2) Typical Crossover - 4 days including the Saturday and Sunday

- 3) Crossover for switches 27, 28 and 29 - 5 days including Saturday and Sunday

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. Procedures for preparation and submittal of applications for progress payments.

1.02 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

- A. Monthly pay estimates shall clearly identify the work performed for the given time period based on the approved Schedule of Values.
 - 1. At the Pre-construction meeting, the Engineer and the Contractor shall agree upon a date each month when payment applications shall be submitted.
- B. For each pay estimate the Contractor shall submit the following:
 - 1. Completed Contractor invoice and updated Schedule of Values tracking sheet as required by Division 01 or as established by the Engineer.
 - 2. Baseline Project Schedule and narrative updated as required by Section 01 32 16 of the Project Manual.
 - 3. Completed "Amounts Paid to Subcontracts and Suppliers" showing total contract amount, amount paid this estimate, total paid to date, and balance owing.
 - 4. Completed "Conditional Release and Waiver of Liens and Claims."
 - 5. An estimated cashflow statement projecting the Contractor's monthly billings on the project shall be submitted with each payment application.
- C. Prior to submitting a payment application, the Contractor and Engineer shall meet each month to review the work accomplished to determine the actual quantities including labor, materials and equipment charges to be billed.
 - 1. Prior to the payment application meeting, the Contractor shall submit to the Engineer all measurement documentation as referenced in these contract documents; to include all measurement by weight, volume or field.
 - 2. For all change work being done on a force account basis, the Contractor shall submit prior to meeting with Engineer all Force Account back-up documentation as required to process the payment application where Force Account work is being billed. The Engineer and the Contractor shall review the documentation at the payment application meeting to verify quantities and review the work accomplished.
 - 3. The Contractor shall bring a copy of all documentation to the pay application meeting with the Engineer.
 - 4. The Contractor shall submit the updated baseline project schedule for review prior to submitting the payment application to ensure the payment processing is not held up due to necessary schedule revisions.
- D. Following the Engineers' review, the Contractor shall submit the agreed upon pay estimate electronically, with complete supporting documentation, using e-Builder®.

1.03 PAYMENT PRICING

- A. Pricing for the various lump sum or unit prices in the Bid Form, as further specified herein, shall include all compensation to be received by the Contractor for furnishing all tools, equipment, supplies, and manufactured articles, and for all labor, operations, and incidentals appurtenant to the items of work being described, as necessary to complete the various items of the work in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

- B. Pricing also includes all costs of compliance with the regulations of public agencies having jurisdiction, including safety and health requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor (OSHA).
- C. No separate payment will be made for any item that is not specifically set forth in the Bid Form, and all costs therefore shall be included in the prices named in the Bid Form for the various appurtenant items of work.
- D. All other work not specifically mentioned in the measurement and payment sections identified below shall be considered incidental to the work performed and merged into the various unit and lump sum prices bid. Payment for work under one item will not be paid for under any other item.
- E. The Port of Tacoma reserves the right to make changes should unforeseen conditions necessitate such changes. Where work is on a unit price basis, the actual quantities occasioned by such changes shall govern the compensation.

1.04 LUMP SUM MEASUREMENT

- A. Lump sum measurement will be for the entire item, unit of Work, structure, or combination thereof, as specified and as indicated in the Contractor's submitted bid.
 - 1. If the Contractor requests progress payments for lump sum items, such progress payments will be made in accordance with an approved Schedule of Values. The quantity for payment for completed work shall be an estimated percentage of the lump sum amount, agreed to between the Engineer and Contractor, payable in monthly progress payments in increments proportional to the work performed in amounts as agreed between the Engineer and the Contractor.

1.05 MEASUREMENT OF QUANTITIES FOR UNIT PRICES

- A. Measurement Standards:
 - 1. All Work to be paid for at a contract price per unit measurement, as indicated in the Contractor's submitted bid, will be measured by the Engineer in accordance with United States Standard Measures.
- B. Measurement by Weight:
 - 1. Reinforcing steel, steel shapes, castings, miscellaneous metal, metal fabrications, and similar items to be paid for by weight shall be measured by scale or by handbook weights for the type and quantity of material actually furnished and incorporated into the Work.
 - 2. Unless shipped by rail, material to be measured and paid for by weight shall be weighed on sealed scales regularly inspected by the Washington State Department of Agriculture's Weights and Measures Section or its designated representative. Measurement shall be furnished by and at the expense of the Contractor. All weighing, measuring, and metering devices shall be suitable for the purpose intended and shall conform to the tolerances and specifications as outlined in Washington State Department of Transportation Standard Specifications, Division 1, General Requirements, Article 1-09.2, Weighing Equipment.
 - 3. Provide or utilize platform scales of sufficient size and capacity to permit the entire vehicle or combination of vehicles to rest on the scale platform while being weighed. Combination vehicles may be weighed as separate units provided they are disconnected while being weighed. Scales shall be inspected and certified as often as the Engineer may deem necessary to ascertain accuracy. Costs incurred as a result of regulating, adjusting, testing, inspecting, and certifying scales shall be borne by the Contractor.

4. A licensed weighmaster shall weigh all Contractor-furnished materials. The Engineer may be present to witness the weighing and to check and compile the daily record of such scale weights. However, in any case, the Engineer will require that the Contractor furnish weight slips and daily summary weigh sheets. In such cases, furnish a duplicate weight slip or a load slip for each vehicle weighed, and deliver the slip to the Engineer at the point of delivery of the material.
 5. If the material is shipped by rail, the certified car weights will be accepted, provided only actual weight of material will be paid for and not minimum car weights used for assessing freight tariff. Car weights will not be acceptable for material to be passed through mixing plants. Material to be measured by weight shall be weighed separately for each bid item under which it is to be paid.
 6. Trucks used to haul material being paid for by weight shall be weighed empty daily and at such additional times as the Engineer may require. Each truck shall bear a plainly legible identification mark. The Engineer may require the weight of the material be verified by weighing empty and loaded trucks on such other scales as the Engineer may designate.
- C. Measurement by Volume:
1. Measurement by volume will be by the cubic dimension indicated in the Contractor's submitted bid. Method of volume measurement will be by the unit volume in place or removed as shown on the Contract Drawings or as specified.
 2. When material is to be measured and paid for on a volume basis and it is impractical to determine the volume by the specified method of measurement, or when requested by the Contractor in writing and accepted by the Engineer in writing, the material may be weighed in accordance with the requirements specified for weight measurement. Such weights will be converted to volume measurement for payment purposes. Factors for conversion from weight measurement to volume measurement will be determined by the Resident Engineer and shall be agreed to by the Contractor before such method of measurement of pay quantities will be accepted.
- D. Measurement by Area: Measurement by area will be by the square dimension shown on the Contract Drawings or as specified. Method of square measurement will be as specified.
- E. Linear Measurement: Linear measurement will be by the linear dimension listed or indicated in the Contractor's submitted bid. Unless otherwise indicated, items, components, or Work to be measured on a linear basis will be measured at the centerline of the item in place.
- F. Field Measurement for Payment:
1. The Contractor shall take all measurements by providing equipment, workers, and survey crews as required to measure quantities in accordance with the provisions for measurement specified herein. No allowance will be made for specified tolerances.
 2. The Engineer will verify all quantities of Work performed by the Contractor on a unit-price basis, for progress payment purposes.

1.06 REJECTED, EXCESS, OR WASTED MATERIALS

- A. Quantities of material wasted or disposed of in a manner not called for under the Contract; rejected loads of material, including material rejected after it has been placed by reasons of the failure of the Contractor to conform to the provisions of the Contract; material not unloaded from the transporting vehicle; material placed outside the lines indicated on the Contract Drawings or established by the Engineer; or material remaining on hand after completion of the Work, will not be paid for, and such quantities shall not be included in the final total quantities. No additional compensation will be permitted for loading, hauling, and disposing of rejected material.

1.07 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

A. Item #1: Mobilization, Demobilization and General Construction

- 1. Payment for Mobilization, Demobilization and General Construction shall be for preparatory work and operations performed by the Contractor including, but not limited to, those necessary for the movement of its personnel, equipment, supplies and incidentals to and from the project site; temporary facilities and controls; for the establishment and removal of its offices, buildings and other facilities necessary for work on the project; for other work and operations which it must perform or costs it must incur before beginning production work on the various items on the project site, and for removal of personnel, equipment, supplies, offices, building facilities, sheds, fencing, and other incidentals from the site.
- 2. Mobilization and Demobilization shall be paid at the lump sum price listed in the Contractor's submitted bid. Incremental payment shall be made for each location as follows:
 - a. 40% after completion of 5% of the total contract amount of other bid items have been earned.
 - b. 40% after completion of 20% of the total contract amount of other bid items have been earned.
 - c. 20% after completion of all work on the project has been completed, including cleanup and acceptance of the project by the Port.

B. Item #2: Project Administration

- 1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes all administrative costs associated with administering and supervising the project including, but not limited to supervision of personnel, coordination of all work activities, coordination of subcontractors and/or suppliers, preparation and transmittal of submittals, permit acquisitions, for premiums on bonds and insurance for the project, and project overhead.
- 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
- 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.

C. Item #3: Field Engineering

- 1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes all work necessary for Field Engineering, verifying survey reference points, completion of pre and post-construction surveys, and installation and removal of temporary control as described in these Specifications.

2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- D. Item #4: Pavement Demolition and Replacement
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to remove, dispose, and replace existing asphalt pavement sections at the locations as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. The extent of the asphalt pavement section shall include Work related to removal and replacement of HMA and crushed surfacing base course.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- E. Item #5: Track and Ballast Removal
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to remove and dispose of track and ballast material as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Track removal shall be inclusive of the removal of all turnouts, crossovers, and non-turnout track as identified in the Drawings.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- F. Item #6: Furnish and Install Ballast and Geotextile
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to furnish and install the geotextile and ballast section as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- G. Item #7: Furnish and Install No 9 Turnouts
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to install the ten No 9 turnouts as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Installation completion for each turnout shall include surface, line and grading as indicated in the Specifications.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured per each turnout.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for based on completion of work for each turnout.
- H. Item #8: Furnish and Install No 9 Crossover

1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to install the No 9 Crossover consisting of Turnouts 25 and 26 as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Installation completion for each turnout shall include surface, line and grading as indicated in the Specifications.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured as a single crossover.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for based on percentage of completion of work for the crossover.
- I. Item #9: Furnish and Install No 9 Three-Turnout Crossover
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to install the No 9 Crossover consisting of Turnouts 27, 28, and 29 as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Installation completion for each turnout shall include surface, line and grading as indicated in the Specifications.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured as a single crossover.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for based on percentage of completion of work for the crossover.
- J. Item #10: Furnish and Install Non-Turnout Track
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to install the trackwork that is not furnished and installed as part of the turnout or crossover packages as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Installation completion for non-turnout track shall include surface, line and grading as indicated in the Specifications.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on a percentage complete for the overall lump sum amount.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- K. Item #11: Railroad Flaggers and Spotters
1. Item Description: The Work of this item includes all necessary measures to provide qualified railroad flaggers and spotters throughout the duration of construction being completed during track outages indicated in the Drawings and Specifications.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based on days the Contractor is required to provide railroad flaggers and spotters.
 3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the cost per day as specified in the Contractor's submitted bid, in accordance with the approved Schedule of Values.
- L. Item #12: Unforeseen Conditions
1. Item Description: This allowance will be for Unforeseen Conditions for work unidentified at the time of bid and will be paid as negotiated unit price(s) or lump sum(s). If unit prices or lump sums cannot be established, work will be paid on a time and materials basis per Section 00 72 00 General Conditions Article 8.0. Work under this bid item shall be accomplished upon written direction from the Engineer as a Minor Change in Work. The entire bid item may or may not be used.
 2. Measurement: This item will be measured based upon the method agreed upon for each Minor Change issued.

3. Payment: This item will be paid for at the price agreed upon for each Change in Work issued by the Engineer in accordance with procedures noted in Section 01 26 00 – Change Management Procedures.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing Contract modifications.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor shall submit for approval the following documentation to the Port for force account change orders:
 - 1. List of Labor Rates
 - a. For the Contractor and each subcontractor, a list of labor rates for each trade applicable to the scope of work to be performed. These submitted rates shall be broken down to include the base wage, fringes, FICA, SUTA, FUTA, industrial insurance, and medical aid premiums as stated in the General Conditions. The rates shall not contain any travel time, safety, loss efficiency factors, overhead, or profit. Rates shall be submitted for straight time, overtime, and double time in a form acceptable to the Engineer. Contractor shall provide proof of all labor rate costs as required by the Engineer, including the submission of a copy of the most current Workers Compensation Rate Notice from Labor & Industries and a copy of the Unemployment Insurance Tax Rate notice from the Employment Security Department.
 - 1) If labor rates change during the course of the project or additional labor rates become required to complete the work, the Contractor shall submit new rates for approval.
 - 2. List of Equipment.
 - a. Submit for the Contractor and each subcontractor, a list of equipment and rates applicable to the scope of work to be performed. The equipment rates shall conform to the rates shown on Equipment Watch. A separate page from equipment watch detailing the hourly rate shall be submitted as backup documentation for each piece of equipment.
 - 1) If the list of equipment and/or equipment rates changes during the course of the project or additional equipment becomes required to complete the work, the Contractor shall submit a new list and rates for approval.

1.03 METHOD TO CALCULATE ADJUSTMENTS TO CONTRACT PRICE

- A. One of the following methods shall be used:
 - 1. Unit Price Method;
 - 2. Firm Fixed Price Method (Lump Sum); or,
 - 3. Time and Materials Method (Force Account).
- B. The Port preferred methods are firm fixed price or unit prices.

1.04 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

- A. Engineer will issue a written directive authorizing minor changes in the Work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.

1.05 PROPOSAL REQUESTS

- A. Port-Initiated Proposal Requests: The Engineer will issue a detailed description of proposed changes in the Work that may require adjustment to the Contract Sum or Contract Time. If necessary, the description will include supplemental or revised Drawings and Specifications.
1. Work Change Proposal Requests issued by Engineer are not instructions either to stop work in progress or to execute the proposed change.
 2. Contractor shall submit a written proposal within the time specified in the General Conditions. The proposal shall represent the Contractor's offer to perform the requested work, and the pricing set forth within the proposal shall represent full, complete, and final compensation for the proposed change and any impacts to any other Contract Work, including any adjustments in the Contract Time.
 - a. Include a breakdown of the changed work in sufficient detail that permits the Engineer to substantiate the costs.
 - 1) Generally, the cost breakdown should be divided into the time and materials categories listed in the General Conditions under Article 8.02.B for either Lump Sum Proposals or Force Account Proposals.
 - 2) For Unit Price Proposals, include the quantity and description of all work involved in the unit pricing being proposed, along with a not to exceed total cost.
 - b. Include an updated Contractor's construction schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
- B. Contractor-Initiated Proposals: If latent or differing site conditions require modifications to the Contract, the Contractor may initiate a claim by submitting a request for a change to the Engineer.
1. Notify the Engineer immediately upon finding differing conditions prior to disturbing the site.
 2. Provide follow-up written notification and differing site conditions proposal within the time frames set forth in the General Conditions.
 3. Provide the differing site condition change proposal in the same or similar manner as described above under 1.05.A.
 4. Comply with requirements in Section 00 26 00 Substitution Procedures if the proposed change requires substitution of one product or system for product or system specified.
 5. Proposal Request Form: Use form acceptable to Engineer.

1.06 PROCEEDING WITH CHANGED WORK

- A. The Engineer may issue a directive instructing the Contractor to proceed with a change in the Work, for subsequent inclusion in a Change Order per the General Conditions, Article 8.01.E.
1. The directive will contain a description of change in the Work and a not-to-exceed amount. It will designate the method to be followed to determine the change in the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.

1.07 CHANGE ORDER PROCEDURES

- A. Issuance of Change Order

1. On approval of the Contractor's proposal, and following successful negotiations, the Engineer will issue a Change Order for signature by the Contractor and execution by the Engineer.
 - a. The Contractor shall sign and return the Change Order to the Engineer within **four (4) days** following receipt of the Change Order from the Engineer. If the Contractor fails to return the signed Change Order within the allotted time, the Engineer may issue a Unilateral Change Directive.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes specifications for preparation, format, and submittal of Schedule of Values.
- B. The Schedule of Values will establish unit prices for individual items of work.
- C. The Schedule of Values will be the basis for payment of contract work.

1.02 PREPARATION

- A. To facilitate monthly pay requests, develop the Schedule of Values based on the Contractor's submitted Bid Items. The Schedule of Values shall be used to provide an allocation of the Work for measurement and payment to a level of detail to ensure accurate payment for the Work accomplished. The Schedule of Values is based on unit priced bid items and a breakdown of each lump-sum bid item. The total dollars for the Schedule of Values shall total the bid amount.
- B. Obtain the agreement of the Engineer on the Schedule of Values. No payment will be made prior to an agreed upon Schedule of Values.
- C. Include an updated version of the Schedule of Values as changes occur. Update the Schedule of Values to include:
 - 1. Dollars earned and percent complete for the current progress payment period,
 - 2. Dollars earned and percent complete to-date, excluding the current progress payment period,
 - 3. Total dollars earned and percent complete to-date,
 - 4. Total dollars remaining, and
 - 5. Changes resulting from Change Orders.
- D. The total value of the line items in the Schedule of Values plus any approved Change Orders shall be equal to the current approved contract price.
- E. The value of stored material shall be identified in the Schedule of Values with both a material-purchase activity and a separate corresponding installation activity in the Construction Schedule(s).
- F. Include as exhibits, drawings or sketches as necessary, to better define the limits of pay items that are in close proximity and that have no clear boundary in the Contract Drawings.

1.03 SUBMITTAL

- A. Submit preliminary Schedule of Values within 10 days of the effective date of the Notice to Proceed.
- B. Submit corrected Schedule of Values within 10 days upon receipt of reviewed Schedule of Values.
- C. At the Engineer's request, submit documentation substantiating the cost allocations for line items within the Schedule of Values.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

- A. Submit the Schedule of Values in a form acceptable to the Engineer.
- B. Provide updated Schedule of Values as required by the Engineer and as indicated in the Contract Documents.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SCOPE

- A. The purpose of this section is to provide the framework for communication between the Port and the Contractor by defining the types and timing of administrative tasks, including meetings and other items related to communications.

1.02 NOTICE TO PROCEED

- A. Contract execution will be made per the requirements of the Contract Documents. Once the contract has been executed and all pre-work submittals have been received, the Engineer will issue a Notice to Proceed (NTP).
 - 1. In certain instances, the Engineer may issue to the Contractor a Limited NTP for specified elements of the work described in these Contract Documents.
- B. The Contractor shall submit all pre-work submittals within 14 days of contract execution.
 - 1. No contract time extension shall be granted for any delays in issuance of the NTP by the Engineer due to the Contractor's failure to provide acceptable submittals required by the Contract Documents.

1.03 COORDINATION

- A. The Contractor shall coordinate all its activities through the Engineer.
- B. The Contractor shall coordinate construction operations as required to execute the Work efficiently, to obtain the best results where installation of one part of the Work depends on other portions.

1.04 PROJECT MEETINGS

- A. Pre-Construction Meeting
 - 1. After execution of the contract, but prior to commencement of any work at the site, a mandatory one time meeting will be scheduled by the Engineer to discuss and develop a mutual understanding relative to the administration of the safety program, preparation of the Schedule of Values, change orders, RFI's, submittals, scheduling prosecution of the work. Major subcontractors who will engage in the work shall attend.
 - 2. Suggested Agenda: The agenda will include items of significance to the project.
 - 3. Location of the Pre-Construction Meeting will be held at the Port of Tacoma Administration Building located at One Sitcum Plaza.
- B. Weekly Progress Meetings – Progress meetings include the Contractor, Engineer, consultants and others affected by decisions made.
 - 1. The Engineer will arrange meetings, prepare standard agenda with copies for participants, preside at meetings, record minutes and distribute copies within ten working days to the Contractor, meeting participants, and others affected by decisions made.
 - a. The Engineer will approve submitted meeting minutes in writing within 10 working days.
 - 2. Attendance is required for the Contractor's job superintendent, major subcontractors and suppliers, Engineer, and representatives of the Port as appropriate to the agenda topics for each meeting.
 - 3. Standard Agenda

- a. Review minutes of previous meeting
- b. Review of work progress
- c. Field observations, problems, and decisions
- d. Identification of problems that impede planned progress
- e. Maintenance of Progress Schedule (3 weeks ahead; 1 week back)
- f. Corrective measures to regain projected schedules
- g. Planned progress during succeeding work period
- h. Coordination of projected progress
- i. Maintenance of quality and work standards
- j. Effect of proposed changes on progress schedule and coordination
- k. Demonstration that the project record drawings are up-to-date
- l. Other business relating to the work

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. The Port and Contractor shall use the Port Contract Management application (e-Builder®) for electronic information exchange throughout the duration of the Contract, as later described.
 - 1. e-Builder® is a web-based application accessed via the web.
 - 2. The Contractor will receive up to two separate user accounts for access to e-Builder®.
 - 3. The joint use of this system is to facilitate and coordinate the electronic exchange of Requests for Information, Submittals, Change Order Proposals, Pay Applications, and project specific correspondence.

1.02 USER ACCESS LIMITATIONS

- A. Contractor's access to e-Builder® is granted and controlled by the Engineer.
 - 1. The users assigned by the Contractor to use e-Builder® shall be competent and experienced with the practices commonly employed in the industry for electronically submitting requests for information, submittals, product data, shop drawings and related items as required by the contract and the methods commonly used for project correspondence transmission and filing.
 - 2. Any users assigned by the Contractor whom the Engineer determines is incapable of performing the prescribed tasks in an accurate, competent and efficient manner will be removed upon request from the Engineer. The qualifications and identity of a replacement user shall be submitted within 24 hours for consideration by the Engineer. Once accepted by the Engineer, the user account will be modified accordingly.

1.03 CONTRACTOR TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor is responsible for providing and maintaining web enabled devices capable of running the desktop version of the e-Builder® website effectively.

1.04 CONTRACTOR SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor is responsible for providing and maintaining the following:
 - 1. An office suite that is Microsoft Office 2013 compatible for generation and manipulation of correspondence.
 - 2. A program capable of editing, annotating and manipulating Adobe pdf files for inserting the Contractor's review stamp, clouding and adding notation to the files as necessary for review by the Engineer.

1.05 CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

- A. Provide all the equipment, internet connections, software, personnel and expertise required to support the use of e-Builder® as described in the Contract documents.

1.06 PORT RESPONSIBILITY

- A. Provide the Contractor with the following:
 - 1. All forms necessary for application to obtain permissions to access e-Builder® as described above.
 - 2. Information, basic user guides and requirements on methods for using e-Builder®.
 - 3. Instruction for the Contractor's staff utilizing e-Builder®.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 UTILIZATION OF E-BUILDER®

- A. The Contractor shall provide required information in a timely manner that also supports the project schedule and meets the requirements of the Contract.
- B. The Contractor shall provide and maintain competent and qualified personnel to perform the various tasks required to support the work within e-Builder®.
- C. The Port will not be liable for any delays associated from the usage of e-Builder® including, but not limited to: slow response time, Port maintenance and off-line periods, connectivity problems or loss of information. Under no circumstances shall the usage of e-Builder® software be grounds for a time extension or cost adjustment to the contract.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes the requirements to provide a preliminary schedule and construction progress schedule, bar chart type.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Within 10 days following execution of the contract, submit a baseline project schedule defining planned operations.
- B. If the baseline project schedule requires revision after review, submit revised baseline project schedule within 10 days.
- C. Within 20 days after review of baseline project schedule, submit draft of proposed complete baseline project schedule for review.
- D. Submit updated progress schedule monthly to the Engineer with each pay application as required in Section 01 20 00 Price and Payment Procedures.

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Scheduler: Contractor's personnel or Consultant specializing in Critical Path Method (CPM) scheduling with one year's minimum experience in scheduling construction work of a complexity comparable to this Project, and having use of computer facilities capable of delivering a detailed graphic printout within 48 hours of request.

1.04 SCHEDULE FORMAT

- A. The baseline project schedule shall be produced using the CPM format.
- B. Listings: In chronological order according to the start date for each activity. Identify each activity with the applicable specification section number.
- C. Sheet Size: Multiples of 11 x 17 (280 x 432 mm).

PART 2 PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 BASELINE SCHEDULE

- A. Prepare baseline project schedule in the form of a horizontal bar chart.
- B. The baseline project schedule shall include all the activities listed in the Schedule of Values and be directly related to items listed in the Bid Form. The Contractor is encouraged to add sufficient activities to facilitate a clear understanding of the means and methods planned for the various work items.
- C. Show complete sequence of construction by activity, with dates for beginning and completion of each element of construction and critical path. At a minimum it shall include and show the following:
 - 1. A time scale showing the elementary work items needed to complete the work;
 - 2. Estimated time durations for each activity, defined as any single identifiable work step within the project;
 - 3. A graphical network diagram showing the logical sequence of activities, their precedence relationships, and estimated float or leeway available for each;

- 4. The different categories of work as distinguished by crew requirements, equipment requirements, and construction materials; and
- 5. The different areas of responsibility, such as distinctly separate or subcontracted work, and identifiable subdivisions of work.
- D. It shall be maintained and updated as necessary to accurately reflect past progress and the most probable future progress.
- E. Activities shown shall include submittals, milestones, and sufficient task breakdown for major components of work.
- F. Identify work of separate stages and other logically grouped activities.
- G. Provide sub-schedules to define critical portions of the entire schedule.
- H. Provide separate schedule of submittal dates for shop drawings, product data, samples, owner-furnished products, products identified, and dates reviewed submittals will be required from the Engineer. Indicate decision dates for selection of finishes.

3.02 PROGRESS SCHEDULE

- A. From the regularly-maintained baseline project schedule, progress schedules showing a three-week look-ahead, one-week look-back, shall be submitted and distributed at the weekly progress meetings. The progress schedule shall represent a practical plan to complete the work shown within the contract work window presented. At a minimum, the presentation, typically a Gantt-style chart, shall convey the task durations, a logical work sequence, task interdependencies, and identify important or critical constraints.
- B. Submittal and distribution of progress schedules will be understood to be the Contractor's representation that the scheduled work meets the requirements of the contract documents and that the work will be executed in the manner and sequence presented, and over the durations indicated.
- C. The scheduling, coordination, and execution of construction in accordance with the contract documents are the responsibility of the Contractor. The Contractor shall involve, coordinate, and resolve scheduling with all subcontractors, material suppliers, or others affected in development of the progress schedules.
- D. The progress schedule shall be used for coordination purposes for inspection and testing purposes as well as validation of work progress against the baseline schedule.

3.03 UPDATING SCHEDULE

- A. Maintain schedules to record actual start and finish dates of completed activities.
- B. Indicate progress of each activity to date of revision, with projected completion date of each activity.
- C. Identify activities modified since previous submittal, major changes in Work, and other identifiable changes.
- D. Indicate changes required to maintain Date of Substantial Completion.
- E. Submit reports required to support recommended changes.
- F. Contractor shall submit an updated progress schedule with each pay application and include a written narrative describing the overall progress of the work. The narrative shall include the following key aspects:
 - 1. Progress in the last period.

2. Critical Path progress and schedule concerns.
3. Changes to schedule logic or sequencing of the work.

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes the requirements to provide a submittal log and project submittals.

1.02 SUBMITTAL LOG

- A. Contractor shall, within 14 days of contract execution prepare and submit for Engineer approval a detailed log of all the submittals required under this Contract, along with any other submittals identified by the Port or Contractor. The log shall include, but not be limited to, schedules, required construction Work plans, equipment and material cut sheets, shop drawings, project record documents, test results, survey records, record drawings, results of QC testing, and all other items for which a submittal is required. The submittal log shall be organized by CSI Specification Division, and Section number and include the following information:
1. Item Description
 2. Category
 3. Specification Section information of the applicable section
 4. After the submittal log is reviewed and approved by the Engineer, it shall become the basis for the submittal of all items by Contractor.

1.03 COMPLIANCE

- A. Failure to comply with these requirements shall be deemed as the Contractor's agreement to furnish the exact materials specified or materials selected by the Engineer based on these specifications.

1.04 SHOP DRAWINGS AND MANUFACTURERS' LITERATURE

- A. The Port will not accept shop drawings that prohibit the Port from making copies for its own use.
- B. Shop drawings shall be prepared accurately and to a scale sufficiently large to indicate all pertinent features of the products and the method of fabrication, connection, erection, or assembly with respect to the Work.
- C. All drawings submitted to the Engineer for approval shall be drawn to scale as ANSI D.
- D. Required electronic formats for these drawings are as follows:
1. AutoCad DWG
 2. PDF - Formatted to print to half-scale using 11x17 paper
- E. Catalog cuts or brochures shall show the type, size, ratings, style, color, manufacturer, and catalog number of each item and be complete enough to provide for positive and rapid identification in the field. General catalogs or partial lists will not be accepted. Manufacturers' original electronic files are required for submitting.

1.05 SUBMITTAL REVIEW

- A. After review of each of Contractor's submittals, the submittal will be returned to Contractor with a form indicating one or more of the following:
1. No Exceptions Taken - Means, accepted subject to its compatibility with future submittals and additional partial submittals for portions of the work not covered in this submittal. But it does not constitute approval or deletion of specified or required items not shown in the partial submittal.

2. Make Corrections Noted - Same as Item 1, except that minor corrections as noted shall be made by Contractor.
 3. Reviewed - Submittal has been reviewed by the Port, does not constitute approval, and the Contractor is responsible for requirements in submittal.
 4. Review as Noted - Submittal has to be reviewed by the Port with comments as noted.
 5. Revise and Resubmit - Means, rejected because of major inconsistencies or errors. Resolve or correct before next submittal.
 6. Rejected - Means, submitted material does not conform to the Contract Documents in a major respect (e.g., wrong material, size, capacity, model, etc.).
- B. Submittals marked "No Exceptions Taken," "Make Corrections Noted," or "Reviewed as Noted" authorizes Contractor to proceed with construction covered by those data sheets or shop drawings with corrections, if any, incorporated.
- C. When submittals or prints of shop drawings have been marked "Revise and Resubmit" or "Rejected," Contractor shall make the necessary corrections and submit required copies. Every revision shall be shown by number, date, and subject in a revision block, and each revised shop drawing shall have its latest revision numbers and items clearly indicated by clouding around the revised areas on the shop drawing.
- D. Submittals authorized by the Engineer do not in any case supersede the Contract Documents. The approval by the Engineer shall not relieve the Contractor from responsibility to conform to the Drawings or Specifications, or correct details when in error, or ensure the proper fit of parts when installed. A favorable review by the Port of shop drawings, method of work, or information regarding material and equipment Contractor proposes to furnish shall not relieve Contractor of its responsibility for errors therein and shall not be regarded as assumption of risk or liability by the Port or its officers, employees, or representatives. Contractor shall have no claim under the Contract on account of failure or partial failure, or inefficiency or insufficiency of any plan or method of work, or material and equipment so accepted. Favorable review means that the Port has no objection to Contractor using, upon its own full responsibility, the plan or method of work proposed, or furnishing the material and equipment proposed.
- E. It is considered reasonable that the Contractor's submittals shall be complete and acceptable by at least the second submission of each submittal. The Port reserves the right to deduct monies from payments due Contractor to cover additional costs for review beyond the second submission.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION OF SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor shall submit all shop drawings, catalog cuts, brochures and physical samples using e-Builder® (a web based construction management software). All post-document-generated notations such as notes, arrows, stamps, clouding, or other items, are required to be shown directly on the submittal document. **Each submittal shall be accompanied by a transmittal developed within the e-Builder® software.**
- B. A separate submittal shall be prepared for each product or procedure and shall be further identified by referencing the Specification Section and paragraph number and each submittal shall be numbered consecutively.

- C. Product submittals that cannot be accomplished electronically shall be submitted electronically without attachments, marked as being hand delivered, and accompanied by a printed version of a transmittal.
- D. Shop and detail drawings shall be submitted in related packages. All equipment or material details which are interdependent, or are related in any way, must be submitted indicating the complete installation. Submittals shall not be altered once marked "No Exceptions Taken" Revisions shall be clearly marked and dated. Major revisions must be submitted for approval.
- E. The Contractor shall thoroughly review all shop and detail drawings, prior to submittal, to assure coordination with other parts of the work.
- F. Components or materials which require shop drawings and which arrive at the job site prior to approval of shop drawings shall be considered as not being made for this project and shall be subject to rejection and removal from the premises.
- G. All submittal packages including, but not limited to, product data sheets, mix designs, shop drawings and other required information for submittal must be submitted, reviewed and approved before the relevant scheduled task may commence. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to provide the submittal information which may drive a task on the construction schedule to submit items well enough in advance as to provide adequate time for review and comment from the Engineer without adversely impacting the construction schedule.
- H. When completing the e-Builder® submittal form, a Date Due field is required to be completed. This field is intended to inform the Port of the urgency of the submittal. Failure of the Port to return the submittal by the date provided by the Contractor will not be considered grounds for a contract time extension.

3.02 PRE-WORK SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to issuance of Notice to Proceed, the following submittals must be submitted and returned to the Contractor as No Exceptions Taken, Make Corrections Noted, Reviewed, or Reviewed as Noted.
 - 1. Per 00 72 00 and 01 32 16, Baseline Project Schedule
 - 2. Per 00 73 63, Emergency Contact Numbers
 - 3. Per 01 35 29, Health and Safety Plan (HASP)
 - 4. Per 01 35 29, Spill Prevention and Countermeasures Plan (SPCC)
 - 5. Per 01 35 47, List of equipment and written certification

3.03 MAINTENANCE OF SUBMITTAL LOG

- A. Prepare and submit for Port review a detailed submittal log conforming to the requirements of paragraph 1.02 of this section. When approved by the Engineer, use the submittal log to track the transmittal of submittals to the Engineer, the receipt of submittal comments from the Engineer, and all subsequent action with respect to each submittal. Provide an updated copy of the submittal log to the Engineer during each weekly progress meeting, unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. The work includes the requirements for health and safety provisions necessary for all work at the site for this project. The work also includes compliance with all laws, regulations and ordinances with respect to safety, noise, dust, fire and police action, civil disobedience, security or traffic.
- B. The Contractor shall monitor site conditions for indications of identified and other potentially hazardous, dangerous, and/or regulated materials (suspicious material). Indicators of suspicious material include, but are not limited to, refuse, oily sheen or coloring on soil or water, or oily or chemical odors. If suspicious materials are encountered, the Contractor shall stop all work in that area and notify the Engineer immediately.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to Notice to Proceed, the Contractor shall provide a site specific Health and Safety Plan (HASP), which meets all the requirements of local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations. The HASP shall address all requirements for general health and safety and shall include, but not be limited to:
 - 1. Description of work to be performed and anticipated chemical and/or physical hazards associated with the work;
 - 2. Map of the site(s) illustrating the location of the anticipated hazards and areas of control for those hazards (including containments, exclusion/work zones, and contaminant reduction/decontamination zones);
 - 3. Hazardous material inventory and safety data sheets (SDSs) for all chemicals which will be brought on site;
 - 4. Signage appropriate to warn site personnel and visitors of anticipated site hazards;
 - 5. Documentation that the necessary workers have completed the required Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) training;
 - 6. Engineering controls/equipment to be used to protect against anticipated hazards;
 - 7. Personal protective equipment and clothing including head, foot, skin, eye, and respiratory protection;
 - 8. Procedures which will be used for:
 - a. Hot work,
 - b. Suspicious materials and/or unidentified materials,
 - 9. Site housekeeping procedures and personal hygiene practices;
 - 10. Railroad safety procedures;
 - 11. Administrative controls;
 - 12. Emergency plan including locations of and route to nearest hospital;
 - 13. Recordkeeping including:
 - a. Documentation of appropriate employee training (e.g., Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response [HAZWOPER] 40-hour training for staff involved with excavation and handling of soil),

14. Name and qualification of person preparing the HASP and person designated to implement and enforce the HASP;
 15. Excavation, stockpiling, and truck loading procedures;
 16. Lighting and sanitation; and
 17. Signatory page for site personnel to acknowledge receipt, understanding, and agreement to comply with the HASP.
- B. Prior to the start of any Work, the Contractor shall provide a site specific Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) Plan, which meets all the requirements of local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations.
- C. Contractor may submit the HASP and SPCC Plan as one comprehensive document or may submit the plans as separate documents.

1.03 POTENTIAL CHEMICAL HAZARDS

A. Site Contaminants

1. The Contractor must provide site workers with Hazard Communication standard information for potential site contaminants (in accordance with WAC 296-843). The Contractor shall ensure that all site workers are aware of and understand this information. Additional information shall also be provided by the Contractor, as necessary, to meet the Hazard Communication Standard and HASP requirements as noted in WAC 296-901-14010 and 296-843. Workers shall be instructed on basic methods or techniques to assist in detecting suspicious material.

B. Potential Exposures Routes

1. Inhalation: Airborne dusts, fibers, particulates, or vapors may be released during site activities. Inhalation of airborne inorganic arsenic may occur.
2. Skin and Eye Contact: Dusts generated during site work activities may settle on the skin or clothing of site workers. Also, workers may contact potentially regulated sediments, or water, in the normal course of their work. Precautions to prevent skin or eye contact with hazardous materials will be included in the HASP. Arsenic exposure may cause skin irritation.
3. Ingestion: Inadvertent transfer of site contaminants from hands or other objects to the mouth could occur if site workers eat, drink, smoke, chew tobacco, or engage in similar activities in work areas. This could result in ingestion of site contaminants. Precautions to prevent accidental or inadvertent ingestion of hazardous materials will be included in the HASP.

- C. Chemical hazards may also result from Contractor operations resulting in inadvertent release of fuel, oil, or other chemicals in a manner that would expose workers.

1.04 POTENTIAL PHYSICAL AND OTHER HAZARDS

- A. The Work of the Contractor is described elsewhere in these specifications. Precautions to prevent all anticipated physical and other hazards, including heavy equipment, shall be addressed in the HASP.
- B. Specific aspects of construction resulting in physical hazards anticipated for this project include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Major hazards associated with earthwork impacts from moving construction vehicles and trucks, noise, thermal stress, contact with unguarded machines, excavation hazards (i.e., cave-in, utility, etc.), strains from heavy lifting, and reduced visibility and communications difficulties in work area; and
 2. Operation of equipment, including excavators, loaders, and related equipment, presenting hazards of entrapment, ensnarement, and being struck by moving parts.
- C. Other anticipated physical hazards:
1. Heat stress, such as that potentially caused by impermeable clothing (may reduce the cooling ability of the body due to evaporation reduction);
 2. Cold stress, such as that potentially caused during times when temperatures are low, winds are high, especially when precipitation occurs during these conditions;
 3. Biological hazards, such as mold, insect stings, or bites, poisonous plants (i.e., poison oak, sumac, etc.); and
 4. Trips and falls.
- D. Firewatch Procedures
1. A firewatch is implemented to ensure the fire-safety of a building, structure or area in the event of any act (e.g., hot work) or situation instigating an increased risk of fire. The term "firewatch" is used to describe a dedicated person or persons whose sole responsibility is to look for fires within an established area.
 2. A firewatch is required when all hot work is being performed.
 3. The firewatch is to perform the following functions:
 - a. Firewatch personnel are to keep diligent watch for fires in the general area where the work is being performed.
 - b. Firewatch personnel are to be familiar with facilities and procedures for sounding an alarm in the event of a fire.
 - c. Firewatch personnel are to have fire extinguishing equipment readily available and be trained in its use, including practice on test fires.
 - d. Firewatch personnel are to inspect the site prior to hot work activities to ensure that combustibles are removed or covered and that any nearby holes or penetrations in the ground and walls are sealed or covered with fire-safe materials.
 - e. Firewatch personnel are to watch for fires in all exposed areas. If a fire is located, firewatch personnel are to sound the evacuation alarm immediately and after that try to extinguish the fire, only when obviously within the capacity of the equipment available.
 - f. The firewatch is to be maintained for at least 120 minutes after completion of hot work such as cutting, welding, or other open flame operations, in order to detect and extinguish smoldering and flaming fires. During this time, the work area and other adjacent areas where sparks or flame may have traveled are to be searched for signs of combustion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 SAFETY SIGNAGE

- A. The Contractor shall provide signage at strategic locations within the project site to alert jobsite workers and visitors of the remediation work, associated hazards, and required precautions.

2.02 PRODUCTS SPECIFIED FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY

- A. Provide the equipment and supplies necessary to support the work as described in the site-specific HASP. Equipment and supplies may include, but are not limited to:
 - 1. All chemicals to be used on site;
 - 2. A hazardous materials inventory and SDSs for the chemicals brought on site;
 - 3. Fencing and barriers;
 - 4. Warning signs and labels;
 - 5. Fire extinguishers;
 - 6. Equipment to support hot work;
 - 7. Personal protective equipment (hard hats, foot gear, skin, eye, and respiratory protection);
 - 8. Demolition equipment and supplies;
 - 9. First aid equipment;
 - 10. Spill response and spill prevention equipment; and
 - 11. Field documentation logs/supplies.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 WORK AREA PREPARATION

- A. Contractor shall comply with health and safety rules, regulations, ordinances promulgated by the local, state, and federal government, the various construction permits, and other sections of the Contract Documents. Such compliance shall include, but not be specifically limited to: any and all protective devices, equipment and clothing; guards; restraints; locks; latches; switches; and other safety provisions that may be required or necessitated by state and federal safety regulations. The Contractor shall determine the specific requirements for safety provisions and shall have inspections and reports by the appropriate safety authorities to be conducted to ensure compliance with the intent of the regulations.
- B. Contractor shall inform employees, subcontractors and their employees of the potential danger in working with any potentially regulated materials, equipment, soils and groundwater at the project site.
 - 1. The Contractor shall not proceed with jobsite activities that might result in exposure of employees to hazardous materials until the HASP is reviewed by the Engineer.
- C. All Contractor employees expected to work at the jobsite or individuals entering the jobsite shall read the Contractor HASP before they enter the jobsite, and will sign a statement provided by the Contractor that they have read and understand the HASP. A copy of the Contractor's HASP shall be readily available at the site at all times the work is being performed.
- D. The Contractor's HASP shall be amended as needed to include special work practices warranted by jobsite conditions actually encountered. Special practices could include provisions for decontamination of personnel and equipment, and the use of special equipment not covered in the initial plan.
- E. Contractor shall perform whatever work is necessary for safety and be solely and completely responsible for conditions of the job site, including safety of all persons (including employees of the Engineer, Engineer's Representative, and Contractor) and property during the Contract period. This requirement applies continuously and is not limited to normal working hours.

- F. The Engineer's review of the Contractor's performance does not include an opinion regarding the adequacy of, or approval of, the Contractor's safety supervisor, the site-specific HASP, safety program or safety measures taken in, on, or near the job site.
- G. Accidents causing death, injury, or damage must be reported immediately to the Engineer and the Port Security Department in person or by telephone or messenger. In addition, promptly report in writing to the Engineer all accidents whatsoever arising out of, or in connection with, the performance of the work whether on, or adjacent to, the site, giving full details and statements of witnesses.
- H. If a claim is made by anyone against the Contractor or any subcontractor on account of any accident, the Contractor shall promptly report the facts in writing within 24 hours after occurrence, to the Engineer, giving full details of the claim.

3.02 SITE SAFETY AND HEALTH OFFICER

- A. Contractor shall provide a person designated as the Site Safety and Health Officer, who is thoroughly trained in rescue procedures, has a minimum current 40-hour HAZWOPER certification (minimum), and trained to use all necessary safety equipment, air monitoring equipment, and gas detectors. The person must be available and/or present at all times while work is being performed, and conduct testing, as necessary.
- B. The Site Safety and Health Officer shall be empowered with the delegated authority to order any person or worker on the project site to follow the safety rules. Failure to observe these rules is sufficient cause for removal of the person or worker(s) from this project.
- C. The Site Safety and Health Officer is responsible for determining the extent to which any safety equipment must be utilized, depending on conditions encountered at the site.

3.03 SPILL PREVENTION AND CONTROL

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for prevention, containment and cleanup of spilling petroleum and other chemicals/hazardous materials used in the Contractor's operations. All such prevention, containment and cleanup costs shall be borne by the Contractor.
- B. The Contractor is advised that discharge of oil, fuel, other petroleum, or any chemicals/hazardous materials from equipment or facilities into state waters or onto adjacent land is not permitted under state water quality regulations.
- C. In the event of a discharge of oil, fuel or chemicals/hazardous materials into waters, or onto land with a potential for entry into waters, containment and cleanup efforts shall begin immediately and be completed as soon as possible, taking precedence over normal work. Cleanup shall include proper disposal of all spilled material and used cleanup materials.
- D. The Contractor shall, at a minimum, take the following measures regarding spill prevention, containment and cleanup:
 - 1. Fuel hoses, lubrication equipment, hydraulically operated equipment, oil drums and other equipment and facilities shall be inspected regularly for drips, leaks or signs of damage, and shall be maintained and stored properly to prevent spills. Proper security shall be maintained to discourage vandalism.
 - 2. All land-based chemical, oil and products' storage tanks shall be diked, contained and/or located so as to prevent spills from escaping into the water. Dikes and containment area surfaces shall be lined with impervious material to prevent chemicals or oil from seeping through the ground and dikes.

3. All visible floating sheen shall be immediately contained with booms, dikes or other appropriate means and removed from the water prior to discharge into state waters. All visible spills on land shall be immediately contained using dikes, straw bales or other appropriate means and removed using sand, sawdust or other absorbent material, which shall be properly disposed of by the Contractor. Waste materials shall be temporarily stored in drums or other leak-proof containers after cleanup and during transport to disposal. Waste materials shall be disposed offsite in accordance with applicable local, state and federal regulations.
 4. In the event of any oil or product discharges into public waters, or onto land with a potential for entry into public waters, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Port Security at their listed 24-hour response number:
 - a. Port Security: 253-383-9472
- E. The Contractor shall maintain the following materials (as a minimum) at each of the project sites:
1. Oil-absorbent booms: 100 feet;
 2. Oil-absorbent pads or bulk material, adequate for coverage of 200 square feet of surface area;
 3. Oil-skimming system; and
 4. Oil dry-all, gloves, and plastic bags.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This Section discloses procedures to follow if unknown regulated materials are encountered.

1.02 NOTIFICATION AND SUSPENSION

- A. In the event the Contractor detects the presence of potentially regulated materials not previously identified in this specification, the Contractor shall stop work and immediately notify the Port. Following such notification by the Contractor, the Port shall in turn notify the various governmental and regulatory agencies concerned with the presence of regulated materials, if warranted. Depending upon the type of materials identified, the Port may suspend work in the vicinity of the discovery under the provisions of General Conditions.
1. Following completion of any further testing necessary to determine the nature of the materials involved, the Port will determine how the material shall be managed. Although the actual procedures used in resuming the work shall depend upon the nature and extent of the regulated material, the following alternate methods of operation are foreseen as possible:
 - a. Contractor to resume work as before the suspension.
 - b. Contractor to move its operations to another portion of the work until measures to eliminate any hazardous conditions can be developed and approved by the appropriate regulatory agencies.
 - c. The Port to direct the Contractor to dispose or treat the material in an approved manner.
 - d. The Port to terminate or modify the Contract accordingly, for unforeseen conditions.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. The Work includes the requirements to provide air and noise control measures until Final Completion of the Work.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to Notice to Proceed, the Contractor shall submit a list of equipment to be used on the project and written certification that all equipment on the list and any additional equipment, including Contractor's, subcontractors or supplier's equipment, shall meet the requirements of 3.01 below.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.01 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

- A. The Contractor shall meet or exceed EPA Tier 2 off-road diesel engine emission standards for off-road equipment ≥ 25 hp and meet or exceed EPA 1994 on-road diesel engine emission standards for on-road equipment except as follows:
 - 1. Equipment being used in an emergency or public safety capacity
- B. The Contractor shall not discharge smoke, dust, and other hazardous materials into the atmosphere that violate local, state or federal regulations.
- C. No vehicles can idle for more than 5 consecutive minutes, except as follows:
 - 1. Idling is required to bring or maintain the equipment to operating temperature;
 - 2. Engine idling is necessary to accomplish work for which the equipment was designed (i.e. operating a crane); or
 - 3. Idling vehicles being used in an emergency or public safety capacity.
- D. The Contractor shall minimize nuisance dust by cleaning, sweeping, vacuum sweeping, sprinkling with water, or other means. Equipment for this operation shall be on the job site or available at all times.

3.02 NOISE CONTROL

- A. The Contractor shall comply with all local controls and noise level rules, regulations and ordinances which apply to work performed pursuant to the Contract.
- B. All internal combustion engines used on the job shall be equipped with a muffler of a type recommended by the manufacturer.

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 – GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. The Work shall consist of the procedures to be followed in the event that cultural and/or historical resources are inadvertently discovered during the projects activities.
- B. The project is located in an area previously inventoried for cultural and historical resources; however it is possible that additional, previously unidentified archaeological resources and/or skeletal remains could be inadvertently discovered during project activities. In the event that prehistoric, historic-era archaeological materials or skeletal remains are discovered, the appropriate protection measures and protocols described in this section must be followed.
- C. The Port will provide archaeological monitoring by or under the guidance of a professional archaeologist (archaeologist).
 - 1. All ground disturbing activities in native soils must be observed by the archaeologist. Native soils will be considered anything below ballast rock and fabric. Contractor must notify Engineer a minimum of 48 hours prior to ground disturbing activities that would require monitoring.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. The rules, requirements, and regulations that apply to this Work include, but are not necessarily limited to the following:
 - 1. Port of Tacoma "Archaeological Monitoring and Inadvertent Discovery Plan," located in Appendix C.

1.03 AUTHORITY OF ARCHAEOLOGIST

- A. At any time, when the archaeologist determines that possible cultural resources or skeletal remains might be present, they have the authority to stop work, secure the area of the find and determine a work stoppage zone. This area shall remain protected until further decisions can be made regarding the work site.
- B. The archaeologist will stand in close proximity of the construction equipment to view subsurface deposits as they are exposed and will be in close communication with the equipment operators to ensure adequate opportunity for observation and documentation. The monitor will coordinate the depths of the lifts with the Port and the Contractor.
- C. The archaeologist will be provided the opportunity to screen excavated sediments and matrix samples when this is judged to be useful.
- D. Archaeological monitoring will proceed until it can be determined by the archaeologists that skeletal remains or other cultural resources are not likely to be impacted by construction activities.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS – NOT USED.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.01 PROTOCOLS FOR DISCOVERY OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

- A. In the event that archaeological resources are encountered within the project, the following actions will be taken:
 - 1. All ground disturbing and construction activity at the specific location will stop and the area will be protected via temporary fencing or other appropriate measures.
 - 2. The Contractor's work supervisor will be notified immediately.

3. Contact the Port's Engineer and Environmental Project Manager immediately.
4. A work stoppage zone, as determined by the Archaeologist and Port, will be established.
5. The Port's Environmental Project Manager will contact the appropriate agencies where the discovery is located as well as the Washington State Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) the Puyallup Tribe (TRIBE) and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corp).
6. The Work Stoppage Zone will remain protected until further decisions can be made regarding the area.
7. The Contractor will be allowed to continue ground disturbing and other construction activities outside of the established work stoppage zone.

3.02 PROTOCOLS FOR DISCOVERY OF HUMAN REMAINS

- A. In the event of that human remains are encountered within the project, the following actions, consistent with RCWs 68.50.645, 27.44.055 and 68.60.055 will be taken:
 1. All ground disturbing and construction activity at the specific location will stop and the area will be protected via temporary fencing or other appropriate measures. The remains will not be touched, moved or further disturbed.
 2. The Contractor's work supervisor will be notified immediately.
 3. Contact the Port's Engineer and Environmental Project Manager immediately.
 4. The Environmental Project Manager will notify the county medical examiner / coroner and local law enforcement.
 5. A Work Stoppage Zone will be determined and remain protected until further decisions can be made regarding the area.
 6. The Contractor will be allowed to continue ground disturbing and other construction activities outside of the established work stoppage zone.

3.03 PROTOCOLS FOR CONFIDENTIALITY

- A. In the event of that human remains or cultural resources are discovered within the project area, the Port and the Contractor shall keep and maintain all information regarding any discovery confidential.
 1. At no time shall the Contractor contact the media, any third party or otherwise share information regarding the discovery with any member of the public.
 2. If the Contractor is contacted by the media or the public regarding any discovery, they shall refrain from comment, and contact the Port's Environmental Project Manager immediately.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 PERMITS, CODES, AND REGULATIONS

- A. The following permits/approvals have been applied for (or are on file) and incorporated into the Contract:
 - 1. National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Categorical Exclusion, located in Appendix B
- B. Conform with the requirements of listed permits and additional or other applicable permits, codes, and regulations as may govern the Work.
- C. Obtain and pay fees for licenses, permits, inspections, and approvals required by laws ordinances, and rules of appropriate governing or approving agencies necessary for proper completion of Work (other than those listed under item 1.01.A above and Special Inspections called for by the International Building Code).
- D. Conform with current applicable codes, regulations and standards, which is the minimum standard of quality for material and workmanship. Provide labor, materials, and equipment necessary for compliance with code requirements or interpretations, although not specifically detailed in Drawings or specifications. Be familiar with applicable codes and standards prior to bidding.
- E. Process through Engineer, request to extend, modify, revise, or renew any of the permits (listed in 1.01.A above). Furnish requests in writing and include a narrative description and adequate Drawings to clearly describe and depict proposed action. Do not contact regulatory agency with requests for permit extensions, modifications, revisions, or renewals without the prior written consent of the Engineer.

1.02 VARIATIONS WITH CODES, REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS

- A. Nothing in the Drawings and specifications permits Work not conforming to codes, permits, or regulations. Promptly submit written notice to the Engineer of observed variations or discrepancies between the Contract Documents and governing codes and regulations.
- B. Appropriate modifications to the Contract Documents will be made by Change Order to incorporate changes to Work resulting from code and/or regulatory requirements. Contractor assumes responsibility for Work contrary to such requirements if Work proceeds without notice.
- C. Contractor is not relieved from complying with requirements of Contract Documents which may exceed, but not conflict with requirements of governing codes.

1.03 COORDINATION WITH REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. Coordinate Work with appropriate governing or regulating authorities and agencies.
- B. Provide advance notification to proper officials of Project schedule and schedule revisions throughout Project duration, in order to allow proper scheduling of inspection visits at proper stages of Work completion.
- C. Regulation coordination is in addition to inspections conducted by Engineer. Notify Engineer at least 48 hours in advance of scheduled inspections involving outside regulating officials, to allow Engineer to be present for inspections.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 – EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes requirements relating to referenced standards.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. For products or workmanship specified by reference to a document or documents not included in the Project Manual, also referred to as reference standards, comply with requirements of the standard, except when more rigid requirements are specified or are required by applicable codes.
- B. Conform to reference standard of date of issue specified in this section, except where a specific date is established by applicable code.
- C. Should specified reference standards conflict with Contract Documents, request clarification from the Engineer before proceeding.
- D. Neither the contractual relationships, duties, or responsibilities of the parties in Contract nor those of the Engineer shall be altered by the Contract Documents by mention or inference otherwise in any reference document.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 QUALITY CONTROL FOR COMPLIANCE:

- A. The Contractor shall perform such detailed examination, inspection, quality control and assurance of the Work as to ensure that the Work is progressing and is being completed in strict accordance with the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall plan and lay out all Work in advance of operations so as to coordinate all Work without delay or revision. The Contractor shall be responsible for inspection of portions of the Work already performed to determine that such portions are in proper condition to receive subsequent Work. Under no conditions shall a portion of Work proceed prior to preparatory work having been satisfactorily completed. The Contractor shall ensure that the responsible Subcontractor has carefully examined all preparatory work and has notified the Contractor (who shall promptly notify the Port in writing) of any defects or imperfections in preparatory work that will, in any way, affect completion of the Work.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE - CONTROL OF INSTALLATION

- A. Monitor quality control over suppliers, manufacturers, products, services, site conditions, and workmanship, to produce Work of specified quality.
- B. Comply with manufacturers' instructions, including each step in sequence.
- C. Should manufacturers' instructions conflict with Contract Documents, request clarification from Engineer before proceeding.
- D. Comply with specified standards as minimum quality for the Work except where more stringent tolerances, codes, or specified requirements indicate higher standards or more precise workmanship.
- E. Perform Work by persons qualified to produce required and specified quality.
- F. Verify that field measurements are as indicated on shop Drawings or as instructed by the manufacturer.
- G. Secure Products in place with positive anchorage devices designed and sized to withstand stresses, vibration, physical distortion, or disfigurement.

1.03 TOLERANCES

- A. Monitor fabrication and installation tolerance control of Products to produce acceptable Work. Do not permit tolerances to accumulate.
- B. Comply with manufacturers' tolerances. Should manufacturers' tolerances conflict with Contract Documents, request clarification from Engineer before proceeding.
- C. Adjust Products to appropriate dimensions; position before securing Products in place.

1.04 TESTING SERVICES

- A. Tests, inspections and approvals of portions of the Work shall be made as required by the Contract Documents and by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations or lawful orders of public authorities.
 - 1. Neither observations by an inspector retained by the Port, the presence or absence of such inspector at the site, nor inspections, tests, or approvals by others, shall relieve the Contractor from any requirement of the Contract Documents, nor is any such inspector authorized to change any term or condition of the Contract Documents.

- B. Necessary materials testing shall be performed by an independent testing laboratory during the execution of the Work and paid for by the Port of Tacoma, unless otherwise specified. Access to the area necessary to perform the testing and/or to secure the material for testing, shall be provided by the Contractor.
- C. Testing does not relieve Contractor from performing work to contract requirements.
- D. Re-testing required because of non-conformance to specified requirements will be charged to the Contractor by deducting testing charges from the Contract Sum via Change Order.
- E. Material testing for initial material approval will be performed by an independent, certified laboratory and paid for by the Contractor. These tests must be dated within six (6) months of the submittal date.
- F. Subsequent sampling and testing, required as the work progresses to ensure continual control of materials and compliance with all requirements of the Contract documents, shall be the responsibility of the Port, except as required by other sections of these Specifications.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes requirements relating to the following:
 - 1. Temporary utilities,
 - 2. Temporary telecommunications services,
 - 3. Temporary sanitary facilities,
 - 4. Temporary Controls: Barriers, enclosures, and fencing, and
 - 5. Field offices.

1.02 TEMPORARY UTILITIES

- A. Provide and pay for all electrical power, lighting, water, heating and cooling, and ventilation required for construction purposes. Contractor is responsible for getting required permits and meters from the City of Tacoma.
- B. Existing facilities may not be used.
- C. New permanent facilities may not be used.
- D. Use trigger-operated nozzles for water hoses, to avoid waste of water.

1.03 TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

- A. Provide, maintain, and pay for telecommunications services for field personnel at time of project mobilization. It is the Contractor's responsibility to be able to receive phone calls and emails at the job site.

1.04 TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITIES

- A. Provide and maintain required facilities and enclosures. Provide at time of project mobilization.
- B. Maintain daily in clean and sanitary condition.
- C. At end of construction, return facilities to same or better condition as originally found.

1.05 BARRIERS

- A. Provide barriers to prevent unauthorized entry to construction areas, to prevent access to areas that could be hazardous to workers or the public, to allow for Port's use of site, and to protect existing facilities and adjacent properties from damage from construction operations and demolition.
- B. Protect non-owned vehicular traffic, stored materials, site, and structures from damage.

1.06 FENCING

- A. Construction: Contractor's option.
- B. Provide 6 ft. (1.8 m) high fence around laydown site; equip with vehicular gates with locks.

1.07 FIELD OFFICES (IF USED)

- A. Office: Weathertight, with lighting, electrical outlets, heating, cooling equipment, and equipped with sturdy furniture, drawing rack and drawing display table.
- B. Provide space for Project meetings, with table and chairs to accommodate 6 persons.

1.08 REMOVAL OF UTILITIES, FACILITIES, AND CONTROLS

- A. Remove temporary utilities, equipment, facilities, materials, prior to final inspection.
- B. Clean and repair damage caused by installation or use of temporary work.
- C. Restore existing facilities used during construction to original condition.
- D. Restore new permanent facilities used during construction to specified condition.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes requirements relating to the following:
 - 1. Access roads
 - 2. Parking
 - 3. Construction parking controls
 - 4. Traffic Control
 - 5. Haul routes
 - 6. Maintenance
 - 7. Removal, repair
 - 8. Mud from site vehicles

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 SIGNS, SIGNALS, AND DEVICES

- A. Post Mounted Traffic Control and Informational Signs, as specified.
- B. Traffic Cones and Drums, Flares and Lights: As approved by local jurisdictions.
- C. Flag Person Equipment: As required by local jurisdictions.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Clear areas, provide surface and storm drainage of road, parking, area premises, and adjacent areas.

3.02 ACCESS TO SITE

- A. Contractor shall conduct all business through the route assigned by the Engineer.
 - 1. The Contractor may be required to relocate entry and related work areas as required by Port Operations.
- B. Provide unimpeded access for emergency vehicles. Maintain 20 foot (6 m) width driveways with turning space between and around combustible materials.
- C. Provide and maintain access to fire hydrants free of obstructions.

3.03 PARKING

- A. All Contractor's employee cars and work vehicles will be parked on-site as designated by the Engineer.

3.04 CONSTRUCTION PARKING CONTROL

- A. Control vehicular parking to prevent interference with public traffic and parking, access by emergency vehicles, and Port operations.
- B. Prevent parking on or adjacent to access roads or in non-designated areas.

3.05 TRAFFIC CONTROL

- A. Provide trained and equipped flag persons to regulate traffic when construction operations or traffic encroach on public traffic lanes.
- B. The Contractor shall erect and maintain all construction signs, warning signs, detour signs, flaggers and other traffic control devices necessary for the safe ingress and egress of the Project Site. Traffic control shall include but is not limited to:
 - 1. Flaggers to direct traffic as required by Tacoma Rail to accommodate the Contractor's work.
 - 2. The Contractor shall be liable for injuries and damages to persons and property suffered by reason of the Contractor's operations or any negligence in connection therewith.
 - 3. Flagging, signs, and all other traffic control devices furnished or provided shall conform to established WSDOT and City of Tacoma standards. No work shall be done on or adjacent to the above locations until all necessary signs and traffic control devices are in place. During the course of the work, the Contractor shall be responsible for providing and maintaining adequate traffic control measures for the protection of the Contractor's work and the public.

3.06 HAUL ROUTES

- A. Confine construction traffic to designated haul routes.
- B. Provide traffic control at critical areas of haul routes to regulate traffic, to minimize interference with public traffic.

3.07 MAINTENANCE

- A. Maintain traffic and parking areas in a sound condition free of excavated material, construction equipment, Products, mud, snow, and ice.
- B. Maintain existing paved areas used for construction. Promptly repair breaks, potholes, low areas, standing water, and other deficiencies, to maintain paving and drainage in original, or specified, condition.

3.08 REMOVAL, REPAIR

- A. Repair existing facilities damaged by use, to original condition.
- B. Repair damage caused by installation.

3.09 PUBLIC STREET AND ONSITE ROADWAY CLEANING

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for preventing dirt and dust escaping from trucks and other vehicles operating on or departing the project site by sweeping, covering dusty loads, washing truck tires, and all other reasonable methods.
- B. When trucks and other equipment are operating on paved public streets and site roadways/paved surfaces, the Contractor will be required to clean said streets, roadways, and other paved surfaces as needed, and at other times if required by the Engineer.
- C. In the event that the above requirements are violated and no action is taken by the Contractor after notification of infraction by the Engineer, the Port reserves the right to have the streets, roadways, and other paved surfaces in question cleaned by others and have the expense of the operation charged to the Contractor.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. The Work shall consist of planning, installing, inspecting, maintaining and removing Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control (TESC) Best Management Practices (BMPs) to prevent pollution of air and water; and to control, respond to, and dispose of eroded sediment and turbid water during the term of the Contract.
- B. These TESC requirements shall apply to all areas associated with the Work, including but not limited to the following:
 - 1. Work areas;
 - 2. Equipment and material storage areas;
 - 3. Staging areas;
 - 4. Stockpiles; and
 - 5. Discharge points within or adjacent to the work areas that are impacted by stormwater runoff from the site.
- C. Acceptance of TESC plans does not constitute an approval of permanent Work or drainage design (e.g., size and location of roads, pipes, restrictors, channels, retention facilities, utilities, etc.).
- D. Contractor shall read and conform to all requirements set forth in Washington Department of Ecology's (Ecology) Phase I Municipal Stormwater Permit (MS4) for projects less than one acre.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. The rules, requirements, and regulations that apply to this Work include, but are not necessarily limited to the following:
 - 1. Washington Department of Ecology, "Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington," current version.
 - 2. Washington Department of Ecology Phase I Municipal Stormwater Permit (MS4), current version.
 - 3. Washington State Department of Transportation, current version, Standard Specification M41-10, Division 8-01 Erosion Control and Water Pollution Control.
 - 4. Pierce County Stormwater and Site Development Manual, current version (if applicable).

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to the start of any construction activities, a Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP), as required by the MS4.
 - 1. Contractor shall comply with a Contractor provided project SWPPP.
 - 2. Contractor shall be responsible for updating the project SWPPP during construction to reflect the required changes to BMPs and personnel, as needed, to comply with the MS4 at no additional cost to the Port.
- B. Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for any dust palliative product.

1.04 AUTHORITY OF ENGINEER

- A. The Engineer has the authority to limit the surface area of erodible earth material exposed by clearing and grubbing, excavation, borrow and fill operations, as determined by analysis of project conditions; and to direct the Contractor to provide immediate permanent or temporary pollution control measures to minimize impacts to adjacent streams or other watercourses, lakes, ponds, and other areas of water impoundment.
- B. In the event that areas adjacent to the work area are suffering degradation due to erosion, sediment deposit, water flows, or other causes, the Engineer may stop construction activities until the Contractor rectifies the situation.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

2.01 DUST CONTROL

- A. Dust palliative for dust control proposed by the Contractor and approved by the Engineer.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. The Port is subject to a Phase I Municipal Stormwater Permit (MS4). The Contractor shall be responsible for compliance with the Department of Ecology Western Washington Stormwater Management Manual, Volume II, Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention for the duration of the project.
- B. In the event of conflict between these requirements and pollution control laws, rules, or regulations of other federal, state, or local agencies, the more restrictive laws, rules, or regulations shall apply as determined by the Engineer.
- C. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all BMP modifications and upgrades to comply with the MS4 and the requirements of this Section, at no additional cost to the Port.
- D. Contractor shall be solely responsible for any damages and fines incurred because of Contractor, subcontractor, or supplier actions in implementing the requirements of this Section.
- E. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for schedule impacts incurred because of Contractor, subcontractor, or supplier actions in implementing the requirements of this Section.

3.02 TEMPORARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVELOPMENT

- A. Contractor shall prepare and submit a site-specific SWPPP prior to initiating ground disturbing activities.
 - 1. The SWPPP describes construction activities and sequencing, and the proposed Temporary and Permanent Erosion and Sediment Control measures. If there are any changes to BMPs or personnel on the site, Contractor must update the SWPPP and be prepared to submit the SWPPP to the Port and Ecology upon request.
 - 2. The SWPPP shall consist of planning, installing, inspecting, maintaining, and removing TESC BMPs per Volume II of the Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington (current version) or equivalent. The BMPs shown in the Drawings are the minimum required to prevent pollution of air and water, to control peak volumetric flow rates and velocity of stormwater, and to control, respond to, and dispose of eroded sediment and turbid water during the term of the Contract.

3. A SWPPP template is available to the Contractor for this purpose. The template was prepared by the Port to meet part of the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) stormwater permit requirements for the project. Contractor may use the applicable Port template to prepare the project SWPPP or prepare their own SWPPP. If the Contractor elects to prepare their own SWPPP, it must meet or exceed the control measures required by Ecology (reference Ecology's Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington, current version).
 4. If Contractor chooses to write a SWPPP separate from the Port-provided SWPPP, it must comply with all of the requirements set forth by the CSGP.
- B. Contractor shall develop project-specific TESC BMPs and incorporate them into the SWPPP. Contractor shall address the following issues as part of developing and implementing the BMPs:
1. TESC BMPs must meet the requirements in Ecology's Volume II of the Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington (current version) or equivalent.
 2. TESC notes and details shown in the Drawings and the information in this Section form a basis of the minimum requirements for a TESC Plan. Contractor shall develop a TESC Plan specific to the construction schedule and proposed means and methods prior to commencing construction activities for the duration of the Project.
- C. Contractor shall inspect the existing system and report to the Engineer the levels of existing material prior to installation of TESC BMPs.

3.03 TEMPORARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL IMPLEMENTATION

- A. Contractor is responsible for implementing and updating the SWPPP including TESC BMPs.
1. Contractor shall inspect the TESC measures daily and maintain these measures to ensure continued proper functioning for the duration of the Project.
 2. Contractor will be responsible for documenting TESC site inspections on a weekly basis in areas of active construction and on a monthly basis in areas that have undergone stabilization. Contractor shall keep records of the inspections on site.
 3. During the construction period the Contractor shall, at no additional cost to the Port, upgrade and/or maintain TESC measures as needed, based on Contractor means and methods, work sequencing, and changing site conditions (e.g., changes to impervious surface coverage, proximity of work to storm conveyance systems, storm events, etc.). Contractor shall modify these measures for changing site conditions and update the SWPPP to document all modifications made.
- B. Contractor shall clean all stormwater components affected by construction debris prior to Work completion, per TESC BMPs for catch basin maintenance. The cleaning process shall not flush sediment-laden water into a downstream system.
- C. Contractor shall ensure that water, or a dust palliative and a dispensing subcontractor, if needed, is available for project use. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to develop and adhere to appropriate safety measures pertaining to the palliative use. This also includes ensuring the dispensing subcontractor develops and adheres to the appropriate safety measures, if a dispensing subcontractor is used. Water used for dust suppression shall not be applied at such a rate or in a location that it will generate runoff from the site.

- D. Areas of exposed soils, including embankments, which will not be disturbed for two days during the wet season (October 1 through April 30) or seven days during the dry season (May 1 through September 30), shall immediately be stabilized by the Contractor with an Ecology-approved TESC measure (e.g., seeding, mulching, plastic covering, etc.).
- E. TESC measures in an inactive area shall be inspected and maintained by the Contractor until the area is permanently stabilized.
- F. In the event that additional temporary erosion and pollution control measures are required due to the Contractor's negligence, carelessness, or failure to install permanent controls as a part of the Work as scheduled or as ordered by the Engineer, such work shall be performed by the Contractor at its own expense.
- G. Contractor shall remove all TESC facilities, install permanent site surfacing improvements and permanent BMPs with minimal disturbance, and shall clean stormwater facilities prior to Work completion.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes the requirements to provide product data under the applicable specification section.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data Submittals: Submit manufacturer's standard published data. Mark each copy to identify applicable products, models, options, and other data. Supplement manufacturers' standard data to provide information specific to this Project.
- B. Shop Drawing Submittals: Prepared specifically for this Project.
- C. Sample Submittals: Illustrate functional and aesthetic characteristics of the product, with integral parts and attachment devices. Coordinate sample submittals for interfacing work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 NEW PRODUCTS

- A. Provide new products unless specifically required or permitted by the Contract Documents.

2.02 PRODUCT OPTIONS

- A. Products Specified by Reference Standards or by Description Only: Use any product meeting those standards or description.
- B. Products Specified by Naming One or More Manufacturers: Use a product of one of the manufacturers named and meeting specifications, no options or substitutions allowed.
- C. Products Specified by Naming One or More Manufacturers with a Provision for Substitutions: Submit a request for substitution for any manufacturer not named.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 TRANSPORTATION AND HANDLING

- A. Coordinate schedule of product delivery to designated prepared areas in order to minimize site storage time and potential damage to stored materials.
- B. Transport and handle products in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- C. Transport materials in covered trucks to prevent contamination of product and littering of surrounding areas.
- D. Promptly inspect shipments to ensure that products comply with requirements, quantities are correct, and products are undamaged.
- E. Provide equipment and personnel to handle products by methods to prevent soiling, disfigurement, or damage.
- F. Arrange for the return of packing materials, such as wood pallets, where economically feasible.

3.02 STORAGE AND PROTECTION

- A. Designate receiving/storage areas for incoming products so that they are delivered according to installation schedule and placed convenient to work area in order to minimize waste due to excessive materials handling and misapplication.
- B. Store and protect products in accordance with manufacturers' instructions.

- C. Store with seals and labels intact and legible.
- D. For exterior storage of fabricated products, place on sloped supports above ground.
- E. Cover products subject to deterioration with impervious sheet covering. Provide ventilation to prevent condensation and degradation of products.
- F. Prevent contact with material that may cause corrosion, discoloration, or staining.
- G. Provide equipment and personnel to store products by methods to prevent soiling, disfigurement, or damage.
- H. Arrange storage of products to permit access for inspection. Periodically inspect to verify products are undamaged and are maintained in acceptable condition.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes requirements relating to the following:
 - 1. Examination, preparation, and general installation procedures
 - 2. Cutting and patching

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Cutting and Patching: Submit written request in advance of cutting or alteration that affects:
 - 1. Structural integrity of any element of Project;
 - 2. Integrity of weather exposed or moisture resistant element;
 - 3. Efficiency, maintenance, or safety of any operational element;
 - 4. Visual qualities of sight exposed elements.
- B. Project As-Built Documents: Accurately record actual locations of capped and active utilities.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 PATCHING MATERIALS

- A. New Materials: As specified in product sections; match existing products and work for patching and extending work.
- B. Type and Quality of Existing Products: Determine by inspecting and testing products where necessary, referring to existing work as a standard.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that existing site conditions and substrate surfaces are acceptable for subsequent work. Start of work means acceptance of existing conditions.
- B. Verify that existing substrate is capable of structural support or attachment of new work being applied or attached.
- C. Examine and verify specific conditions described in individual specification sections.
- D. Take field measurements before confirming product orders or beginning fabrication, to minimize waste due to over-ordering or misfabrication.
- E. Prior to Cutting: Examine existing conditions prior to commencing work, including elements subject to damage or movement during cutting and patching. After uncovering existing work, assess conditions affecting performance of work. Beginning of cutting or patching means acceptance of existing conditions.

3.02 PREPARATION

- A. Clean substrate surfaces prior to applying next material or substance.
- B. Seal cracks or openings of substrate prior to applying next material or substance.
- C. Apply manufacturer required or recommended substrate primer, sealer, or conditioner prior to applying any new material or substance in contact or bond.

3.03 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install products as specified in individual sections, in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations, and so as to avoid waste due to necessity for replacement.
- B. Make vertical elements plumb and horizontal elements level, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install equipment and fittings plumb and level, neatly aligned with adjacent vertical and horizontal lines, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Make consistent texture on surfaces, with seamless transitions, unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Make neat transitions between different surfaces, maintaining texture and appearance.

3.04 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. Whenever possible, execute the work by methods that avoid cutting or patching.
- B. Perform whatever cutting and patching is necessary to:
 - 1. Complete the work;
 - 2. Fit products together to integrate with other work;
 - 3. Match work that has been cut to adjacent work;
 - 4. Repair areas adjacent to cuts to required condition;
 - 5. Repair new work damaged by subsequent work;
 - 6. Remove and replace defective and non-conforming work.
- C. Execute work by methods that avoid damage to other work and that will provide appropriate surfaces to receive patching and finishing. In existing work, minimize damage and restore to original condition.
- D. Restore work with new products in accordance with requirements of Contract Documents.
- E. Patching:
 - 1. Finish patched surfaces to match finish that existed prior to patching. On continuous surfaces, refinish to nearest intersection or natural break. For an assembly, refinish entire unit.
 - 2. Match color, texture, and appearance.
 - 3. Repair patched surfaces that are damaged, lifted, discolored, or showing other imperfections due to patching work. If defects are due to condition of substrate, repair substrate prior to repairing finish.

3.05 PROTECTION OF INSTALLED WORK

- A. Protect installed work from damage by construction operations.
- B. Provide special protection where specified in individual specification sections.
- C. Provide temporary and removable protection for installed products. Control activity in immediate work area to prevent damage.
- D. Remove protective coverings when no longer needed; reuse or recycle plastic coverings if possible.

3.06 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust operating products and equipment to ensure smooth and unhindered operation.

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes field engineering and land surveying services by Contractor.

1.02 DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

- A. Specific services listed in this section are in addition to, and do not supersede, general Execution and Closeout Requirements.
- B. Sole responsibility for establishing all locations, dimensions and levels of items of work.
- C. Sole responsibility for provision of all materials required to establish and maintain benchmarks and control points, including batter boards, grade stakes, structure elevation stakes, and other items.
- D. Having a skilled instrument person(s) available on short notice when necessary for laying out the work.
- E. Provision of facilities and assistance necessary for Architect to check lines and grade points placed by Contractor.
- F. Preparation and maintenance of professional-quality, accurate, well organized, legible notes of all measurements and calculations made while surveying and laying out the work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify layout information shown on the Drawings, in relation to existing benchmarks. Notify Engineer of any discrepancies immediately in writing before proceeding to lay out the work. Locate and protect existing benchmarks and base line. Preserve permanent reference points during construction.
- B. Existing Utilities and Equipment: The existence and location of underground and other utilities and construction indicated as existing are not guaranteed. Before beginning sitework, investigate and verify existing conditions.

3.02 FIELD ENGINEERING

- A. Maintain field files, drawings, specifications, and record documents.
- B. Coordinate field engineering services with Contractor's subcontractors, installers, and suppliers as appropriate.
- C. Prepare layout and coordination drawings for construction operations.
- D. Check and coordinate the work for conflicts and interferences, and immediately advise Engineer of all discrepancies of which Contractor is aware.
- E. Cooperate as required with Engineer in observing the work and performing field inspections.
- F. Review and coordinate work on a regular basis with shop drawings and Contractor's other submittals.
- G. In general, match existing adjacent grades and maintain existing flow lines.

- H. Check the location, line and grade of every major element as the work progresses. Notify the Engineer when deviations from required lines or grades exceed allowable tolerances. Include in such notifications a thorough explanation of the problem, and a proposed plan and schedule for remedying the deviation. Do not proceed with remedial work without Port's concurrence of the remediation plan.

3.03 LAND SURVEYING

- A. General: Follow standards for geospatial positioning accuracy.
 - 1. FGDC-STD-007.1as amended by Authority Having Jurisdiction.
 - 2. FGDC-STD-007.2as amended by Authority Having Jurisdiction.
 - 3. FGDC-STD-007.4as amended by Authority Having Jurisdiction.
- B. Coordinate survey data with the State Plane Coordinate System of the State in which the Project is located.
- C. Contractor is responsible for the restoration of all property corners and control monuments damaged or destroyed by construction-related activities. Any disturbed monuments must be replaced at Contractor's expense by a surveyor licensed in the State in which the Project is located, and approved by the Engineer.
 - 1. Temporarily suspend work at such points and for such reasonable times as the Port may require for resetting monuments. The Contractor will not be entitled to any additional compensation or extension of time.

3.04 CONSTRUCTION SURVEYING

- A. General: Perform surveying as applicable to specific items necessary for proper execution of work.
 - 1. Alignment Staking: Provide alignment stakes at 50 foot (15.24 m) intervals on tangent, and at 25 foot (7.62 m) intervals on curves.
 - 2. Slope Staking: Provide slope staking at 50 foot (15.24 m) intervals on tangent, and at 25 foot (7.62 m) intervals on curves. Re-stake at every ten-foot difference in elevation.
 - 3. Structure: Stake out structures, including elevations, and check prior to and during construction.
- B. Record Log: Maintain a log of layout control work. Record any 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.
- C. Accuracy:
 - 1. Establish Contractor's temporary survey references points for Contractor's use to at least second-order accuracy (e.g., 1:10000). Set construction staking used as a guide for the work to at least third-order accuracy (e.g., 1:5000). Provide the absolute margin for error specified below on the basis established by such orders.
 - a. Accuracy of other staking shall be plus or minus 0.04 feet (12.2 mm) horizontally and plus or minus 0.02 feet (6.1 mm) vertically.
 - b. Include an error analysis sufficient to demonstrate required accuracy in survey calculations.
 - 2. Port reserves the right to check the Contractor's survey, measurements, and calculations. The requirement for accuracy will not be waived, whether this right is exercised or not.

3.05 RECORDS

- A. Maintain at the Site a complete and accurate log of control and survey work as it progresses.
1. Organize and record survey data in accordance with recognized professional surveying standards, Laws and Regulations, and prevailing standards of practice in the State in which the Project is located. Record Contractor's surveyor's original field notes, computations, and other surveying data in Contractor-furnished hard-bound field books. Contractor is solely responsible for completeness and accuracy of survey work, and completeness and accuracy of survey records, including field books. Survey records,(including field books) may be rejected by Port due to failure to organize and maintain survey records in a manner that allows reasonable and independent verification of calculations, and/or allows identification of elevations, dimensions, and grades of the work.
 2. Illegible notes or data, and erasures on any page of field books, are unacceptable. Do not submit copied notes or data. Corrections by ruling or lining out errors will be unacceptable unless initialed by the surveyor. Violation of these requirements may require re-surveying the data questioned by Architect.

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes information for progress and final cleaning and restoration of damaged work prior to final inspection.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 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.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 PROGRESS CLEAN-UP

- A. The Contractor shall clean the project site and work areas daily, including common areas. Enforce requirements strictly. Dispose of materials lawfully.
 - 1. Comply with all requirements 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 unsanitary waste materials separately from other waste. Mark containers appropriately and dispose of legally, according to regulations.
 - a. Use containers intended for holding waste materials for the type of material to be stored.
 - 4. Coordinate progress cleaning for joint use areas where Contractor and other contractors are working concurrently.
- B. Site: Maintain Project site free from 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.
- 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. 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 Section 01 74 16 Soil Characteristics and Waste Management.
- F. 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 until Substantial Completion.
- G. 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.

- H. 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.

3.02 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 designated 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 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 labels that are not permanent.
 - f. Leave Project clean and ready for occupancy.

3.03 REPAIR OF WORK

- A. Complete repair and restoration operations before requesting inspection for determination of Substantial Completion.
- B. Repair or remove and replace defective construction. Repairing includes replacing defective parts, refinishing damaged surface, touching up with matching materials, and properly adjusting operating equipment. Where damaged or worn items cannot be repaired or restored, provide replacements. Remove and replace operating components that cannot be repaired. Restore damaged construction and permanent facilities used during construction to specified condition.
 - 1. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred or exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
 - a. Do not paint over "UL" and other required labels and identification, including mechanical and electrical nameplates. Remove paint applied to required labels and identification.
 - 2. Replace parts subject to operating conditions during construction that may impede operation or reduce longevity.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes construction waste management requirements.

1.02 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The work includes demolition and removal within the project areas as shown on the drawings. The work also includes waste generated by construction activities, materials, packaging, scraps, and garbage.
- B. Soils excavated within the projects areas, as shown on the drawings, are anticipated to be free of contamination, however, should the Contractor, using visual and olfactory methods, identify potentially contaminated soil, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer to determine if the soil requires special handling. This material shall be segregated from other excavated material. It shall be stockpiled on plastic and covered with plastic until such time as appropriate testing and analysis can be completed by the Engineer. Upon completion of the testing and analysis the Engineer will direct the Contractor concerning the disposition of the material. Soil beyond construction excavation limits will not require excavation unless free draining product is observed or other special conditions exist in which case the Engineer will direct the Contractor in additional excavation. Soils determined to be contaminated will be hauled and disposed of at a locations designated in the following paragraphs.

1.03 DEFINITIONS

- A. Co-mingled or Off-site Separation: Collecting all material types into a single bin or mixed collection system and separating the waste materials into recyclable material types at an off-site facility.
- B. Construction, Demolition and Land-Clearing (CDL) Waste: Includes all nonhazardous solid wastes resulting from construction, remodeling, alterations, repair, demolition, and land clearing. Includes material that is recycled, reused, salvaged or disposed as garbage.
- C. Hazardous/Dangerous Waste: As defined by Chapter 70.105.010 Revised Code of Washington and 40 Code of Federal Register 261 and by Washington Administrative Code 173-303.
- D. Proper Disposal: As defined by the jurisdiction receiving the waste.
- E. Recyclable Materials: Products and materials that can be recovered and remanufactured into new products.
- F. Recycling: The process of sorting, cleaning, treating and reconstituting materials for the purpose of using the material in the manufacture of a new product. Can be conducted on-site (as in the grinding of concrete).
- G. Recycling Facility: An operation that is permitted to accept materials for the purpose of processing the materials into an altered form for the manufacture of a new product.
- H. Salvage for Reuse: Existing usable product or material that can be saved and reused in some manner on the project site or other projects off-site.
- I. Salvage for Resale: Existing usable product or material that can be saved and removed intact (as is) from the project site to another site for resale to others without remanufacturing.
- J. Source-Separated Materials: Materials that are sorted at the site into separate containers for the purpose of reuse or recycling.
- K. Sources Separation: Sorting the recovered materials into specific material types with no, or a minimum amount of, contamination on site.

- L. Time-Based Separation: Collecting waste during each phase of construction or deconstruction that results in primarily one major type of recovered material. The material is removed before it becomes mixed with the material from the next phase of construction.
- M. Garbage: Product or material typically considered to be trash or debris that is unable to be salvaged for resale, salvaged and reused, returned, or recycled.
- N. Olfactory Indications (methods): Of or relating to the sense of smell. Soils contaminated with petroleum and other volatile constituents typically exhibit characteristic odors that can be detected (and sometimes identified) by smell.
- O. PID: Photo Ionization Detector. A field instrument that is used to detect the presence of and give a relative indication of the concentration of vapors emitted from volatile constituents (contamination) in environmental media (soil and water).
- P. Soil (waste) Profile: A characterization of the chemical and physical properties of a waste material including the types of contaminants and their concentrations as measured by approved laboratory analytical methods. A profile is required by the receiving permitted disposal or recycling facility.
- Q. Special Handling: Refers to hauling and disposal of soils that, because they are contaminated, cannot be reused in place as backfill or as general fill at another location. Such soils must be hauled to and managed at a permitted disposal or recycling facility.
- R. Type A Contaminated Soil: Soil that must be removed from the Project site and has been determined by the Engineer to contain petroleum hydrocarbons in concentrations exceeding state or federal cleanup standards or special Port determined criteria. Type A soil requires disposal at an approved facility.
- S. Type B Contaminated Soil: Soil that must be removed from the Project site and has been determined by the Engineer to contain petroleum hydrocarbons or other contaminants in concentrations that will require disposal or recycling at one of the approved facility.
- T. Type C Contaminated Soil: Soil determined by Engineer to contain unknown constituent(s) and requires further testing and classification. Type C soil requires disposal at one of the approved facility.
- U. Type D Material: Material including soil, determined by the Engineer not to require special handling with regard to this Contract. Classification of material as Type D material by the Port is not a certification nor does it release the Contractor of liability or obligation to meet any disposal or storage facility acceptance or testing requirements.
- V. Unanticipated Contamination: Contamination unexpectedly found in an excavation or in other locations where there is no prior knowledge, information, or history to indicate possible spills or releases of contamination.
- W. Visual Indications (methods): A preliminary evaluation of the potential presence of contamination based on visual observation. For example, fuel contaminated soils are frequently discolored or stained relative to non-petroleum impacted native soils or clean fill.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Waste Management Plan
- B. Waste Management Final Report
- C. Soils Management Plan
- D. Soils Hauling Receipts

1.05 PERFORMANCE GOALS

- A. General: Divert CDL waste to the maximum extent practicable from the landfill by one or a combination of the following activities:
 - 1. Salvage
 - 2. Reuse
 - 3. Source separated CDL recycling
 - 4. Co-mingled CDL recycling
- B. CDL waste materials that can be salvaged, resold, reused or recycled, include, but are not limited to the following:
 - 1. Clean dimensional wood, pallet wood, plywood, OSB, and particleboard
 - 2. Asphalt
 - 3. Concrete and concrete masonry units
 - 4. Ferrous and non-ferrous metals
 - 5. Field office waste paper, aluminum cans, glass, plastic, and cardboard
- C. Hazardous/Dangerous Wastes, contaminated soils and other hazardous materials such as paints, solvents, adhesives, batteries, and fluorescent light bulbs and ballasts shall be disposed of at applicable permitted facilities.

1.06 WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN

- A. Submit a Waste Management Plan within 10 days after the notice to proceed and not less than 5 days before any demolition activities in accordance with these specifications. Provide a Waste Management Plan in a format as approved by the Engineer.
- B. The Waste Management Plan shall include the following:
 - 1. Name of designated Waste Management Coordinator.
 - 2. A list of waste materials, including estimated types and quantities, of the waste that will be generated. Indicate salvaged for resale, salvaged for reuse, recycled, or disposed for each item.
 - 3. Identify waste handling methods to be used, including one or more of the following:
 - a. Method 1 - Contractor or subcontractor(s) hauls recyclable materials to an approved recycling facility.
 - b. Method 2 - Contracting with diversion/recycling hauler to haul recyclable material to an approved recycling or material recovery facility.
 - c. Method 3 - Recyclable material reuse on-site.
 - d. Method 4 - Recyclable material salvage for resale.
 - e. Method 5 - Contractor or subcontractor hauls waste to an approved disposal facility.
 - 4. Identification of each recycling, disposal, or material recovery facility to be utilized, including name, address and types of materials being recycled at each facility.
 - 5. Description of the method to be employed in collecting, and handling, waste materials.

6. Description of methods to communicate Waste Management Plan to personnel and subcontractors.
 7. Actions that will be taken to reduce solid waste generation.
- C. Revise and resubmit Waste Management plan as required by the Engineer. Approval of the Contractor's Plan does not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. Distribute copies of the Waste Management Plan to each subcontractor.

1.07 WASTE MANAGEMENT FINAL REPORT

- A. Provide a Waste Management Final Report, in a format approved by the Engineer. The Waste Management Final Report shall list the following for the project:
1. A record of each waste material type and quantity recycled, reused, salvaged, or disposed from the Project. Include total quantity of waste material removed from the site and hauled to a landfill.
 2. Percentage of total waste material generated that was recycled, reused, or salvaged.
- B. Quantities shall be reported by weight (tons) unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.
- C. Submit copies of manifests, weight tickets, recycling/disposal receipts or invoices, which validate the calculations or a signed certification of completeness and accuracy of the final quantities reported.

1.08 SOILS MANAGEMENT PLAN

- A. A minimum of 10 days prior to excavation of any subsurface materials, submit a Soils Management Plan to the Engineer. The Soils Management Plan must be approved by the Engineer prior to any excavation of subsurface materials. Include the following in the Soils Management Plan:
1. Identification of all soil disposal/recycling facilities to be used on the project for Type A and B Contaminated Soil.
 2. Identification of all fill sites, disposal facilities and/or end uses of material determined to be Type D Material.
 3. Contingency for delivery and placement of Type C Contaminated Soil at an onsite Soil Stockpile area.
 4. Contingency for managing debris encountered during excavation that may disqualify soil for disposal or recycle at the approve facilities.
 5. General description of how equipment operators, safety personnel and other applicable Contractor shall coordinate with the Engineer to facilitate handling of contaminated soil in accordance with this specification.
 6. Description of all haul routes to be used on the project.
- B. Include in the Two Week Look Ahead Schedule specific time frames for excavation. Each excavation activity shall be given an individual line item description, time frame and duration.
- C. Notify the Engineer prior to hauling contaminated soil to the soil disposal facility. The notification shall include:
1. An estimate of the number of truck-trips, the haul destination, and the period in which these trips will be made (e.g., 20 truck-trips to the Waste Management Facility over the two-week period beginning on March 1, 2012).

1.09 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Regulatory Requirements: The Contractor shall maintain compliance with all applicable Federal, State, or Local laws that apply to Construction Waste Management and material salvage, reuse, recycling and disposal.
- B. Disposal Sites, Recyclers and Waste Materials Processors: All facilities utilized for management of any materials covered under this specification must maintain all necessary permits as required by federal, state and local jurisdictions.

1.10 HEALTH AND SAFETY

- A. The Contractor is required to implement all health and safety provisions as required by Specification 01 35 29 - Health, Safety and Emergency Response Procedures.

These provisions include any special monitoring, personal protective equipment, or work plans to accommodate contaminated soil or material handling. Use of environmental characterization data may not be appropriate for health and safety purposes.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 WASTE DISPOSAL

- A. Source-Separated CDL Recycling: Provide individual containers for separate types of CDL waste to be recycled, clearly labeled with a list of acceptable and unacceptable materials.
- B. Co-Mingled CDL Recycling: Provide containers for co-mingled CDL waste to be recycled, clearly labeled with a list of acceptable and unacceptable materials.
- C. Landfill: Provide containers for CDL waste that is to be disposed of in a landfill clearly labeled as such.
- D. Removal of CDL Waste from Project Site: Transport CDL waste off Port's property and provide legal disposal.

3.02 SOIL DISPOSAL

- A. Excavation/Testing: The field-testing for contaminated soil will be performed by the Port and will result in the following classification of material as defined in paragraph DEFINITIONS of this section:
 - 1. Type A Contaminated Soil.
 - 2. Type B Contaminated Soil.
 - 3. Type C Contaminated Soil.
 - 4. Type D Material.
- B. Disposition of Material
 - 1. Type A and B Contaminated Soil: Material determined to be Type A or B Contaminated Soil shall be hauled by the Contractor to an approved facility for disposal.
 - 2. Type C Material: Material determined to be Type C is of unknown origin or special circumstances. Material determined to be Type C contaminated soils shall be hauled to an onsite Soil Stockpile Site area. The Contractor shall protect the material once stockpiled. The Port will direct the Contractor on the disposition of the material following the analysis of the suspect material.

3. Type D Material: Material determined not to require special handling (Type D) shall be hauled by the Contractor to a site determined by the Contractor. If testing or certification of this material is required by the receiving site, the Contractor shall complete these requirements. The Port will not certify or declare the material suitable for unrestricted use.
- C. Other Requirements
1. Cover all soil stockpiles and maintain stockpile areas in accordance with SECTION 01 57 13 - Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control and Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention.
 2. Material determined to be Type A, Type B or Type C contaminated material may be, upon approval of the Engineer, temporarily stockpiled within the construction area. Provide an impervious liner beneath this soil and securely cover with a waterproof covering. Remove the material prior to completion of work in the work area.
 3. Submit all hauling receipts (or copies of receipts) from the receiving facility for all Type A, Type B or Type C Contaminated soil at least weekly.
 4. The Engineer may require shut down of excavation should unforeseen condition warrant.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 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. As-Built Drawings

1.02 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Contractor's List of Incomplete Items: Initial submittal at Substantial Completion.

1.03 PROJECT SUBMITTALS

- A. Submittal of Project Warranties
- B. Record Drawings
 - 1. Miscellaneous Record Submittals: See other Specification Sections for miscellaneous recordkeeping requirements and submittals in connection with various construction activities.
- C. Schedule of Maintenance Material Items: For maintenance material submittal items specified in other Sections.

1.04 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION PROCEDURES

- A. Contractor's List of Incomplete Items: Prepare and submit a list of items to be completed and corrected.
- B. Submittals Prior to Substantial Completion: Complete the following a minimum of 10 days prior to requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion. List items below that are incomplete at time of request:
 - 1. Certificates of Release: Obtain and submit releases from authorities having jurisdiction permitting Port unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
 - 2. Submit closeout submittals specified in individual Sections, including specific warranties, operation and maintenance manuals, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
 - 3. Submit maintenance material submittals specified in individual Sections, including tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items, and deliver to location designated by the Contract Document or Engineer. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
- C. Procedures Prior to Substantial Completion: Complete the following a minimum of 10 days prior to requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion. List items below that are incomplete at time of request:
 - 1. Perform preventive maintenance on equipment used prior to Substantial Completion
 - 2. Instruct Port's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems

3. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from Project site
4. Complete final cleaning requirements
- D. Submit a written request for inspection to determine Substantial Completion a minimum of 10 days prior to the date the work will be completed and ready for final inspection and tests. On receipt of request, Engineer will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Engineer will prepare the Notice of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on the Contractor's list or additional items identified by the Engineer, that must be completed or corrected before notice will be issued.
 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection 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.

1.05 PUNCH LIST (LIST OF INCOMPLETE ITEMS)

- 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.
 1. Organize list of spaces in sequential order.
 2. Organize items applying to each space by major elements.

1.06 FINAL COMPLETION PROCEDURES

- A. Submittals Prior to Final Completion: Before requesting final inspection for determining final completion, complete and submit the following:
 1. Submittal of all remaining items, including as-built documents, final completion construction photographic documentation, damage or settlement surveys, surveys, and similar final record information and all other submittals defined in the Contract Documents.
 2. List of Incomplete Items: Submit copy of Engineer's Substantial Completion inspection list of items to be completed or corrected (Punch List). Copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection to determine acceptance a minimum of 10 days prior to date the work will be complete and ready for final inspection and tests. On receipt of request, the Engineer will either proceed with inspection or notify contractor of unfulfilled requirements.
 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
- C. Execution of all Change Orders.

1.07 FINAL ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURES

- A. Submittals Prior to Final Acceptance:
 1. Receipt and approval of application for final payment; due within seven (7) days of receipt of Final Completion by the Engineer;
 2. Contractor's signed waiver and release of claims on the Engineer provided form;
 3. Contractor's submittal of list of all suppliers and subcontractors and the total amounts paid to each on the Engineer provided form; and

4. Contractor's submittal of a list of all subcontractors and suppliers requiring Affidavits of Wages paid on the Contract and certify that each of companies will submit an approved Affidavit of Wages paid to the Port within 30 days.

B. The Engineer will issue the Final Acceptance Memo upon receipt of the required submittals.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 CONTRACTOR'S WARRANTY

- A. The Contractor warrants the labor, materials and equipment delivered under the contract to be free from defects in design, material, or workmanship, and against damage caused prior to final inspection. Unless otherwise specified, this warranty extends for a period of one (1) year from the date of Substantial Completion.
 1. Time of Submittal: Submit written warranties on request of Engineer for designated portions of the Work where commencement of warranties other than date of Substantial Completion is indicated, or when delay in submittal of warranties might limit the Port's rights under warranty.
 2. 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 Port or Port tenants during construction.
 3. Submit Warranties to the Engineer as a submittal, as described in 01 33 00 – Submittal Procedures.
 4. Provide additional copies of each warranty in Operation and Maintenance Manuals as described in 01 78 23 – Operation and Maintenance Manuals.
- B. In the event of equipment failure, during such time or in such a location that immediate repairs are mandatory, the Contractor shall respond promptly (within 48 hours), irrespective of day of the week. If the Contractor is not available, the Port will affect repairs. The Contractor shall then reimburse the Port for parts and labor necessary to correct deficiencies as defined within the warranty clause and time.

2.02 AS-BUILT DRAWINGS

- A. Project As-Built Drawings: Maintain one set of marked-up paper copies of the Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings, incorporating new and revised drawings as modifications are issued.
- B. Project As-Built Drawings shall be compiled by the Contractor and submitted to the Engineer for translation to the Record Drawings on a monthly basis.
 1. The Project As-Built Drawings will be submitted on paper full-sized (ANSI D) copy.
 2. Drawings shall be kept current and shall be done at the time the material and equipment is installed. Annotations to the record documents shall be made with an erasable colored pencil conforming to the following color code:
 - a. Additions – Red
 - b. Deletions – Green
 - c. Comments – Blue
 - d. Dimensions – Graphite
 3. Project As-Built Drawings must be complete and accepted by the Engineer before Final Completion is issued.

4. As-Built Drawings shall be in accordance with horizontal and vertical control as shown on the drawings.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.01 MAINTENANCE OF AS-BUILT DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall maintain at the Project site, in good order for ready reference by the Engineer, one complete copy of the Contract Documents, including Addenda, Change Orders, other documents issued by the Port, a current Progress Schedule, and approved Submittals. The Contractor shall also generate and keep on site all documents and reports required by applicable permits.
- B. The Contractor's As-Built Drawings shall be updated to record all changes made during construction. The location of all existing or new underground piping, valves and utilities, and obstructions located during the Work shall be appropriately marked until the Contractor incorporates the actual field dimensions and coordinates into the as-built drawings. The as-built drawings shall be updated at least weekly and before elements of the Work are covered or hidden from view. After the completion of the Work, the as-built drawings shall be provided to the Port.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. Operation and Maintenance Manual Submittal

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data:
 - 1. For equipment, or component parts of equipment put into service during construction and operated by the Port, submit completed documents within ten days after acceptance.
 - 2. Submit 1 electronic copy of completed documents 10 days prior to final inspection. This copy will be reviewed and returned after final inspection, with Engineer comments. Revise content of all document sets as required prior to final submission.
 - 3. Submit 2 hard copy and 1 electronic sets of revised final documents in final form by Final Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. For large equipment (such as pumps, generators, machinery), the following information (minimum of 2 printed copies, plus one electronic copy) shall be furnished for all items on the Project requiring operational and/or maintenance procedures and for any additional items indicated by the Engineer. Printed information shall be organized by the Contractor into appropriately sized 3-ring binders (no larger than 3"). The binders shall be sized for material approximately 8-1/2 by 11 inches, and the material in the binders shall not protrude beyond the covers. The binder(s) shall be divided with coversheets for each major item of equipment. The cover sheets shall be typewritten to indicate the name, type of equipment, and location(s) within the Project where installed. A neatly typewritten index shall be provided. Electronic information shall be in PDF format (additional formats where specified) and shall be organized with folders with appropriate file names so information is easily accessible:
 - 1. Equipment Maintenance Summary:
 - a. Provide the following information (as applicable, indicate 'N/A' where an item does not apply) in Excel spreadsheet format:
 - 1) Description
 - 2) Plan Sheet Number
 - 3) Vendor
 - 4) Manufacturer
 - 5) Model Year
 - 6) Serial Number
 - 7) Warranty – Start Date; Finish Date
 - 8) Required Preventative Maintenance
 - 9) Purchase Price
 - 10) Make
 - 11) Model

2. Lubrication Information: This shall consist of the manufacturer's recommendations regarding the lubricants to be used and the lubrication schedule to be followed. Lubricants shall be described in detail, including type, recommended manufacturer, and manufacturer's specific compound to be used.
3. Preventative Maintenance Procedures: These instructions consist of the equipment manufacturer's recommended steps and schedules for maintaining the equipment.
4. Overhaul Instructions: These instructions consist of the manufacturer's directions for the disassembly, repair and reassembly of the equipment and any safety precautions that must be observed while performing the work.
5. Parts List: This list consists of the generic title and identification number of each component part of the equipment. This list shall include weights of individual components of each item of equipment weighing over 100 pounds.
6. Spare Parts List: This list consists of the manufacturer's recommendations of number of parts which should be stored by the Port and any special storage precautions which may be required.
7. Exploded View: Exploded or cut views of equipment shall be provided if available as a standard item of the manufacturer's information. When exploded or cut views are not available, plan and section views shall be provided with detailed callouts.
8. Specific Information: Where items of information not included in the above list are required, they will be provided as described in the specifications for the equipment.
9. Complete identification, including model and serial numbers.
10. Submittal information, as specified in Section 01 33 00 Submittal Procedures.
11. Warranty Information: This information consists of the name, address, and telephone number of the manufacturer's representative to be contacted for warranty, parts, or service information.
12. Provide DVDs, and audio-visual training materials utilized in the manufacturer's instruction program for the Port.
13. All operation and maintenance information shall be comprehensive and detailed and shall contain information adequately covering all normal operation and maintenance procedures.
14. All information shall be specific for the items of equipment installed on the project. Material not directly applicable shall be removed, omitted, or clearly marked as inapplicable.
15. If manufacturer's standard brochures and manuals are used to describe operating and maintenance procedures, such brochures and manuals shall be modified to reflect only the model or series of equipment used on this project.
16. Extraneous material shall be crossed out neatly or otherwise annotated or eliminated. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that all operation and maintenance materials are obtained. Material submitted must meet the approval of the Engineer prior to project final acceptance.

PART 3 - EXECUTION - NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The extent and location of the demolition work is indicated on the Drawings and in the specifications. The work includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1. The requirements for the removal, wholly or in part, and satisfactory disposal of pavements, railroad track materials, soil, and aggregate material designated to be demolished on the Drawings or within these Specifications.
 - 2. Payment of all costs required for disposal of items at legal disposal sites, including all permit fees and related costs.
 - 3. Salvaging items as indicated on the Drawings and in the specifications.
 - 4. Backfilling and compaction of holes, voids, trenches or pits that result from such removal.
- B. All demolition items not identified for salvage by the Engineer shall become the property of the Contractor. Disposal of all demolition items shall be in accordance with the specifications, local, state and federal requirements.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. Demolition Management Plan (DMP)
 - 1. The DMP shall provide the procedures proposed for the complete accomplishment of the demolition work and management of the demolition wastes and documentation. The procedures shall provide for safe conduct of the work, careful removal and disposition of materials specified to be salvaged or disposed, protection of property to remain undisturbed, and coordination with other work in progress. The procedures shall include a detailed description of the methods, staff, and equipment to be used for each operation, the sequence of operations, and quality control measures to ensure compliance with the Contract and regulatory requirements.
 - 2. Submittal requirements in 01 74 16 Soil Characterization and Waste Management may be included as part of DMP plan or submitted separately.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Utility locates shall be performed prior to start of demolition. Coordinate and resolve with the Engineer to turn off or de-energize affected services before starting demolition.
- B. Verify all items for demolition, disposal, and salvage as early as practicable prior to start of the work. Notify the Engineer immediately if observed conditions differ from anticipated conditions.
- C. All existing utilities and structures that are not identified to be demolished, removed, and replaced, shall be protected in place. Damages to existing utilities and structures shall be wholly responsibility of the Contractor.
- D. Pothole investigations:
 - 1. Perform pothole investigations to determine the alignment and horizontal and vertical position of utilities at the locations indicated on the Drawings.
 - 2. Potholes shall be 12-inch diameter air vacuum excavations.

3. Survey utilities located by potholing and provide survey data to the Engineer within 5 days of completing pothole investigations.
4. Backfill pothole excavations with Gravel Backfill for Pipe Zone Bedding.

3.02 DISPOSAL AND DISPOSITION OF MATERIALS

A. Disposition of Materials

1. Excess excavated soil and aggregate shall be disposed of per section 01 74 16 Soil Characterization and Waste Management.
2. All materials and equipment removed, and not used for relay or reinstallation within the project, shall become the property of the Contractor and shall be removed from Port property.
3. The Contractor assumes full responsibility for the proper disposal of all demolition materials under this Contract in a manner that meets the requirements of federal, state and local regulations for protecting the health and safety of employees, the public, and for protecting the environment.

B. Cleanup:

1. Haul route and paved site areas will be swept to remove any construction debris or soil tracked out by construction equipment and vehicles.
2. There shall be no debris, rubble or litter left at the site from any of the demolition operations and the site shall be clean.

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The work includes excavation, filling, subgrade preparation, and compaction.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. On-site Testing and Inspection: The Port may provide and pay for on-site testing and inspection services. Sampling and testing for compliance with the contract provisions will be in accordance with Section 01 45 00 – Quality Control. The Contractor shall assist in obtaining samples and may obtain copies of test results performed by the Port at no cost. Tests conducted for the sole benefit of the Contractor shall be at the Contractor's expense.
- B. Compaction Control Tests: The Port may provide and pay for laboratory and on-site field compaction control tests in accordance with the applicable provisions of these specifications.
 - 1. The compaction control density shall be the maximum density at optimum moisture content as determined by ASTM D 1557, Standard Methods for Moisture-Density Relationships of Soil and Soil Aggregates, Methods B, C or D as applicable, but shall be no less than 95% of dry density for fill, backfill, crushed surfacing, and ballast.
 - 2. Field tests to determine in-place compliance with required densities as specified, shall be performed in accordance with ASTM D 1556, D 2167, or D 2922.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Source characterization, testing, reporting, and certification for all off-site borrow materials.

1.04 SITE CONDITIONS

- A. Verify the location of existing utilities at the site, and use an independent private locate company to assist. Those utilities which are to remain shall be protected from damage and remain operational. Damage to utilities which are to remain shall be repaired by the Contractor at its own expense.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 BALLAST

- A. Track ballast shall meet the requirements of section 34 05 17 Railroad Work.
- B. Crushed Surfacing
 - 1. Crushed Surfacing Base Course and top course shall comply with Section 9-03.9(3) of the Washington State Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road, Bridge and Municipal Construction, 2023 edition.

2.02 GEOTEXTILE SEPARATION FABRIC

- A.

2.03 OFF-SITE BORROW SOURCE CHARACTERIZATION

- A. Off-site borrow source characterization shall be performed by the Contractor as specified in Section 2.03 to assure that imported materials are natural, native, virgin materials, free of contaminants, including debris or recycled materials, and meet the requirements of the contract documents.
- B. Each source of off-site borrow material shall be tested once per year for physical properties.

- C. Each source of off-site borrow for sands and gravels shall be tested once per calendar year for metals.
- D. Each source of off-site borrow for soils, including materials to be used for fill and backfill, shall be tested for metals, chemical compounds and hydrocarbons once for every 500 cubic yards of material to be imported.
- E. The Engineer maintains the right to reject any materials that have been determined to be substandard for any reason. In the event of rejection, it shall be the responsibility of the contractor to remove all stockpiles of rejected material from the site.

1. General:

Materials shall be of the quality, size, shape, gradation, or equal to that manufactured as specified herein. The Contractor shall submit a characterization of any and all imported material prior to any on-site placement. The characterization will include source identification, analyses of a material source sample, and a source inspection report. The material shall not be imported to the site until approved by the Engineer. Once approved and imported to the site, the Contractor shall perform an on-site inspection of the material to verify that it is the material sampled for characterization and approval.

2. Source Identification:

The Contractor shall provide documentation of the origin of imported materials and maps identifying specific location(s) of material source(s). Physical and chemical characterization reports available from the material supplier shall be provided to the Engineer.

3. Inspection of Source:

The Contractor shall inspect all material sources. During such inspection, the Contractor shall assure that materials to be delivered to the jobsite are likely to meet the appropriate specifications. The Contractor shall provide the Engineer two weeks notice of such inspections. The Engineer or a designated representative may accompany the Contractor to witness such inspections. This witnessing shall in no way release the Contractor from complying with the specifications and in no way shall be construed as approval of any particular source of material.

4. Testing, Reporting, and Certification:

Off-site borrow materials shall be in accordance with the requirements of Section 2.03 unless waived by the Engineer.

5. Inspection of Materials at the Jobsite:

The Contractor shall visually inspect imported material upon delivery. Materials shall be inspected for presence of foreign, recycled, or reprocessed material. The Engineer may at any and all times perform an independent inspection. Material may be tested according to Section 2.03 at the Engineer's discretion. Material may be rejected due to the presence of deleterious substances or as a result of substandard test results.

2.04 CHARACTERIZATION TESTING, REPORTING, AND CERTIFICATION OF OFF-SITE MATERIAL

- A. The Contractor shall provide characterization and testing as described below for off-site borrow materials. Testing results shall meet the Port of Tacoma Import Material Screening Criteria to be considered acceptable.
- B. The Contractor shall provide test sample(s) of excess materials to be exported. The sample data shall be provided at least 21 days before proposed export of the materials.

- C. The Contractor is responsible for all testing costs associated with characterization of off-site borrow materials. The Port is responsible for testing costs associated with on-site borrow materials and excess materials to be exported.
- D. The Contractor shall provide the following information with each sample submitted:
 - 1. Material Source
 - 2. Proposed On-site Use
 - 3. Sampling dates
 - 4. Chain of custody
 - 5. Sampling locations
 - 6. Contractor's certification that the samples submitted are representative of the materials that shall be used at the site.
- E. Characterization Testing shall include:
 - 1. Physical Properties:
 - a. Grain Size Distribution (ASTM D 422-63)
 - b. Maximum Dry Density (ASTM D1557)
 - 2. Metals and Chemicals:
 - a. Import Material Screening Criteria as indicated in Table 31 00 00 - 1 – Import Material Screening Criteria
 - b. Petroleum Hydrocarbons (NWTPH-Gx (Gasoline) and -Dx (Diesel/Oil))

Table 31 00 00 - 1 – Import Material Screening Criteria

Chemical / Metal Name	Gravel/Rock Criteria (mg/kg)	Soil Criteria (mg/kg)
Volatile Organic Compounds (EPA Method 8260)		
Benzene	-	0.004
Ethylbenzene	-	6.0
Toluene	-	7.0
Xylenes	-	9.0
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)	-	0.05
Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds (EPA Method 8270)		
acenaphthene		97.9
anthracene		2,275
benzo[a]anthracene		0.130
benzo[a]pyrene		0.1
benzo[b]fluoranthene		0.440
benzo[k]fluoranthene		13.7
benzoic acid	-	257
benzyl alcohol	-	8,000
bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	-	13.9

chrysene	-	95.5
benzyl butyl phthalate	-	12.8
cresol;o-	-	2.3
cresol;p-	-	8,000
dibenzo[a,h]anthracene	-	0.1
dibenzofuran	-	80
di-butyl phthalate	-	56.5
dichlorobenzene;1,2-	-	8.4
dichlorobenzene;1,4-	-	0.2
diethyl phthalate	-	72.2
dimethylphenol;2,4-	-	1.3
di-n-octyl phthalate	-	800
fluoranthene	-	631
fluorene	-	101
hexachlorobenzene	-	0.09
hexachlorobutadiene	-	0.6
indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene	-	1.2
methyl naphthalene;2-	-	320
naphthalene	-	0.006
nitrosodiphenylamine;N-	-	0.0009
pentachlorophenol	-	0.003
phenol	-	11
pyrene	-	655
trichlorobenzene;1,2,4-	-	0.06
Pesticides / PCBs (EPA Method 8081/8082)		
ddd	-	0.3
dde	-	0.4
ddt	-	2.9
Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)	-	0.5
Metals (EPA Method 6010/6020/7041)		
Arsenic	13.8	13.8
Cadmium	2.0	2.0
Chromium (total)	113	113
Chromium (VI)	-	0
Copper	136	136
Lead	250	250
Mercury	0.14	0.14
Nickel	61	61
Zinc	100	100

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Filling and grading shall be completed within the tolerances established or within reasonably close conformity with the alignment grade and cross sections indicated on the Drawings or as established within these specifications.

3.02 COMPACTION

- A. Compaction shall be performed with approved compaction equipment suited to the soil and the area being compacted. Moisten or aerate material as necessary to provide the moisture content that will readily facilitate obtaining the specified compaction with the equipment used. Each lift of material placed shall be uniformly compacted to the density indicated for the specific material and use set forth in these Specifications. The percent of density required is in relation to the maximum density obtainable at optimum moisture content (Compaction Control Density) as determined in paragraph 3.03 "Compaction Control Tests."

3.03 COMPACTION CONTROL TESTS

- A. Laboratory and field tests shall be performed in accordance with the applicable provisions of these Specifications.
 - 1. Compaction control density shall be the maximum density at optimum moisture content as determined by ASTM D 1557, Standard Methods for Moisture Density Relationships of Soil and Soil Aggregates, Methods B, C or D as applicable but shall be no less than 95% of dry density for Select Fill and Backfill and no less than 98% of dry density for Base Course Material.
 - 2. Field tests to determine in place compliance with required densities as specified, shall be performed in accordance with ASTM D1556, D2167, or D2922.

3.04 PREPARATION FOR CRUSHED SURFACING:

- A. Preparation of Subgrade
 - 1. Immediately prior to placement of subballast and ballast materials, clean the entire width of the area of all debris and dispose of as directed by the Engineer. All depressions or ruts which contain storm water shall be drained.
 - 2. Shape the entire subgrade to a smooth uniform surface, true to line, grade, and cross section as staked by the Engineer. Compact the subgrade material to 95% of the maximum density as determined by compaction tests ASTM Designation D1557. If soft or spongy material underlying the upper eight inches of the area being prepared precludes satisfactory compaction of the upper eight inches, loosen, aerate, or excavate, replace and compact to the required density or over excavate and place subballast as directed by the Engineer.
 - 3. Remove and dispose of excess material which cannot be disposed of by normal drifting to low spots during blading and shaping operations or by placing in subgrade areas deficient in materials or by wasting, all as directed by the Engineer. Subgrade areas deficient in materials shall be brought to grade by importing suitable materials from other subgrade areas or other sources as directed by the Engineer. Materials added to subgrade areas deficient in materials shall be watered and compacted as necessary to yield a true finished subgrade as described above.
 - 4. Once it is prepared, maintain the subgrade for surfacing in the finished condition until the first course of surfacing has been placed.

B. Finishing Subgrades

1. Before any paving or ballast material is placed, the subgrade and/or subballast shall be brought to the proper line, grade and cross section and shall be so maintained until the paving and ballast is placed.
2. Compact the crushed surfacing for pavement to 95% of maximum density as defined for Compaction Control Density, Article "Compaction Control Tests" these Specifications, to a minimum depth of six inches.

C. Subgrade Protection

1. Take all precautions necessary to protect the subgrade from damage; hauling over the finished subgrade shall be limited to that which is essential for construction purposes.
2. Equipment used for hauling over the prepared subgrade which, in the opinion of the Engineer, is causing undue damage to the prepared subgrade or to the underlying materials, shall be removed from the work at the request of the Engineer.
3. Repair at the Contractor's expense all cuts, ruts and breaks in the surface of the subgrade prior to placing surfacing, treated base, or paving materials.
4. Protect the prepared subgrade from both the Contractor's traffic and public traffic and maintain the subgrade by blading and rolling as frequently as may be necessary to preserve the subgrade in a completely satisfactory condition.

3.05 PLACEMENT OF CRUSHED SURFACING AGGREGATES

- A. Prior to placement Contractor shall blend the various source materials to create a homogenous, well graded, mixture.
- B. Equipment necessary for the satisfactory performance of this construction shall be on the project and approved by the Engineer prior to beginning work. If central-mix-plant methods are used, the central mixing plant shall comply with the applicable portions Section 4-04.3(3) of the WSDOT Standard Specifications, 2023 Edition.
- C. Prepare subgrades as specified above and obtain approval of the Engineer before placing paving or ballast materials.
- D. Mixing: After each layer of material is placed, mix the material by motor graders or other approved equipment until the mixture is uniform throughout. Add water as directed by the Engineer to facilitate mixing and compacting.
- E. Placing and Spreading: Spread each layer of material by means of approved spreading equipment. Such equipment may be bottom-dump hauling equipment with transverse spreading facilities; self-propelled spreading and leveling machines; or spreader boxes equipped with wheels or so constructed as to preclude damage to the subgrade or underlying courses. Spreading in small areas of less than 2,000 square yards or in areas irregular in shape may be accomplished by other means as directed by the Engineer. Material shall be placed in layers not exceeding six inches.
- F. Shaping and Compacting: Immediately following spreading and shaping, compact each layer to at least ninety five percent (95%) of the maximum dry density determined in accordance with ASTM D-1557 before the next succeeding layer is placed thereon. When the thickness of the base course is less than 0.15 feet, density testing may not be required and the Engineer will determine the number of coverage's required for the particular compaction equipment available.

- G. Vibratory compactors or rollers shall be adequate in design and number to provide compaction and obtain the specified density for each layer while still moist. Apply a mist spray of water as needed to replace moisture lost by evaporation. The completed layer shall have a smooth, tight, uniform surface true to the line, grade and cross section indicated on the Drawings.
- H. Variations in the surface of the top course shall be a maximum of 1/4 inch in 10 feet. Shave off or fill in variations greater than the allowable and recompact that area.
- I. Surface Maintenance: Maintain the surface of each layer of material true to line, grade and cross section by blading, watering and rolling until placing the succeeding course. Place the first course of material on all available subgrade before placing the succeeding course unless otherwise authorized by the Engineer. Should irregularities develop in any surface during or after compaction, remedy by loosening the surface and correcting the defects, then thoroughly recompact the entire area, including the surrounding surface. In the event that additional materials are necessary to make the repairs, they shall be provided at no additional cost to the Port.
- J. Route hauling equipment over the roadway in such a manner as to be most effective in the compacting of the material. Hauling over the surfacing in the process of construction will not be permitted when, in the opinion of the Engineer, the effect will be detrimental.

3.06 PLACEMENT OF BALLAST

- A. Ballast shall be placed in accordance with section 34 05 17 Railroad Work.
- B. Prior to placement of ballast, geotextile shall be placed on subgrade in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. Overlap all adjacent sheets of fabric by not less than 3 feet.

3.07 EXCAVATION

- A. Excavation of existing ballast and additional subballast or subgrade material shall be disposed of per section 01 74 16 Soil Characterization and Waste Management.
- B. Excavation shall not undermine adjacent tracks. If adjacent tracks are undermined or affected, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer.
 - 1. Undermined tracks shall be restored to their original condition and surface, line, and graded in accordance with 34 05 17 Railroad Work.

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SCOPE

- A. The work covered by this Section includes the furnishing of all labor, materials, equipment and necessary services to construct asphalt pavements to the sections and at the locations as specified in this Section and as indicated on the Contract Drawings.
- B. The materials specified herein are intended primarily for use in repairing small areas and performing emergency repairs under inclement weather conditions.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. The publications listed below form a part of this specification to the extent referenced. The publications are referred to in the text by the basic designation only.
- B. Unless otherwise indicated, the most recent edition of the publication, including any revisions, shall be used.
- C. American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO)
 - 1. AASHTO M 17 – (2011) Mineral Filler for Bituminous Paving Mixtures
 - 2. AASHTO M 320 – (2010) Performance-Graded Asphalt Binder
 - 3. AASHTO T 11 - (2005; R2009) Materials Finer Than 75 μ m (No. 200) Sieve in Mineral Aggregates by Washing
 - 4. AASHTO T 27 - (2011) Sieve Analysis of Fine and Coarse Aggregates
 - 5. AASHTO T 89 - (2013) Determining the Liquid Limit of Soils
 - 6. AASHTO T 90 - (2000; R2008) Determining the Plastic Limit and Plasticity Index of Soils
 - 7. AASHTO T 96 - (2002; R2010) Resistance to Degradation of Small-Size Coarse Aggregate and Impact in the Los Angeles Machine
 - 8. AASHTO T 104 - (1999; R2011) Soundness of Aggregate by Use of Sodium Sulfate or Magnesium Sulfate
 - 9. AASHTO T 112 - (2000; R2012) Clay Lumps and Friable Particles in Aggregate
 - 10. AASHTO T164 - (2011) Quantitative Extraction of Asphalt Binder from Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA)
 - 11. AASHTO T 176 - (2008) Plastic Fines in Graded Aggregates and Soils by Use of the Sand Equivalent Test
 - 12. AASHTO T 283 - (2007; R2011) Resistance of Compacted Hot-Mix Asphalt (HMA) Mixtures to Moisture-Induced Damage
 - 13. AASHTO T 304 - (2011) Uncompacted Void Content of Fine Aggregate
 - 14. AASHTO T308 - (2010) Determining the Asphalt Binder Content of Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) by the Ignition Method
 - 15. AASHTO T 335 - (2009) Determining the Percentage of Fracture in Coarse Aggregate
- D. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
 - 1. ASTM D75 – (2009) Sampling Aggregates
 - 2. ASTM D242 – (2009) Mineral Filler for Bituminous Paving Mixtures

3. ASTM D4791 - (2010) Flat Particles, Elongated Particles, or Flat and Elongated Particles in Coarse Aggregate
- E. Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT)
 1. Construction Manual, M 41-01; Current edition.
 2. Standard Specifications for Road, Bridge and Municipal Construction, M 41-10; Current edition.
 3. Materials Manual, M 46-01; Current edition.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. A separate job mix formula for each proposed mix design shall be submitted in writing by the Contractor. Submittals shall represent all submittal elements specified herein and shall include as a minimum:
 1. Mix designation/identification number.
 2. Plant where mix will be produced.
 3. Performance Graded Binder Certified Test Reports
 - a. Source location and type of binder.
 - b. Certificate of Compliance, including date and signature of the supplier, regarding conformance with AASHTO M 320, Table 1.
 - c. Temperature-viscosity relationship of the asphalt cement.
 - d. Minimum mixing temperature (degrees F).
 - e. Minimum compaction temperature (degrees F).
 4. Coarse Aggregate Certified Test Reports:
 - a. Source location and type of aggregate.
 - b. Angularity.
 - c. Bulk specific gravity.
 - d. Flat and elongated particles.
 - e. Soundness.
 - f. LA Abrasion.
 5. Fine Aggregate Certified Test Reports:
 - a. Source location and type of aggregate.
 - b. Bulk specific gravity.
 - c. Liquid limit.
 - d. Plasticity index.
 - e. Percent natural sand (if used).
 - f. Sand equivalent.
 - g. Uncompacted void content.
 6. Anti-strip agent:

- a. Certification.
 - b. Amount used.
 7. Recycled Asphalt Pavement Test Reports (if used)
 8. Percentage and grade of performance graded asphalt binder.
 9. Proportions and percentage of each aggregate stockpile.
 10. Temperature of mix when discharged from the mixer.
 11. Plot of the blended aggregate gradation and gradation control points on the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) 0.45 power gradation curve.
 12. Maximum specific gravity at the target binder content.
 13. Air void content at the target binder content.
 14. Graphical plots of air voids, voids in the mineral aggregate, voids filled with asphalt, fines to effective binder content ratio, and unit weight verses asphalt content. Plots shall indicate values at -0.5 percent design asphalt content, design asphalt content, and +0.5 percent design asphalt content.
 15. Tensile strength ratio (TSR), strength of conditioned samples, and worksheets.
- B. The certification(s) shall show the appropriate AASHTO/ASTM test(s) for each material, test results, and a statement that the material meets the specification requirement.
- C. If requested by the Engineer, submit samples for each type aggregate to be used and from each source with proper identification as to source, type of aggregate and contract number. Take all samples in accordance with requirements of ASTM D75 and D242. Submit in clean, sturdy bags and in the following amounts for each sample when requested:

MATERIAL	SAMPLE SIZE
Coarse Aggregate	25 lbs.
Fine Aggregate	25 lbs.
Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement	25 lbs.
Mineral Filler	5 lbs.

- D. The job mix formula for each mixture shall be in effect until modified in writing by the Engineer. Should a change in mix or sources of materials be made, a new job mix formula must be tested and resubmitted for approved by the Engineer before the new mix is used.
- E. Working Drawings: For each paving area, provide working drawings to show the following information:
1. Direction of paving.
 2. Lane widths.
 3. Thickness of each lift.
- F. Submit smoothness measurements and surface grade survey results to the Engineer prior to application for payment.

1.04 CONTRACTOR QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for developing the asphalt mix designs specified herein. The mix designs shall be developed and/or certified by a laboratory accredited by AASHTO under the AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory (AMRL) program.

- B. Quality Control Testing: The Contractor shall conduct any and all quality control (QC) testing that he deems necessary to properly control the quality, consistency, and uniformity of the asphalt concrete mix being produced. No minimum number of quality control tests is required for this Contract.
- C. If the Contractor chooses to conduct quality control tests, the information and data determined through that testing shall be made available for inspection by the Engineer. In no case, however, shall the Contractor's quality control test data be used by the Engineer for acceptance or payment purposes.
- D. Surface Grades: Grades shall conform to the tolerance requirements specified herein, except where closer tolerance is required for the proper functioning of appurtenant structures and drainage as determined by the Engineer.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The Port may provide inspection services to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Sampling and testing for compliance shall be in accordance with the applicable reference standards using certified technicians and accredited independent testing laboratories.
- B. Sampling and testing for compliance with the Contract provisions shall be in accordance with Section 01 45 00 - Quality Control.
- C. The Contractor may obtain copies of results of tests performed by the Port from the office of the Port, at no cost. Tests conducted for the sole benefit of the Contractor, shall be at the Contractor's expense.
- D. Unless otherwise referenced or modified herein, quality control and quality standards for this section shall be as specified in the WSDOT Standard Specifications.

1.06 JOB CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Requirements:
 - 1. Weather limitations shall be in accordance WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(16), as modified herein.
 - 2. In case of sudden rain, the Engineer may permit placing of mixture then in transport from the plant provided that the surface upon which the mix is being placed is free from pools of water. In addition, the laydown temperatures must conform to the above requirements. Such permission, however, shall not be interpreted as a waiver of any of the quality requirements.
- B. Existing Underground Utilities: The Contractor shall locate existing underground utilities in the area of the work. Those utilities which are to remain shall be adequately protected from damage.
- C. Dust Control: The Contractor shall be responsible for dust control at the site. As a minimum, a water truck and vacuum truck shall be used on site for dust control when required by the Engineer.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 PERFORMANCE GRADED ASPHALT BINDER (PGAB)

- A. Asphalt shall conform to the requirements of AASTHO M 320 and the elastic recovery requirements of WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-02.1(4) for the Performance Grade specified herein.

2.02 AGGREGATE

- A. Coarse Aggregate – Coarse aggregate shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-03.8, as modified below:

Test	Specification
Flat and Elongated Particles (ASTM D 4791, using a ratio of 5:1, maximum to minimum dimension)	8%, maximum
Coarse Aggregate Angularity (AASHTO T 335)	90% with 2 or more fractured faces
LA Abrasion Wear (AASHTO T 96, 500 revolutions)	30%, maximum
Sodium Sulfate Soundness Loss (AASHTO T 104, 5 cycles)	13%, maximum

- B. Fine Aggregate - Fine aggregate shall consist of clean, sound, durable, angular shaped particles produced by crushing stone or gravel that meets the requirements for wear and soundness specified for coarse aggregate. Natural (non-manufactured) siliceous sand may be used to obtain the gradation of the aggregate blend or to improve the workability of the mix. The amount of sand to be added will be adjusted to produce mixtures conforming to requirements of this Specification. The aggregate particles shall be free from coatings of clay, silt, or other objectionable matter and shall contain no clay balls. Fine aggregate shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-03.8, as modified below:

Test	Specification
Sand Equivalent (AASHTO T 176)	45%, minimum
Uncompacted Void Content (AASHTO T 304, Method A)	44%, minimum
Plasticity Index (AASHTO T 90)	Non-plastic
Liquid Limit (AASHTO T 89)	25, maximum
Deleterious Materials (AASHTO T 112)	2%, maximum

- C. Mineral filler, when used, shall conform to the requirements of AASHTO M 17.
- D. Recycled Asphalt Pavement (RAP)
1. RAP, if used, shall conform to the requirements of WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-03.8(3)B, 9-03.21(1) and 9-03.21(1)A, as modified herein.
 2. The maximum proportion of RAP permitted within each mix shall not exceed 20 percent.
 3. RAP shall have 100 percent passing the 2-inch sieve, 95 percent passing the 1 inch sieve, and shall be a mixture of only coarse aggregate, fine aggregate, and asphalt cement, free of solvents and other contaminating materials.

4. When RAP is used in a mixture, the RAP aggregate shall be extracted from the RAP using a solvent extraction (AASHTO T164) or ignition oven (AASHTO T308). The RAP aggregate shall be included in determinations of gradation, coarse aggregate angularity, fine aggregate angularity, and flat-and-elongated requirements. The sand equivalent requirements shall be waived for the RAP aggregates but shall apply to the remainder of the aggregate blend.
5. Documentation of RAP stockpile quality and traceability shall be submitted to the Engineer for approval prior to use.

E. Aggregate Gradation

1. Each gradation contains maximum and minimum control points. Job mix formula gradations must fall within control points for the specified nominal aggregate size. The combined aggregate shall conform to the gradation requirements shown below when tested in accordance with AASHTO T 11 and T 27. Design gradation requirements are as follows:

Design Aggregate Gradation Control Points	
Sieve Size	Class B (1/2-inch) (Percent Passing)
1-1/2"	-
1"	-
3/4"	100
1/2"	90-100
3/8"	75-90
No. 4	46-66
No. 8	-
No. 10	30-42
No. 40	11-24
No. 200	3.0-7.0

2. Aggregates shall be provided in sufficient sizes to produce a uniform mixture. The Contractor shall indicate on the proposed job-mix formula the separate size designations of aggregate to be used.
3. It is recommended that the Bailey Method of gradation evaluation be used to evaluate the packing of aggregate particles and constructability of the blended aggregate mix. If segregation or non-uniformity is evident in the finished pavement, the Engineer reserves the right to require the Contractor to discontinue the use of crusher run or aggregate blends and to furnish separate sizes of open graded aggregate material.

2.03 HOT MIX ASPHALT (HMA) MIX DESIGN

- A. Mix design shall be prepared using the Hveem mix design method in accordance with the WSDOT Materials Manual Standard Operating Procedure 702, WSDOT Materials Manual Standard Operating Procedure 703, and the 2002 WSDOT Standard Specifications, as modified herein. The 2002 WSDOT Standard Specifications are referenced for mix design purposes only and the current edition of the WSDOT Standard Specifications is applicable to all other references.
- B. Asphalt Binder: PG 58H-22.
- C. Aggregate Gradation: Class B (1/2").

- D. Stabilometer Value: 35, minimum.
- E. Cohesimeter Value: 100, minimum.
- F. Air Voids: 2% – 4.5%.
- G. The dust to binder ratio of the blended mix shall be between 0.6 and 1.6.
- H. Compacted mix design shall have a tensile strength ratio (TSR) greater than or equal to 85 percent when tested in accordance with WSDOT Test Method T718, including the freeze-thaw cycle. In addition, the mixture shall have a minimum wet tensile strength of 80 pounds per square inch (psi). In the event the mix design does not meet the tensile strength requirements the Contractor shall increase the approved anti-stripping agent dosage or take other corrective action to satisfy the specification.

2.04 HEAT-STABLE ANTI-STRIPPING ADDITIVE

- A. Mix designs shall include a minimum of 0.1 percent by weight binder, anti-stripping additive conforming to the requirements of WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-02.4.

2.05 TACK COAT

- A. Unless otherwise approved by the Engineer, the tack coat shall be CSS-1, CSS-1h, or STE-1 emulsified asphalt conforming to WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-02.1(6). The CSS-1 and CSS-1h emulsified asphalt may be diluted with water at a rate not to exceed one part water to one part emulsified asphalt. The tack coat shall not exceed the maximum temperature recommended by the emulsified asphalt manufacturer.

2.06 JOINT AND CRACK SEALANT

- A. Sealant shall conform to the requirements of WSDOT Standard Specification Section 9-04.10.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 CONSTRUCTION METHODS

- A. Asphalt Mixing Plant – Asphalt shall be produced at a plant approved by the WSDOT. Plants shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(1).
- B. Hauling Equipment:
 - 1. Hauling equipment shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(2), as modified herein.
 - 2. Trucks shall be equipped with tarps, in good condition without holes, which can be tied down over the sides and ends of the truck beds during periods of inclement weather to prevent rain from entering the truck bed and coming in contact with the asphalt concrete mix.
 - 3. Trucks shall be loaded using a multiple-drop method (front then back the middle) to minimize truck to truck segregation.
- C. Paving Equipment – Asphalt pavers shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(3).
- D. Compaction Equipment – Rollers shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(4).
- E. Preparation of the Asphalt Binder Material (asphalt cement):

1. The binder shall be stored within the temperature range specified by the supplier of the binder for the grade of asphalt cement being used. Different grades of asphalt binder shall be stored separately and not mixed together at any time.
2. The binder shall be heated in a manner that will avoid local overheating and provide a continuous supply of the bituminous material to the mixer at a uniform temperature.
3. The temperature of the binder delivered to the mixer shall be sufficient to provide a suitable viscosity for adequate coating of the aggregate particles, but shall not exceed 350 degrees F unless otherwise required by the asphalt binder manufacturer.

F. Preparation of the Aggregates:

1. The aggregate for the mixture shall be heated and dried prior to introduction into the mixer. The maximum temperature and rate of heating shall be such that no damage occurs to the aggregates.
2. The aggregate temperature shall not be lower than is required to obtain complete coating and uniform distribution of the aggregate particles and to provide a mixture of satisfactory workability.

G. Preparation of Bituminous Mixture:

1. Mixing shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(8), as modified herein.
2. The aggregates and the bituminous material shall be properly proportioned and introduced into the mixer in the amount specified by the job mix formula.
3. Job mix formula production tolerances shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 9-03.8(7), except the tolerance limits for aggregate shall not exceed the limits of the control points specified herein.
4. The moisture content of all bituminous mix upon discharge shall not exceed one (1) percent.

H. Preparation of the Underlying Surface:

1. Preparation shall conform to WSDOT Standard Specifications Sections 5-04.3(5), 5-04.3(5)A, 5-04.3(5)B, 5-04.3(5)C, 5-04.3(5)D, and 5-04.3(5)E, as modified herein.
2. Asphalt materials shall not be placed until the underlying course has been tested by the Port's Representative and accepted by the Engineer.
3. Immediately before placing asphalt materials, clean all underlying pavement surfaces and previous courses of all loose and foreign material by sweeping with hand brooms, power sweepers or blowers as directed by the Port's Representative or Engineer.
4. Tack Coat:
 - a. Tack coat shall be applied in accordance with WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(5)A, as modified herein. The Port inspector shall verify that the tack coat has been properly placed prior to constructing subsequent pavement lifts. Refer to the applicable sections in Chapter 5 of the WSDOT Construction Manual for guidance on tack coat application and inspection.
 - b. Apply tack coat only when the underlying surface is dry, and the ambient temperature meets the requirements for the pavement course being placed.

- c. Residual asphalt coating shall be 0.03 to 0.05 gallons per square yard on newly placed asphalt surfaces
 - d. Residual asphalt coating shall be 0.06 to 0.08 gallons per square yard on existing or milled asphalt surfaces.
- I. Transporting, Placing, and Finishing:
- 1. The asphalt concrete mixture shall be transported from the mixing plant to the site in vehicles conforming to the requirements specified herein.
 - 2. Hauling over freshly placed material shall be not permitted until the material has been compacted, as specified, and allowed to cool to atmospheric temperature.
 - 3. Placing and finishing of the asphalt mixture shall be in accordance with WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(9), as modified herein.
 - 4. The nominal compacted depth of any layer of any course shall not exceed five (5) times the nominal maximum aggregate size of the asphalt mix.
 - 5. The hot mix asphalt mixture shall not be placed upon a wet surface or when the surface temperature of the underlying course is less than that specified below. The temperature requirements may be waived by the Engineer, if requested; however, all other requirements including compaction shall be met.

Lift Thickness, T (inches)	Minimum Base Temperature (degrees F)
T > 3	35
2 < T < 3	35
T < 2	45

- 6. The initial placement of the asphalt concrete mixture shall occur at a temperature suitable for obtaining density, surface smoothness, and other specified requirements but not less than 250 degrees F, unless approved by the Engineer.
- 7. Upon arrival, the mixture shall be placed to the full width of the paving lane. It shall be struck off in a uniform layer of such depth that, when the mix is properly compacted, shall have the required thickness and conform to the grade and contour indicated. The speed of the paver shall be regulated to eliminate pulling and tearing of the bituminous mat. Unless otherwise permitted, placement of the mixtures shall begin along the centerline of a crowned section or on the high side or areas with a one-way slope. The mixture shall be placed in consecutive adjacent strips having a minimum width of 10-feet except where edge lanes require less width to complete the area.
- 8. Compaction of the asphalt mixture shall be in accordance with WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(10), as modified herein.
 - a. Each day's production will be treated as a lot. A minimum of five sublots will be tested. Sublot sizes will not exceed 20 tons. Random test locations will be determined according to WSDOT Test Method T 716.
 - b. In-place density shall be a minimum of 93% of the reference theoretical maximum density as determined by WSDOT FOP for WAQTC TM 8. Evidence of gauge calibration to cores, required in the test method, shall be provided for the approved job-mix being placed at a similar thickness or the gauge will be calibrated as described in the test method.

- c. Determine reference theoretical maximum density as the moving average of the most recent five determinations for the lot of asphalt concrete being placed according to WSDOT Materials Manual Standard Operating Procedure 729.
 - d. Engineer may evaluate cyclic density as described in WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(10)B2 to assess segregation.
9. Joints:
- a. The longitudinal joint in one course shall offset the longitudinal joint in the course immediately below by at least 6-inches; however, the joint in the surface course shall be at the centerline of the pavement if that pavement is to be used by normal car or truck traffic.
10. Longitudinal joint density shall be assessed once per subplot in accordance with WSDOT SOP 735. Low density is defined as less than 91 percent of reference maximum density. When placing a single paver width patch, consecutive density tests will be taken on alternating sides of the patch.
- a. Transverse joints in one course shall be offset by at least 10-feet longitudinally from transverse joints in the previous course. Transverse joints in adjacent lanes shall be offset a minimum of 10-feet.
11. On areas where irregularities or unavoidable obstacles make the use of mechanical spreading and finishing equipment impractical, the mixture may be spread and raked by hand tools.

3.02 JOINT SEALANT

- A. Apply joint sealant to the edges of new paving joints, catch basins, manholes, at the meet lines to concrete structures and as directed by the Engineer.

3.03 SURFACE SMOOTHNESS

- A. The completed surface of the wearing course shall conform to the smoothness tolerance requirements of WSDOT Standard Specifications Section 5-04.3(13).

END OF SECTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. This Section specifies the performance criteria for complete trackwork to be furnished and installed by the Contractor in accordance with the Contract Drawings, and the material requirements for track materials and products. Completed railroad track shall conform in all regards to the AREMA Manual of Railway Engineering and BNSF Guidelines for Industry Track Projects.
- B. Except as modified herein, trackwork shall be handled, assembled, and inspected in accordance with the current edition of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association (AREMA) Portfolio of Trackwork Plans, and the AREMA Manual of Railway Engineering.
- C. The extent and location of railroad work is indicated on the drawings. The work includes the requirements for providing railroad trackwork complete with ballast, rail, ties, and all appurtenances necessary for a complete, operable railway system.

1.02 REFERENCED STANDARDS:

- A. American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association - Manual for Railway Engineering (AREMA) 2018.
- B. American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association – Portfolio of Trackwork Plans (AREMA PORTFOLIO) 2018.
- C. Code of Federal Regulations Title 49 – Transportation, Chapter II – Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, Part 213 – Track Safety Standards.
- D. Code of Federal Regulations Title 49 – Transportation, Chapter II – Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, Part 214 – Railroad Workplace Safety.
- E. American Wood Preservers Association (AWPA) – M4-98 Standard for the Care of Preservative Treated Wood Products.
- F. FRA-DOT – Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation
- G. BNSF Guidelines for Industry Track Projects

1.03 SUBMITTALS:

- A. Rail Construction Sequencing Plans as described in Section 01 14 00 - Work Restrictions
- B. Certification of Rail
 - 1. Contractor to provide Certifications of compliance from suppliers or manufacturers that Rail delivered to the site is in conformance with AREMA Specifications Chapter 4, Part 1 Design of Rail and Part 2 Manufacture of Rail.
 - 2. The chemical analysis of the rails listed by heat number, and the specified chemical analysis elements.
 - 3. The Brinell hardness of the rails shipped by heat numbers.
- C. Certification of Track Material
 - 1. Certification of Tie Plates

- a. Contractor to provide Certifications of compliance from suppliers or manufacturers that Tie Plates delivered to the site are in conformance with AREMA Specifications Chapter 5, Part 1 Tie Plates and these specifications.
 - b. Contractor to provide shop drawing detailing all tie plates using elastic fasteners.
2. Certification of Elastic Fasteners
 - a. Contractor to provide Certifications of compliance from suppliers or manufacturers that Elastic Fasteners delivered to the site are in conformance with AREMA Specifications Chapter 5, Part 9, Design Qualification Specifications for Elastic Fasteners of Timber Cross Ties.
 - b. Contractor to provide shop drawing detailing elastic fasteners and clamping force.
3. Certification of Screw Spikes
 - a. Contractor to provide Certifications of compliance from suppliers or manufacturers that Screw Spikes delivered to the site are in conformance with AREMA Specifications Chapter 5, Part 10, Section 10.1 Steel Screw Spikes.
- D. Certification of Other Track Material
 1. Contractor to provide Certifications of compliance from suppliers or manufacturers that Track Bolts, Nuts and Washers delivered to the site are in conformance with AREMA Specifications Chapter 4, Part 3 Joining of Rail.
- E. Ballast
 1. The Contractor shall provide laboratory certification that the railroad ballast meets the Specifications of this Section.
 2. Offsite borrow source characterization in accordance with Section 31 00 00 - Earthwork.
- F. Subballast
 1. The Contractor shall provide laboratory certification that the railroad subballast meets the Specifications of this Section.
 2. Offsite borrow source characterization in accordance with Section 31 00 00 - Earthwork.
- G. Contractor shall submit a joint layout plan confirming all stock rail joints tying into existing track are in accordance with Section 3.04 A and B.
- H. Flangeway detail. Shop drawing detailing method of providing flange way block out in asphalt placed around the rail. Plan to be approved by the Engineer before paving around rail begins.
- I. Work history of railroad construction and maintenance experience of superintendents and foreman.
- J. Top of rail profile. Vertical control survey of finished top of rail. Submittal to consist of a table comparing proposed top of rail elevations to as constructed top of rail elevations at 50 foot intervals along the centerline of each track alignment. Submittal to be reviewed and approved by Engineer.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE:

- A. Perform track construction under supervision of a qualified superintendent, assistant superintendent, or general foreman experienced in railroad track construction. All track construction shall be performed by foreman and laborers experienced in railroad track construction. Foreman shall have a minimum of two years of experience in railroad track construction or maintenance. Laborers shall have a minimum of one year of experience in railroad track construction or maintenance. Supervisors and laborers not qualified to construction railroad track shall be removed and replaced by qualified personnel when directed by the Engineer.
- B. Load, transport, unload, store, and handle trackwork materials in a manner which will prevent damage to the trackwork materials. Submit to Engineer, methods, procedures, and equipment for loading, unloading, handling, and storing rail adjacent to its final laying location. Items which are included in the AREMA manual of Railway Engineering will be handled as described therein.
- C. The Contractor shall own a copy of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association - Manual for Railway Engineering (AREMA) 2019, Chapters 1, 4, 5, and 30.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 GENERAL:

- A. Furnish and install all track materials and products to complete the railroad trackwork, as shown on the Drawings. Completed railroad track shall conform in all regards to the AREMA Manual of Railway Engineering.
- B. All materials shall be new and meet Buy America requirements of section 00 73 00 Supplementary Conditions.
- C. Trackwork will use a resilient fastening system, Pandrol type E, or approved equal.
- D. See Section 34 11 23 - Special Trackwork for special trackwork materials.

2.02 RAIL:

- A. Rail shall be 115 RE meeting the requirements of AREMA Manual, Chapter 4, Part 2, Specification Section "Specifications for Steel Rails". Rail for turnouts shall be 115 RE head hardened with the exception of turnout BUB-1.
 - 1. As indicated on the drawings, turnout BUB-1 shall be 136 RE head hardened. 136 RE shall meet the requirements of AREMA Manual, Chapter 4, Part 2, Specification Section "Specifications for Steel Rails".
- B. Rail shall be supplied in lengths identified by the contractor to meet joint locations within and between turnouts.
 - 1. Rail and joints shall be procured, cut and drilled to allow for rail lengths to not be less than 18 feet.
- C. Bolt holes within the rail are not acceptable, except at the ends of the rail at locations where joint bars are used.
- D. The rail section shall conform to the dimensions shown in AREMA Manual, Chapter 4, Part 1 for 115 RE and 136RE respectively.

2.03 RAILWAY BALLAST AND WALKWAY ROCK:

- A. Railway ballast shall conform to the material requirements and be manufactured in accordance with AREMA Chapter 1, Part 2 Ballast. Ballast shall be manufactured by mechanical crushing from ledge rock, talus, or quarry rock and 100% of the material shall have at least one fractured face and 95% of the material retained on a 3/4-inch screen shall have three (3) fractured faces.
- B. Railway Ballast material shall not contain more than a total of 1% by weight of wood wastes, clay lumps, dust, or other extraneous material. Carbonate rock and slag is prohibited for use as ballast.
- C. The material from which railway ballast is manufactured shall meet the following test requirements:
1. Los Angeles, Wear, 500 Rev. 35% max.
 2. Railway Ballast shall conform to AREMA No. 4 gradation requirements when sampled from stock pile to be loaded for shipment:

Table 34 05 17-A, AREMA No. 4 Gradation

Sieve Size	Passing % by Weight
2 inch	100
1 1/2 inch	90-100
1 inch	20-55
3/4 inch	0-15
1/2 inch	-
3/8 inch	0-5

3. Walkway rock shall be railway ballast conforming to AREMA No. 5 gradation requirements when sampled from stock pile to be loaded for shipment:

Table 34 05 17-B, AREMA No. 5 Gradation

Sieve Size	Passing % by Weight
1 1/2 inch	100
1 inch	90-100
3/4 inch	40-75
1/2 inch	15-35
3/8 inch	0-15
No. 4	0-5

4. Gradation test shall be determined in accordance to ASTM C-136, utilizing square opening sieves conforming to ASTM Specifications E-11.
5. Material qualities shall be as follows:

Table 34 05 17-C, Ballast Material Qualities

Property	Minimum	Maximum	Test Method
Percent Passing No. 200 Sieve	-	1%	ASTM C117
Bulk Specific Gravity - Rock	2.6	-	ASTM C127
Absorption – Rock	-	1.3 %	ASTM C127
Clay Lumps and Friable Particles	-	0.5 %	ASTM C142

Degradation	-	35%	ASTM C535 ASTM C131
Flat and Elongated Particles	-	5%	ASTM D 4791 Test C, Length > 3 times avg thickness

2.04 RAILWAY SUBBALLAST

- A. Railway subballast material and gradation shall meet the requirements of Specification Section 31 00 00 2.01(B) – Crushed Surfacing.

2.05 JOINT BARS AND COMPROMISE JOINTS:

- A. Joint bars shall conform to the AREMA Manual, Chapter 4, Part 3 "Joining of Rail", Section 3.1 and 3.2. Joint Bars shall be 6-hole, 36 inches long, conforming to the AREMA Manual for Railway Engineering, Section 3.2 "Joint Bars and Assemblies."
- B. The bars shall be smoothly rolled, or forged, true to template and shall accurately fit the rails for which they are intended and shall provide a true alignment of the gage and running surfaces of the two rails being connected. A variation of $\pm 1/32$ inch from the specified size of holes, or $\pm 1/16$ inch from the specified location of holes, and of $\pm 1/8$ inch from the specified length of joint bar will be permitted.
- C. Where compromise joints are shown, Contractor shall field verify the type of existing rail to select proper compromise joint bars.
- D. Each compromise joint bar shall also have the rail sections shown at each end along with the word "Gage" or "Out" to indicate on which side of the rail the bar is to be used. (If the compromise joint bars are interchangeable, the words gage and out will be omitted.)

2.06 TIE PLATES:

- A. Tie plates shall conform to AREMA Manual Chapter 5, Part 1, "Specifications for Steel Tie Plates".
1. Either low carbon or high carbon steel tie plates may be furnished.
 2. Tie plates shall accommodate two elastic spring clips and at least four screw spikes to secure the plates to the timber ties. Tie plates to have a minimum length of 15" for 115 RE and 16" for 136 RE. Tie plates shall have minimum width of 7-3/4" and minimum thickness of 1/2" under the rail in base section.
 3. Tie plates to have 1" diameter holes to accommodate 15/16" diameter screw spikes.
 4. Tie plate section to be canted 1:40, +/-5, toward the center line of track.
 5. Tie plates shall have smooth flat bases with no ridges or indentations.

2.07 TRACK BOLTS, NUTS, AND SPRING WASHERS:

- A. Track bolts and square nuts shall be new, conforming to the current AREMA Manual, Chapter 4, Part 3, "Specifications for Heated Treated Carbon Steel Track Bolts and Carbon Steel Nuts". Spring washers shall be new conforming to the current AREMA manual Chapter 4, Part 2, "Specification for Spring Washers". For each track bolt, provide a square nut and spring washer of proper size for each bolt.

2.08 ELASTIC RAIL CLIPS:

- A. Furnished elastic rail clips to be used shall be one piece, threadless fasteners of spring steel Pandrol e-2055 Rail or approved equal and meet the following requirements:

1. An easy to install one piece elastic spring steel rail clip without threaded elements which can be easily removed from its housing without any possible damage to or the loss of the lateral support provided by the shoulder.
2. The design and configuration of the clips, their housing and their area in contact with the rail should be such that a nominal rail seat clamping force of 2,500 pounds per clip is provided and frequent rail slippage can be allowed without stressing, bending, twisting or damaging the clips or their housing.

2.09 SCREW SPIKES:

- A. Furnished screw spikes shall be new, conforming to the current AREMA Manual, Chapter 5, Part 10, Section 10.1.
- B. Screw spikes used to fasten the plates to the timber ties shall be high strength with reinforced throat, 3/4" by 1-1/8" rectangular head, 15/16-inch diameter, 6-1/2-inches long per AREMA Plan 1S-12 AREMA Rectangle Head Screw Spike.
- C. The head shall be concentric with and firmly joined to the body of the screw. The material shall be free from injurious defects and shall have a workmanlike finish. Screws shall be provided with plain finish.
- D. Finished screws shall conform to the following minimum requirements:
 1. High Strength
 - a. Tensile Strength, psi 120,000 Min
 - b. Yield Strength, psi 80,000 Min
 - c. Elongation, % 18 Min
- E. Except for heat-treated screws, steel mill cert data may be used for tensile strength with approval of the Owner.
- F. A letter or brand indicating the manufacturer shall be located on the top of the washer of each screw.
- G. Two screw spikes to be provided each side of rail for a total of four screw spikes per tie plate.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL:

- A. The track will be constructed using timber ties and bolted rail. Burned or sheared rail will not be accepted. Tie spacing shall be as indicated on the Drawings.
- B. Track construction shall be in conformance with the standards of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association and the requirements set forth below.
- C. Track construction shall be performed in conformance with CFR 49 Chapter II, Part 214.

3.02 RAILWAY SUBBALLAST:

- A. Subballast shall only be installed in the trackbed section if excavation is required beyond 12" below the bottom of tie. If this excavation is required, subballast shall be placed below the required 12" of ballast.
- B. Subballast shall be unloaded at required locations in a manner to minimize redistribution and handling.

- C. Care shall be taken when distributing materials from trucks and off-track equipment to prevent forming of ruts that would impair proper drainage of subgrade surface.
- D. Subballast shall be installed over prepared subgrade in conformance with typical cross sections shown in the Drawings.
- E. Place subballast in lifts not more than 6 inches in thickness before compaction. Layers shall extend beyond the edge of the ties as shown on the Contract Drawings before compaction. Compact subballast thoroughly to form a stable section able to support the subsequent layers and loads.
- F. Compaction Control Tests: Compaction control tests shall be performed in the presence of the Engineer. Compaction control tests shall be performed for every 50 feet of track alignment.
- G. Compact each layer to at least ninety five percent (95%) of the maximum dry density determined in accordance with ASTM D-1557 before the next succeeding layer is placed thereon.
 - 1. Vibratory compactors or rollers shall be adequate in design and number to provide compaction and obtain the specified density for each layer while still moist. Apply a mist spray of water as needed to replace moisture lost by evaporation. The completed layer shall have a smooth, tight, uniform surface true to the line, grade and cross section indicated on the Drawings.
 - 2. Variations in the surface of the top of the subballast shall be a maximum of 1/4 inch in 10 feet. Shave off or fill in variations greater than the allowable and recompact that area.
- H. Surface Maintenance: Maintain the surface of each layer of material true to line, grade and cross section by blading, watering and rolling until placing the succeeding course. Place the first course of material on all available subgrade before placing the succeeding course unless otherwise authorized by the Engineer. Should irregularities develop in any surface during or after compaction, remedy by loosening the surface and correcting the defects, then thoroughly recompact the entire area, including the surrounding surface. In the event that additional materials are necessary to make the repairs, they shall be provided at no additional cost to the Port.
- I. Overworked and excessively compacted subballast shall be removed and replaced at Contractor's expense.

3.03 RAILWAY BALLAST:

- A. Ballast sections shall conform to typical cross sections shown in the Drawings.
- B. Ballast shall be unloaded at required locations in a manner to minimize redistribution and handling.
- C. Ballast shall be placed before the ties are laid. Raise both rails uniformly to the designed grade.
- D. Care shall be taken when distributing materials from trucks and off-track equipment to prevent forming of ruts that would impair proper drainage of subgrade surface.
- E. Ballast shall be installed over existing subballst or ballast material in conformance with typical cross sections shown in the Drawings.
- F. Place ballast in lifts not more than 6 inches in thickness before compaction. Layers shall extend beyond the edge of the ties as shown on the Contract Drawings before compaction. Compact ballast thoroughly to form a stable section able to support the subsequent layers and loads.

- G. Compaction of ballast shall be by means of vibratory compaction equipment or specifically manufactured for compaction purposes. Self-propelled, pneumatic-tired roller shall have a gross weight of 10 to 15 tons, and the vibratory compactor shall have a weight of not less than 10 tons and shall be capable of applying a dynamic load of not less than 18,000 pounds at 1300 to 1500 cycles per minute. Proposed compaction equipment shall be approved by the Engineer.
- H. Engineer will approve the compacted ballast prior to installation of track and appurtenant work over ballast. Each lift of ballast within initial layer shall be uniformly spread and compacted with not less than four passes of either a self propelled, pneumatic-tired roller or vibratory compactor.
- I. Track shall be assembled on compacted ballast to permit placement of additional ballast for subsequent raising and tamping and to provide full depth under ties.
- J. Final track raise shall not exceed 2 inches, and ballast shall be compacted with a 16 tool vibrating squeeze-type mechanical tamper making one full tamping insertion per tie for each inch of raise. Ballast in crib areas shall be compacted by a means approved by the Engineer. Track shall be raised, aligned, and tamped to within the specified tolerances.
- K. Ballast shall be thoroughly tamped within a space from 15 inches inside each rail to ends of ties. In tamping ties within above described limits, simultaneous tamping shall be performed under each rail. Tamping is not permitted at center of tie except within limits of turnouts and crossings.
- L. Pneumatic or electric tamping tools, either handheld or machine mounted, shall be used. Hand tamping with shovels or picks is not permitted.
- M. Two tamping tools shall always be used opposite each other on same tie. Tamping tools shall be started from a nearly vertical position and worked downward past bottom of tie, after which tool should be slanted downward to force ballast under tie. Double tamp every joint tie;
- N. Ballast shall be mechanically dressed to provide proper section as shown on Drawings.
- O. Excess ballast shall be removed, or may, at Contractor 's option, be placed as directed by the Engineer. Payment will not be made for ballast in excess of dimensions shown on Drawings.
- P. Overworked and excessively tamped ballast shall be removed and replaced at Contractor's expense.

3.04 TRACK CONSTRUCTION:

- A. Trackwork: Lay rails on timber tie track with staggered joints such that joints in opposite rails shall be staggered not less than 19-1/2 inches apart. Use temporary shims to secure proper spacing between the ends of rails. The rail temperature, at the time of laying, shall determine the number and thickness of shims required. Shim thickness shall be in accordance with table 5.2 in AREMA Section 5.1.4.
- B. Rail and joints shall be laid out to allow for rail segments to not be less than 18 feet in length.
- C. Space ties according to type and curvature as indicated on the Drawings. Any deviation from the specified spacing shall be approved by the Engineer prior to installation of spikes, clips, or hold down devices.
- D. Care shall be taken in handling or spacing ties to not damage them with picks or spiking hammers. Ties shall be lifted and supported during storage, transportation, and placed in such a manner as to prevent damage. Ties shall not be dropped to the roadbed. Tie tongs, lining bars, other suitable tools or tie spacing equipment shall be used.
- E. Place ties square to the rail, except as otherwise shown in the Drawings.

- F. Ties shall be placed within 0.5 inches of perpendicular to the opposite rail.
- G. Cribbs shall be filled to full height unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
- H. Tie Plates: Set tie plates in correct position on the ties, true to gage, and with shoulders in full contact with the rail. Place one tie plate under each rail at each tie.
- I. Joint Bars: Secure joint bars in place with the full number of bolts, nuts and lockwashers. Stagger bolts, with heads placed inside and outside alternately, and draw tight before fastening rail to tie.
 - 1. A lubricant shall be applied on the rail within the area of the joint bar at time of installation.
 - 2. Rail joints shall be applied so that bars are not cocked between base and head of rail. Bars are to be properly seated in rail.
 - 3. Rail joints are not to be placed in limits of paving on asphalt crossing.
- J. Screw Spikes: Two screw spikes to be provided each side of rail for a total of four screw spikes per plate.

3.05 TRACK LAYING:

- A. The Contractor shall construct the track to meet the existing alignment and vertical profile. Prior to demolition the contractor shall survey the existing track at 50' intervals and provide horizontal and vertical data to the Engineer.
- B. The Contractor shall perform final surfacing and tamping following all other track construction items affecting the track structure. The ballast to conform to the ballast section shown on the Drawings.
- C. The Contractor shall place the track in good alignment before the final ballast lift is made. The maximum throw for final lining shall not exceed 1 inch. Contractor shall set hubs for the alignment before the final lift is made and final alignment shall conform to the hubs.
- D. Gage of Track:
 - 1. Gage of track is the inside dimension between running rails, measured at right angles to the alignment of the track 5/8" below top of rail. The standard gage of track is 4'-8 1/2".
- E. Track Tolerances:
 - 1. The final gage, cross level, and horizontal and vertical alignment of all track shall be within the tolerance shown below:
 - 2. Gage variation:
 - a. Gage variation shall not exceed 1/8" (+/-) in new track construction.
 - b. New track will be laid to 4'-8 1/2" gage.
 - 3. Cross Level:
 - a. Deviation from cross level: No reverse cross level on curves will be allowed. A maximum deviation of minus 1/2 inch cross level on inside rail of curve will be allowed. A maximum of 1/4" cross level deviation will be allowed on tangent track.
 - 4. Horizontal Track Alignment:
 - a. Maximum allowable deviation of the middle ordinate from a 62-foot chord,
 - b. On curves: 3/8 inch

c. On tangents: 1/4 inch

F. Vertical Track Profile:

1. The maximum permissible variation from profile elevation detailed on profile drawings shall be + 1/2 inch, -0 inch

G. Maximum permissible runoff per 40 feet in any interim raise shall not exceed: 1 inch

H. The maximum permissible variation from a uniform profile on either rail at the mid-ordinate of a 62-foot chord shall not exceed: 1/4 inch

3.06 DRILLING:

- A. Rail ends for bolted joints shall be drilled in accordance with AREMA standards. Any additional holes in rail will be sufficient cause for rejection.
- B. Hole in rail shall be drilled to proper size and not punched, slotted, or cut with a torch, and holes shall be chamfered to remove sharp edges.
- C. A variation of 1/32 inch in size and location of bolt holes shall be allowed.
- D. Holes shall be located with proper size rail drilling template and marked with a center punch prior to drilling. Drilling through joint bars is prohibited.

3.07 RAIL ENDS:

- A. Rail shall be cut with rail saw to a tolerance of 1/32 inch from square. All burrs shall be removed and ends made smooth. Torch cut rails will be rejected.
- B. Battered or mismatched ends shall be built up or ground off.

3.08 SURFACE, LINE AND GRADE

- A. Contractor shall perform all surfacing as specified to bring line and surface into compliance within track geometry tolerances specified in this section.
- B. Contractor shall surface track to zero crosslevel.
- C. Ballast shall be spread and track raised in a series of lifts as indicated in Contract Drawings. No single lift shall be higher than 2 inches except in crossings and turnouts. In raising track, jacks or equipment shall be regulated to avoid bending of angle bars or straining of joints. When jacks are used they shall be simultaneously used and properly spaced at not more than quarter points of rail to avoid breaks or bends in rail when track is raised. Both rails shall be raised simultaneously and to proper crosslevel by raising jacks.
- D. Each tie shall be tamped from 15 inches inside rail to end of tie. Tamping shall not be permitted at middle of tie, except for steel tie track. Both ends of a tie shall be tamped simultaneously and tamping inside and outside rail shall be done at same time. Equipment used for surfacing track shall be subject to approval by the Engineer.
- E. Ties that become loose during track raising shall be unfastened realigned and re-fastened before tamping. During each track raise, track is to be uniformly tamped.
- F. After ballasting is completed and track is surfaced and lined, according to tolerances, ballast shall be trimmed neatly and surplus material shall be spread evenly along ballast shoulder.
- G. Contractor shall perform necessary operations to assure that all ties are at right angles to track.

- H. Contractor shall perform two tamping squeezes per tie up to 1-1/2 inches of raise with one additional insertion and squeeze for each additional 1 inch of raise. Joint ties shall be given one additional squeeze than other ties. The maximum allowable raise per surfacing pass shall be 2 inches.
- I. In locations where squeeze tampers cannot fill and compact ballast, such as at frogs, guard rails, switch points of turnouts and headblocks, etc., mechanically tamp with air tools or other hand-held power tamping tools.
- J. On curves, high rail shall be used as line rail and low rail shall be used as grade rail.
- K. When surfacing turnouts, the straight side of turnout shall be used as the line rail.
- L. After ballast regulating in turnouts, Contractor shall immediately clean excess ballast from switch point area, including switch points, switch rods, connecting rods, and guardrail and frog area.
- M. After ballast is regulated and dressed, Contractor shall ensure that resilient fasteners, track bolts and rail anchors are tight and in proper alignment.
- N. Contractor caused damage to signal equipment, shall be repaired at Contractor's sole expense.

3.09 INSPECTION AND TESTING:

- A. Before final acceptance of trackwork, the Port will provide for a suitable test locomotive to be run over the entire length of new trackage in the presence of the Engineer. There shall be no noticeable settlement or deflection of ties and rail during the test. The Contractor shall re-line, surface, tamp, or otherwise correct any and all deficiencies as directed by the Engineer.
- B. The Contractor shall provide an inspection report of all trackwork at substantial completion recording all defects. Inspection and subsequent report shall conform to Class 5 track requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations Title 49 – Transportation, Chapter II – Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, Part 213 – Track Safety Standards. All recorded defects shall be addressed in the project the substantial completion procedures, see Section 01 77 00 Closeout Procedures.

3.10 POST-COMPLETION SURVEY, ALIGNMENT AND SURFACE MAINTENANCE:

- A. Between 2 months and 3 months after substantial completion the Port may perform a survey of top of rail throughout the project. The Contractor shall re-line, surface, tamp or otherwise correct any and all deficiencies identified by the survey which exceed the limits for Class 5 track surface, alignment and gage as defined in 49 CFR 213 Subpart C – Track Geometry.

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. This Section specifies the material requirements and performance criteria for complete special trackwork assembly and installation including turnouts and crossings.
- B. Except as modified herein, special trackwork shall be handled, assembled, and inspected, in accordance with the current editions of the BNSF Guidelines for Industry Track Projects, the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association (AREMA) Portfolio of Trackwork Plans, and the AREMA Manual of Railway Engineering
- C. Contractor shall provide all materials required for completion of the Work.

1.02 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. Comply with all applicable local, State and Federal codes provisions of most recent edition, including all addenda, of following codes, specifications, standards, and recommended practices, except as otherwise indicated:
 - 1. AREMA MANUAL – American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association, Manual for Railway Engineering
 - 2. AREMA PORTFOLIO – American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association, Portfolio of Trackwork Plans
 - 3. FRA-DOT – Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation
 - 4. BNSF Guidelines for Industry Track Projects

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

1.04 TESTING AND INSPECTION SHALL CONFORM TO THE AREMA MANUAL, AREMA PORTFOLIO AND THESE SPECIFICATIONS.

1.05 SUBMITTALS:

- A. Shop Drawings: Submit separate shop drawings for all turnouts, and crossovers detailing trackwork layout and interconnection with other special trackwork, and showing switches, frogs, tie spacing, fasteners, switch stands, point of switch and appurtenant geometric relationships, dimensions and information. All shop drawings shall be approved by the Engineer prior to beginning manufacture or fabrication of special trackwork or production of ties.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 TURNOUTS AND CROSSOVERS

- A. Turnouts, including turnouts comprising crossovers, shall be No. 9 turnouts with rail bound manganese frogs fabricated in accordance with the BNSF/Union Pacific Common Standards except as modified in the Contract Drawings and in the specifications herein.
- B. Rail, switch points, and frog castings shall be new, fabricated in the United States. With the exception of turnout BUB-1 all rail shall be 115RE as shown on the Drawings and conform to Section 34 05 17 "Railroad Work". There is a Buy America contract requirement.
 - 1. Turnout BUB-1 shall be comprised of 136RE rail and rail componentets.

- C. Turnouts shall have 16'-6" switch points with graduated risers. Turnouts shall be furnished with appurtenant hardware for hand throw switches as indicated in the Contract Drawings and in these specifications and as directed by the Engineer. Switch points shall be Samson undercut type and be manufactured per AREMA Specifications for Special Trackwork and with AREMA Plan No. 221-12 Detail 5100 and modified as required to meet the geometry and accommodate appurtenances shown on Contract Drawings, including drilling for horizontal switch rods with transit style clips. Samson points shall be head hardened and double reinforced with transit style clips. Turnouts shall include curved, straight, closure rails utilizing 115 RE rail with screw spikes and elastic fasteners. Switches shall have manganese tips per AREMA Plan No. 220-08.
- D. Guardrails shall be new, 13'-0" long, conform to AREMA Plan No. 504-03, shall be set according to AREMA Plan No. 502 and fastened with screw spike plates and elastic fasteners.
- E. The special trackwork components shall be designed to be hand thrown capable of providing 300 pounds of force at mid-stroke and 500 pounds of force at the end of the throw.
- F. Frogs shall be one piece, rail-bound manganese, and heavy walled. Contractor shall use resilient fastening system for all frog base plates and gage plates.
- G. Frogs shall conform to AREMA Portfolio of Trackwork Plans, Plan No. 623-03, 16' rail bound manganese steel frog for 115 RE rail with screw spike plates and elastic fasteners. Frogs shall be drilled for three (3) bolts to match the specified rail.
- H. The arm ends of the frogs shall be beveled as per AREMA Portfolio Plan No. 1005-03 "Beveling of Rail Ends for Special Trackwork". Rail bending shall be done with great care to avoid stress build up and injury to the rails. Rail shall be bent cold whenever possible. If heating the rail should be necessary, the surface temperature of the rail shall not exceed 800° F and the surface of the remainder of the rail section shall not exceed 1100° F. Heating shall be done in a manner so as to have a minimal adverse effect on the metal.
- I. All switch ties shall be provided by the Contractor and shall conform to Section 34 11 32 "Timber Ties".
- J. Switch point guards shall be furnished for all switches. Switch point guards shall be boltless adjustable switch point guard Model U69 as manufactured by A&K Railroad Materials, Model FM as manufactured by Western-Cullen-Hayes or approved equal. Switch point guards shall be furnished with appropriate switch plates and mounting hardware.
- K. Switch stands shall be Racor Model 22-E trailable, adjustable switch stands with 45-inch tri-handle, "Backsaver" handle, adjustable connecting rod and bolts with lock washers and cotter pins. The bolt hole in the switch stands, connecting rods and switch rods (42-inches) shall all be the same matching diameter with matching size bolts. Mismatch of bolts and bolt holes will be cause for rejection.
- L. Ekoslide Type C point rollers, or approved equal, shall be installed on all turnouts and crossovers. See the contract drawings for Type C roller model and locations.
- M. Turnouts shall be of bolted design. All switch bolts shall be designed for use with cotter pins and shall be installed with lock washers for cotter pins.
- N. Switch rods and clips shall be insulated. Switch rods shall be horizontal and conform to AREMA Plan No. 222-03. Switch rods shall conform to AREMA Specification Section M6. The Contractor shall furnish switch rods with all associated slide and runoff plates.
- O. Switch rods shall conform to the AAR Signal Manual, Part 14.5.3, Signal Specifications, "Recommended Developmental Criteria for Insulating Material".

1. Fiber angles, plates and end posts shall be fabricated of fiberglass mat reinforced polyester, 3/16-inch thick, GPO- I sheet stock, NEMA Class B.
2. Fiber bushings shall be fabricated of NEMA Grade 10 epoxy glass fabric.
3. All cut edges of fiberglass shall be sealed with Sherwin Williams Polane, 2-part coatings or an accepted equal.
4. Prior to assembly, all contact metal surfaces shall be painted with General Electric Insulating Enamel, Red Glyptol No. 1202 or equal.

P. Gage Plates

1. Plates shall conform to the AREMA "Specifications for Special Trackwork", Section M7, rolled "Mild Steel".
2. Insulation shall conform to the AAR Signal Manual, Part 116, Signal Specifications, "Assembly and Test of Insulated Track Fittings".
3. Insulated gage plates shall be provided for all turnouts.

2.02 RAIL

- A. With the exception of turnout BUB-1, rail for turnouts shall be new, 115 RE head hardened rail conforming to AREMA Chapter 4. Rail for turnout BUB-1 shall be 136 RE head hardened rail conforming to AREMA Chapter 4.
- B. Rail shall conform to Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

2.03 TIES

- A. Wood ties shall conform to Section 34 11 32, Timber Ties.

2.04 JOINT BARS AND COMPROMISE JOINTS:

- A. Joint bars and compromise joints shall conform to Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

2.05 TIE PLATES:

- A. Tie plates shall conform Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

2.06 TRACK BOLTS, NUTS, AND SPRING WASHERS:

- A. Track bolts, nuts and washers shall conform to Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

2.07 ELASTIC RAIL CLIPS:

- A. Elastic rail shall conform to Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

2.08 SCREW SPIKES:

- A. Screw spikes shall conform to Section 34 05 17, Railroad Work.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALL SPECIAL TRACKWORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 34 05 17, RAILROAD WORK.

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The Work of this Section consists of the furnishing, handling, and installation of timber cross ties and switch ties for use in railroad track construction.

1.02 REFERENCED STANDARDS:

- A. Comply with all applicable local, State and Federal codes provisions of most recent edition, including all addenda, of following codes, specifications, standards, and recommended practices, except as otherwise indicated:
 - 1. AREMA MANUAL – American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association, Manual for Railway Engineering
- B. AMERICAN WOOD-PRESERVERS' ASSOCIATION (AWPA)
- C. A1 - Analysis of Creosote and Oil-Type Preservatives
 - 1. M2 - Standard for Inspection of Treated Timber Products

1.03 SUBMITTALS:

- A. Submit the name, address and phone number of the timber tie supplier.
- B. Submit the completed inspectors report form as described by AWPA M2 Standard for Inspection of Treated Timber Products, including step by step work sheets of preservative analysis and retention analysis. Submit to the Engineer prior to shipment of the ties from the treatment plant.
- C. Submit Certificates of Compliance that ties comply with these specifications, AREMA specifications and AWPA standards prior to shipping timber ties.
- D. Submit a complete bill of ties for all supplied crossties and switch ties.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The Contractor shall notify the Engineer five (5) business days in advance of all material delivery. Upon delivery, any material identified as unsatisfactory, at the discretion of the Engineer, will be loaded back on to the delivery truck and sent back to the Contractor's plant at the Contractor's expense.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 TIMBER TIES:

- A. General:
 - 1. Crossties, switch ties, and ties supporting the bumping post shall meet the requirements of AREMA Chapter 30 Part 3.
- B. Material:
 - 1. The following woods can be used for crossties and switch ties:
 - a. Mixed hardwood consisting of black or honey locust, red or white oak, gums, ashes, elms, hickories, maples, and birches.
- C. Physical Requirements:

1. Except as hereinafter provided, all ties shall be free from any defects that may impair their strength or durability as crossties or switch ties, such as decay, large splits, large shakes, slanting grain, or large or numerous holes or knots.

D. Design:

1. Standard crossties shall be 7" x 9" x 8'-6". Crossties under pavement shall be 7" x 9" x 10'-0" except for turnout crossties under pavement. Thickness, width, and length specified are minimum dimensions for green ties. Dry or treated ties may be 1/4 inch thinner or narrower than the specified sizes. Ties exceeding these dimensions by more than 1 inch shall be rejected. The grade of each tie shall be determined at the point of most wane on the top face of the tie within the rail-bearing areas. The rail-bearing areas are those sections between 20 inches and 40 inches from the center of the tie. The top of the tie shall be the narrowest face and/or the horizontal face farthest from the heart or pith center.
2. Switch ties shall be sized as shown on the Contract Drawings.
3. All rail-bearing areas shall measure as follows: 7-inch grade crossties shall be 7" x 9" in cross section with a maximum of 1 inch of wane (uncut edge) in the top rail-bearing areas. A maximum of 20% of the ties in any given quantity may be square-sawn 7" x 8" in cross section with no wane in the rail-bearing areas. Wane shall be permitted on the bottom face so long as it does not exceed 1 inch at any given point.

E. Inspection:

1. Place: Ties will be inspected when delivered on site, see Article 1.04.
2. Decay: Decay is the disintegration of the wood substance due to the action of wood destroying fungi. "Blue stain" is not decay and is permissible in any wood.
3. Holes: A large hole is one more than 1/2 inch in diameter and 3 inches deep within, or more than one-fourth the width of the surface on which it appears and 3 inches deep outside, the sections of the tie between 20 inches and 40 inches from its middle. Numerous holes are any number equaling a large hole in damaging effect. Such holes may be caused in manufacture or otherwise.
4. Knots: Within the rail bearing areas, a large knot is one having an average diameter more than 1/3 the width of the surface on which it appears; but such a knot will be allowed if it is located outside the rail bearing areas. Numerous knots are any number equaling a large knot in damaging effect.
5. Shake: A shake is a separation along the grain, most of which occurs between the rings of annual growth. One which is not more than 1/3 the width of the tie will be allowed, provided it does not extend nearer than 1 inch to any surface.
6. Split: A split is a separation of the wood extending from one surface to an opposite or adjacent surface. Do not count the end as a surface when measuring the length of a split. In unseasoned cross ties, a split no more than 1/8 inch wide and/or 4 inches long is acceptable. In a seasoned cross tie, a split no more than 1/4 inch wide and/or longer than the width of the face across which it occurs is acceptable. In seasoned cross ties, a split exceeding the limit is acceptable, provided split limitations and anti-splitting devices are approved by the buyer and properly applied.
7. Checks: A check is a separation of the wood due to seasoning which appears on one surface only. Do not count the end as a surface. Ties with continuous checks whose depth in a fully seasoned and/or treated tie is greater than 1/4 the thickness and longer than 1/2 the length of the tie will be rejected.

8. Slope of Grain: Except in woods with interlocking grain a slope in grain in excess of 1 in 15 will not be permitted.
9. Bark Seams: A bark seam or pocket is a patch of bark partially or wholly enclosed in the wood. Bark seams will be allowed provided they are not more than 2 inches below the surface and/or 10 inches long.
10. Manufacturing Defects: All ties must be straight, square-sawn, cut square at the ends, have top and bottom parallel, and have bark entirely removed. Any ties which do not meet the following characteristics of good manufacture will be rejected:
 - a. A tie will be considered straight when a straight line from a point on one end to a corresponding point on the other end is no more than 1-1/2 inches from the surface at all points.
 - b. A tie is not well-sawn when its surfaces are cut into with score marks more than 1/2 inch deep, or when its surfaces are not even.
 - c. The top and bottom of a tie will be considered parallel if any difference at the sides or ends does not exceed 1/2 inch.
 - d. For proper seating of nail plates, tie ends must be flat, and will be considered square with a sloped end of up to 1/2 inch, which equals a 1 in 20 cant.

2.02 ANTI-SPLITTING DEVICES:

- A. Timber crossties and switch ties shall be equipped with anti-splitting devices of the type specified regardless of whether or not the wood has shown any tendency to split. Products used shall conform to the AREMA Manual, Chapter 30, Part 1, Section 3.1.6, "Specifications for Devices to Control the Splitting of Wood Ties".
- B. Timber crossties and switch ties shall be equipped on each end with gang nails (steel nail plates).
- C. Anti-splitting devices shall be applied in accordance with the AREMA Manual, Chapter 30, Part 3, Section 3.1.7, "Application of Anti-splitting Devices".

2.03 INCISING:

- A. Timber crossties and switch ties shall be incised on all four sides in the pattern specified in the AREMA Manual, Chapter 3, Part 6, "Wood Preserving".

2.04 TIE PRESERVATIVE TREATMENT:

- A. Timber crossties and switch ties shall be pressure treated in accordance with AREMA Chapter 30 Part 3 Section 3.7.2 "Treatment" by the empty cell process. Process and preservative to be used on material and retention required shall be as follows:
 1. Wood 50% Creosote / 50% Oil Process
 2. Doug Fir 8 lb. or Refusal L&R
 3. Hardwood (non-oak) 7-1/2 lb. or Refusal L&R
 4. Oak 7-1/2 lb. or Refusal Bethel or L&R
- B. Ties will be accepted by the Engineer based on the Manufacturer's Certification of Compliance and Treatment Inspection Reports.
- C. Ties shall be free of excess preservative. Ties exuding a minor amount of preservative will be permitted.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 HANDLING:

- A. Timber ties shall be carefully handled to avoid damage in accordance with the AREMA Manual, Volume 1, Chapter 30, Part 3, Section 3.5.

3.02 PROTECTION:

- A. Protection of timber ties from loss or damage shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. Ties shall be protected against surface damage caused by metal banding or other aspects of handling following tie treatment. Any damage done to a tie that exposes any white (untreated) wood shall be painted with tie preservative specified in this Section to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

END OF SECTION

APPENDIX A

PORT OF TACOMA

CONSTRUCTION SWPPP

SHORT FORM

CONSTRUCTION SWPPP SHORT FORM

The threshold for using the Port of Tacoma's (Port) short form is a project that proposes to clear or disturb less than one acre of land. Projects falling within this threshold may use this short form instead of preparing a professionally designed Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). If project disturbance quantities exceed this threshold, you must prepare of formal Construction SWPPP as part of your submittal package. If your project is within the threshold and includes—or may affect—a critical area, please contact the Port to determine if the SWPPP short form may be used.

CONSTRUCTION STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN SHORT FORM

Project Name:

Address:

Contact/Owner:

Phone:

Erosion Control Supervisor:

Phone:

Cell:

Pager:

Emergency (After hours) Contact:

Phone:

Permit No.:

Parcel No.:

Required Submittals

A Construction SWPPP consists of both a project narrative and a site plan. The project narrative describes existing conditions on the site, the proposed conditions, and how construction site runoff will be managed until final site stabilization is achieved. Any additional relevant information should be included in the project narrative. All Best Management Practices (BMPs) that will be utilized onsite must be included as part of the project narrative and provided (electronically or hard copy) as part of the submittal package. If additional BMPs beyond those included in the Washington Department of Ecology's (Ecology) Western Washington Stormwater Management Manual (Ecology SWMM) or the City of Tacoma's (City) Stormwater Management Manual (City SWMM) are proposed to be used, a narrative and appropriate details describing the BMP (its function, installation method, and maintenance activities) will be required.

The site plan is a drawing which shows the location of the proposed BMPs to control erosion and sedimentation during and after construction activities.

PROJECT NARRATIVE

The Construction SWPPP Short Form narrative must be completed at part of the submittal package. Any information described, as part of the narrative, should also be shown on the site plan.

Note: From October 1 through April 30, clearing, grading, and other soil disturbing activities shall only be permitted by special authorization from the Port.

A. Project Description (Check all that apply)

- | | | |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Structure | <input type="checkbox"/> Building Addition | <input type="checkbox"/> Grading/Excavation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paving | <input type="checkbox"/> Utilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

1. Total project area (square feet)
2. Total proposed impervious area (square feet)
3. Total existing impervious area (square feet)
4. Total proposed area to be disturbed (square feet)
5. Total volume of cut/fill (cubic yards)

Additional Project Information:

B. Existing Site Conditions (Check all that apply)

1. Describe the existing vegetation on the site. (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Forest	<input type="checkbox"/> Pasture/field grass	<input type="checkbox"/> Pavement	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping	<input type="checkbox"/> Brush
<input type="checkbox"/> Trees	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
2. Describe how surface water (stormwater) drainage flows across/from the site. (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Sheet Flow	<input type="checkbox"/> Gutter	<input type="checkbox"/> Catch Basin	<input type="checkbox"/> Ditch/Swale	<input type="checkbox"/> Storm Sewer
<input type="checkbox"/> Stream	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
3. Describe any unusual site condition(s) or other features of note.

<input type="checkbox"/> Steep Grades	<input type="checkbox"/> Large depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Underground tanks	<input type="checkbox"/> Springs
<input type="checkbox"/> Easements	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing structures	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing utilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

C. Adjacent Areas (Check all that apply)

1. Check any/all adjacent areas that may be affected by site disturbance and fully describe below in item 2:

☐ Streams* ☐ Lakes* ☐ Wetlands* ☐ Steep slopes*
☐ Residential Areas ☐ Roads ☐ Ditches, pipes, culverts ☐ Other:

** If the site is on or adjacent to a critical area (e.g., waterbody), the Port may require additional information, engineering, and other permits to be submitted with this short form.*

2. Describe how and where surface water enters the site from properties located upstream:

3. Describe the downstream drainage path from the site to the receiving body of water (minimum distance of 0.25 mile [1320 feet]). (E.g., water flows from the site into a curb-line, then to a catch basin at the intersection of X and Y streets. A 10-inch pipe system conveys water another 1000 feet to a wetland.) Include information on the condition of the drainage structures.

D. Soils (Check all that apply)

The intent of this section is to identify when additional soils information may be required for applicants using this short form. There are other site-specific issues that may necessitate a soils investigation or more extensive erosion control practices. The Port will determine these situations on a case-by-case basis as part of their review.

1. Does the project propose infiltration? Infiltration systems require prior Port approval.

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. Does the project propose construction on or near steep slopes (15% or greater)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If infiltration is proposed for the site or steep slopes (15% or greater) have been identified, the Port will require soils information as part of project design. The applicant must contact a soil professional or civil engineer that specializes in soil analysis and perform an in-depth soils investigation. If the Yes box is checked for either question, the Port may not permit the use of this short form.

E. Construction Sequencing/Phasing

1. Construction sequence: the standard construction sequence is as follows:
 - Mark clearing/grading limits.
 - Install initial erosion control Best Management Practices (BMPs) (e.g., construction entrance, silt fence, catch basin inserts, etc.).
 - Clear, grade, and fill project site as outlined in the site plan while implementing and maintaining proper temporary erosion and sediment control BMPs simultaneously.
 - Install permanent erosion protection as described in the specifications (e.g., impervious surfaces, landscaping, etc.).
 - Remove temporary erosion control methods as permitted. Do not remove temporary erosion control until permanent erosion protection is fully established.

List any changes from the standard construction sequence outlined above:

2. Construction phasing: if construction is going to occur in separate phases, please describe:

F. Construction Schedule

1. Provide a proposed construction schedule (dates construction starts and ends, and dates for any construction phasing.)

Start Date:

End Date:

Interim Phasing Dates:

Wet Season Construction Activities: Wet season occurs from October 1 to April 30. Please describe construction activities that will occur during this time period.

Note: Additional erosion control methods may be required during periods of increased surface water runoff.

2. Site plan (see Figure 1, page 6)

A site plan, to scale, must be included with this checklist that shows the following items:

- ☐ a. Address, Parcel Number, Permit Number, and Street Names
- ☐ b. North Arrow
- ☐ c. Indicate boundaries of existing vegetation (e.g., tree lines, grassy areas, pasture areas, fields, etc.)
- ☐ d. Identify any onsite or adjacent critical areas and associated buffers (e.g., wetlands, steep slopes, streams, etc.).
- ☐ e. Identify any FEMA base flood boundaries and Shoreline Management boundaries.
- ☐ f. Show existing and proposed contours.
- ☐ g. Delineate areas that are to be cleared and/or graded.
- ☐ h. Show all cut and fill slopes, indicating top and bottom of slope catch lines.
- ☐ i. Show locations where upstream run-on enters the site and locations where runoff leaves the site.
- ☐ j. Indicate existing surface water flow direction(s).
- ☐ k. Label final grade contour and indicate proposed surface water flow direction and surface water conveyance systems (e.g., pipes, catch basins, ditches, etc.).
- ☐ l. Show grades, dimensions, and direction of flow in all (existing and proposed) ditches, swales, culverts, and pipes.
- ☐ m. Indicate locations and outlets of any dewatering systems (usually to sediment trap).
- ☐ n. Identify and locate all erosion control methods to be used during and after construction.

ONSITE FIELD VERIFICATION OF ACTUAL CONDITIONS IS REQUIRED.

Figure 1. (to be worked out with Engineering Dept.)

GUIDELINES FOR EROSION CONTROL ELEMENTS

This SWPPP must contain the 12 required elements, as required by Ecology. Check off each element as it is addressed in the SWPPP short form and/or on your site plan.

- ☐ 1. Mark Clearing Limits
- ☐ 2. Establish Construction Access
- ☐ 3. Control Flow Rates
- ☐ 4. Install Sediment Controls
- ☐ 5. Stabilize Soils
- ☐ 6. Protect Slopes
- ☐ 7. Protect Drain Inlets
- ☐ 8. Stabilize Channels and Outlets
- ☐ 9. Control Pollutants
- ☐ 10. Control Dewatering
- ☐ 11. Maintain BMPs
- ☐ 12. Manage the Project

The following is a brief description of each of the 12 required elements of a SWPPP. If an element does not apply to the proposed project site, please describe why the element does not apply. Applicable BMPs are listed with each element and in Table 1. Please note that this list is not a comprehensive list of BMPs available for small construction projects, but erosion and sediment control techniques most pertinent to small construction sites are included here. More detailed information on construction BMPs can be found in Ecology's SWMM Volume II and the City's SWMM Volume II (Ecology 2005; City of Tacoma 2012). Please provide hard copies of the BMPs that will be used for the project and include as part of this Construction SWPPP. BMPs that may be used if needed can be noted as being contingent in the event additional erosion control is needed. Describe any additional BMPs that will be utilized onsite and add them to the SWPPP short form.

For phased construction projects, clearly indicate erosion control methods to be used for each phase of construction.

Element #1 – Mark Clearing Limits

All construction projects must clearly mark any clearing limits, sensitive areas and their buffers prior to beginning any land disturbing activities, including clearing and grading. Clearly mark the limits both in the field and on the site plans. Limits shall be marked in such a way that any trees or vegetation that is to remain will not be harmed.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C101: Preserving Natural Vegetation
- BMP C102: Buffer Zones
- BMP C103: High Visibility Plastic or Metal Fence
- BMP C104: Stake and Wire Fence

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #2 – Establish Construction Access

All construction projects subject to vehicular traffic shall provide a means of preventing vehicle “tracking” soil from the site onto streets or neighboring properties. Limit vehicle traffic on- and off-site to one route if possible. All access points shall be stabilized with a rock pad construction entrance or other Port-approved BMP. The applicant should consider placing the entrance in the area for future driveway(s), as it may be possible to use the rock as a driveway base material. The entrance(s) must be inspected weekly, at a minimum, to ensure no excess sediment buildup or missing rock.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C105: Stabilized Construction Entrance
- BMP C106: Wheel Wash
- BMP C107: Construction Road/Parking Area Stabilization

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #3 – Control Flow Rates

Protect properties and waterways downstream of the project site from erosion due to increases in volume, velocity, and peak flow of stormwater runoff from the project site.

Permanent infiltration facilities shall not be used for flow control during construction unless specifically approved by the Environmental Department. Sediment traps can provide flow control for small sites by allowing water to pool and allowing sediment to settle out of the water.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C207: Check Dams
- BMP C240: Sediment Trap

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element 4 – Install Sediment Controls

Surface water runoff from disturbed areas must pass through an appropriate sediment removal device prior to leaving a construction site or discharging into a waterbody. Sediment barriers are typically used to slow stormwater sheet flow and allow the sediment to settle out behind the barrier.

Sediment controls must be installed/constructed prior to site grading.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C208: Triangular Silt Dike
- BMP C232: Gravel Filter Berm
- BMP C233: Silt Fence
- BMP C235: Straw Wattles

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #5 – Stabilize Soils

Stabilize exposed and unworked soils by applying BMPs that protect the soils from raindrop impact, flowing water, and wind.

From October 1 through April 30, no soils shall remain exposed or unworked for more than 2 days. From May 1 to September 30, no soils shall remain exposed or unworked for more than 7 days. This applies to all soils whether at final grade or not.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C120: Temporary and Permanent Seeding
- BMP C121: Mulching
- BMP C122: Nets and Blankets
- BMP C123: Plastic Covering
- BMP C140: Dust Control

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #6 – Protect Slopes

Protect slopes by diverting water at the top of the slope. Reduce slope velocities by minimizing the continuous length of the slope.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C200: Interceptor Dike and Swale
- BMP C204: Pipe Slope Drains
- BMP C207: Check Dams

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #7 – Protect Drain Inlets

All operable storm drain inlets must be protected during construction so that stormwater runoff does not enter the conveyance system without first being filtered or treated to remove sediment. Install catch basin protection on all catch basins within 500 feet downstream of the project.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C220: Storm Drain Inlet Protection

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #8 – Stabilize Channels and Outlets

Stabilize all temporary onsite conveyance channels. Provide stabilization to prevent erosion of outlets, adjacent stream banks, slopes, and downstream reaches at the conveyance system outlets.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C202: Channel Lining
- BMP C209: Outlet Protection

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #9 – Control Pollutants

Handle and dispose of all pollutants, including demolition debris and other solid wastes in a manner that does not cause stormwater contamination. Provide cover and containment for all chemicals, liquid products (including paint), petroleum products, and other materials. Handle all concrete and concrete waste appropriately.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C150: Materials on Hand
- BMP C151: Concrete Handling
- BMP C152: Sawcutting and Surface Pollution Prevention
- BMP C153: Material Delivery, Storage and Containment

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #10 – Control Dewatering

Clean, non-turbid dewatering water, such as groundwater, can be discharged to the stormwater system provided the dewatering flow does not cause erosion or flooding of receiving waters.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C150: Materials on Hand

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #11 – Maintain BMPs

Maintain and repair temporary erosion and sediment control BMPs as needed. Inspect all BMPs at least weekly and after every storm event.

Remove all temporary erosion and sediment control BMPs within 30 days after final site stabilization or if the BMP is no longer needed. Any sediment trapped during construction activities should be removed or stabilized onsite. No sediment shall be discharged into the stormwater drainage system or any natural conveyance system (e.g., streams).

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C160: Certified Erosion and Sediment Control Lead

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Element #12 – Manage the Project

Phase development projects to prevent soil erosion and the transport of sediment from the project site during construction. Coordinate all work prior initial construction with subcontractors and other utilities to ensure no areas are worked prematurely.\

A designated erosion and sediment control person is required for all construction projects. This person is responsible for ensuring that the project's erosion and sediment control BMPs are appropriate for the site and are functioning properly. They are also responsible for updating the SWPPP as necessary as site conditions warrant. They must be available 24 hours a day to ensure compliance.

Applicable BMPs include:

- BMP C160: Certified Erosion and Sediment Control Lead
- BMP C162: Scheduling
- BMP C180: Small Project Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention

☐ The BMP(s) being proposed to meet this element are:

OR

☐ This element is not required for this project because:

Table 1. Applicable BMPs for the 12 Elements of a SWPPP

Element #1 – Mark Clearing Limits		
BMP C101	Preserving Natural Vegetation	
BMP C102	Buffer Zones	
BMP C103	High Visibility Plastic and Wire Fence	
BMP C104	Stake and Wire Fence	
Element #2 – Establish Construction Entrance		
BMP C105	Stabilized Construction Entrance	
BMP C106	Wheel Wash	
BMP C107	Construction Road/Parking Area Stabilization	
Element #3 – Control Flow Rates		
BMP C207	Check Dams	
BMP C240	Sediment Trap	
Element #4 – Install Sediment Controls		
BMP C208	Triangular Silt Trap	
BMP C232	Gravel Filter Berm	
BMP C233	Silt Fence	
BMP C235	Straw Wattles	
Element #5 – Stabilize Soils		
BMP C120	Temporary and Permanent Seeding	
BMP C121	Mulching	
BMP C122	Nets and Blankets	
BMP C123	Plastic Covering	
BMP C140	Dust Control	
Element #6 – Protect Slopes		
BMP C200	Interceptor Dike and Swale	
BMP C204	Pipe Slope Drains	
BMP C207	Check Dams	
Element #7 – Protect Drain Inlets		
BMP C220	Storm Drain Inlet Protection	
Element #8 – Stabilize Channels and Outlets		
BMP C202	Channel Lining	
BMP C209	Outlet Protection	
Element #9 – Control Pollutants		
BMP C150	Materials on Hand	

Element #9 – Control Pollutants, cont.		
BMP C151	Concrete Handling	
BMP C152	Sawcutting and Surfacing Pollution Prevention	
BMP C153	Materials, Delivery, Storage and Containment	
Element #10 – Control Dewatering		
BMP C150	Materials on Hand	
Element #11 – Maintain BMPs		
BMP C160	Certified Erosion and Sediment Control Lead	
Element #12 – Manage the Project		
BMP C160	Certified Erosion and Sediment Control Lead	
BMP C162	Scheduling	
BMP C180	Small Project Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention	

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APPENDIX B

NEPA CATEGORICAL

EXCLUSION

FRA Categorical Exclusion Worksheet

Expiration date: 01/31/2025

OMB No. 2130-0615

Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 156 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, a federal agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 2130-0615. All responses to this collection of information are mandatory. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection, including suggestions for reducing this burden to: Information Collection Officer, Federal Railroad Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave., S.E., Washington D.C. 20590.

Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION WORKSHEET

For Agency Use: Categorical Exclusion Signature Approval

Date Class of Action was Determined by FRA: 11.1.22

Date Completed Document was Received by FRA: 12.22.22

Reviewed By:

Date: 1.24.23

Concurrence by Approving Official:

Date:

For Agency Use: Section 4(f) Evaluation

Will the Project result in the use of a resource protected by 49 U.S.C. §303 [Section 4(f)] of the Department of Transportation Act of 1966?

If answer is 'YES,' please include Section 4(f) documentation and coordination letters.

☐ YES

☒ NO

For Agency Use: FRA Required Mitigation

Does FRA require additional mitigation for this Project?

If answer is 'YES,' please indicate additional mitigation in Section T below.

☐ YES

☒ NO

For Agency Use: Unusual Circumstances

Did FRA find that the Project falls within § 771.116 (b) Any action that normally would be classified as a CE but could involve unusual circumstances?

If answer is 'YES,' please indicate under Project Description below, what FRA coordination and appropriate environmental studies were conducted to determine if the CE classification is proper.

☐ YES

☒ NO

Federal Railroad Administration (FRA)
CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION WORKSHEET

The purpose of this worksheet is to assist Project Sponsors in gathering and organizing materials for environmental analysis required under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), particularly for projects that may qualify as Categorical Exclusions (CE). CEs are categories of actions (i.e. types of projects) that the FRA has determined, based on its experience, normally do not have a significant effect on the human environment and which generally do not require the preparation of either an environmental impact statement (EIS) or an environmental assessment (EA). Decisions to prepare EAs and EISs are made by FRA.

The Project Sponsor is responsible for providing FRA with a sufficient level of documentation and analysis to help inform FRA's determination that a CE is the appropriate NEPA class of action. Documentation and analysis may include background research, results of record searches, field investigations, field surveys, and any past planning or studies.

Note: Submission of this worksheet by itself does not meet FRA's NEPA requirements. FRA must make a final determination that a CE is appropriate. This worksheet also does not demonstrate compliance with other Federal laws that may be applicable to the Project. For questions regarding FRA's NEPA requirements, please contact FRAenvironment@dot.gov.

Instructions for completing this CE worksheet are available on the FRA website at:
<https://www.fra.dot.gov/Page/P0550>.

Submit the following documents along with this worksheet:

1. Map(s) or diagram(s) of the Project area that identify locations of critical resource areas, wetlands, potential historic sites, or sensitive noise receptors such as schools, hospitals, and residences.
2. Map(s) or diagram(s) of the proposed modifications to existing railways, roadways, and parking facilities.
3. Copies of all agency correspondence particularly with permitting agencies.
4. Representative photographs of the Project area.
5. Any technical memoranda or report(s) developed to support this CE worksheet.

I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project Sponsor Name The Port of Tacoma	Date Submitted to FRA 10/31/2022	FRA Funding Program or other FRA Action Triggering NEPA (Unfunded) CRISI FY21
Project Sponsor Contact Cassandra de Kanter	Project Sponsor Phone 253.888.4748	Project Sponsor E-mail address cdekanter@nwseaportalliance.com
Proposed Project Title (verify with FRA Regional Manager if part of a grant award and list grant award number) Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade		
Location (Include Street Address, City or Township, County, and State) The project is located within the Port of Tacoma, Washington at 2603 SR 509 N. Frontage Road (47deg14'54.60" N / 122deg23'24.93" W).		
FRA NEPA Contact Jamie Larkin	FRA NEPA Contact Phone (202)604-3828	FRA NEPA Contact E-mail address Jamie.Larkin@dot.gov

Description of Project:

Fully describe the Project. The description should focus on Project elements that may be of environmental concern, such as: *widening an embankment to stabilize roadbed; repairing or replacing bridge pier foundations, extending culverts, adding rip-rap in a waterway; earthwork and altering natural (existing) drainage patterns and creating a new water discharge; contaminated water needing treatment; building a new or adding on to a shop building; fueling or collection of fuel or oil and contaminated water; building or extending a siding; and building or adding on to a yard. Also, identify the proposed construction schedule if known. Where applicable, fully describe the operational characteristics of the facility to be improved by the Project and any anticipated operational changes that may result.*

The Northwest Seaport Alliance (NWSA) and the Port of Tacoma (POT) propose to perform railroad track and tie maintenance activities at the Banana Yard located in the Port of Tacoma. The purpose of the proposed project is to upgrade and repair existing rail infrastructure. Project elements include:

- Replacement of approximately 15 existing turnouts
 - The replacement of the 15 turnouts includes the use of standard equipment and personnel needed to excavate and place ballast, import and export ballast, place pre-assembled turnouts, remove existing turnouts, bolt or weld rail joints and asphalt paving equipment.

All work will occur within the existing previously disturbed railroad right-of-way (ROW). Project activities will be accessed from existing approach points/access roads. Project limits are illustrated in Attachment 1.

Property Acquisition:

Describe the need to acquire property for the project, such as temporary easements for construction or permanent easements or right-of-way. Also, discuss outreach to the property owners and any concerns or possible opposition.

Property acquisition is not required for the completion of the proposed project. All project activities will occur within the existing railroad ROW.

Note: A Project Sponsor must obtain authorization from FRA before acquiring property prior to completing the NEPA process and receiving written FRA concurrence in the NEPA recommendation or Federal financial participation in the Project may be jeopardized.

II. FRA CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION

Please identify below the CE category or categories below that best fits the Project:

☒ Project uses FRA CE found at 23 CFR § 771.116:

[\[list CE number and description\]](#)

(9) Maintenance or repair of existing railroad facilities, where such activities do not change the existing character of the facility, including equipment; track and bridge structures; electrification, communication, signaling, or security facilities; stations; tunnels; maintenance-of-way and maintenance-of-equipment bases.

(22) Track and track structure maintenance and improvements when carried out predominantly within the existing right-of-way that do not cause a substantial increase in rail traffic beyond existing or historic levels, such as stabilizing embankments, installing or reinstalling track, re-grading, replacing rail, ties, slabs and ballast, installing, maintaining, or restoring drainage ditches, cleaning ballast, constructing minor curve realignments, improving or replacing interlockings, and the installation or maintenance of ancillary equipment.

Note: If it is not clear if a CE category applies, [contact FRA](#). The Project may require an EA or EIS.

III. DISCUSSION OF EFFECTS

Analyze and identify potential impacts from both construction and changes to operations (where applicable) for each resource type below. Effects or impacts are reasonably foreseeable changes to the human environment, including those effects that occur at the same time and place and effects that are later in time or farther removed in distance from the proposed action or alternatives. Effects may be beneficial or detrimental. (40 CFR § 1508.1(g))

Where appropriate, the Project sponsor may commit to mitigation measures to avoid, reduce, or minimize impacts, including the use of Best Management Practices (BMP). Identify any mitigation measures necessary to comply with other laws or regulations in each section (e.g. Clean Water Act Section 404) and consider the impacts from mitigation.

Include reference to any technical reports, data collection methods (surveys, agency coordination), and compliance with applicable laws. Avoid noting specific location information about sensitive resources, which may include archaeological sites or threatened/endangered species.

Identify any resource topics that would not be affected by the proposed Project because the resource is not present in the Affected Environment. These topics do not require further discussion, except as noted in the corresponding section below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Land Use (B) | <input type="checkbox"/> Waters of the US (J) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Resources (C) | <input type="checkbox"/> Floodplains (K) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks and Recreational Facilities (D) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Quality (L) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation (E) | <input type="checkbox"/> Navigable Waterways (M) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noise and Vibration (F) | <input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Zones (N) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Air Quality (G) | <input type="checkbox"/> Important Farmlands (O) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous Materials and Waste (H) | <input type="checkbox"/> Listed Species (P) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communities and Environmental Justice (I) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety (Q) |

<p>A.</p>	<p>Affected Environment: <i>Define the limits of the Project or analysis area and briefly describe the environmental conditions in and surrounding the area (defined as broadly as necessary to evaluate potential impacts and include maps as appropriate).</i></p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way.</p>
<p>B.</p>	<p>Land Use: <i>Briefly describe the existing land use of the Project area and surrounding properties and resources and identify and discuss any potential inconsistencies the Project might have with local land use plans and policies.</i></p> <p>There would be no change to existing land use classifications. All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way.</p>
<p>C.</p>	<p>Cultural Resources: <i>Does the project include activities that have the potential to impact cultural resources (such as ground disturbing activities, building or landscape alterations, or the introduction of visual, audible or atmospheric elements)?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, explain how the Project is the type of activity that has the potential to impact cultural resources.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, explain how the Project is not the type of activity that has the potential to impact cultural resources. (Continue to D)</p> <p><i>Is a Federal agency program alternative, established under Advisory Council on Historic Preservation regulations (36 CFR 800.14), applicable to the Project (either fully or partially)?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, a program alternative applies. Program Comment FULLY Applies</p> <p>Explain applicability of the program alternative (Continue to D)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, there is no applicable program alternative.</p> <p><i>Note: Describe the: 1) Area of Potential Effects (APE); 2) identification of any cultural resources in the APE; 3) impact of the Project on cultural resources in the APE, if present; and 4) consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office. Attach relevant maps, correspondence, and reports.</i></p> <p>All project activities will occur within the previously-disturbed railroad ROW.</p> <p>Based on the scope of work, Section 106 compliance for this project is achieved using the <i>Program Comment to Exempt Consideration of Effects to Rail Properties Within Rail Rights-of-Way</i>, issued by the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation on 8.17.20 (83 FR 42920, 8.24.2018, and amended 84 FR 31075, 6.28.2019). The project meets the following exempted activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appendix A.II.A.1: Track and trackbed maintenance, repair, replacement, and upgrades within the existing footprint (i.e., existing subgrade, subballast, ballast, and rails and crossties (track)). These activities must not include alterations to the trackbed that would result in a substantial visual change (i.e., elevation or

	<p>alignment) in the relationship between the trackbed and the surrounding landscape or built environment.</p> <p>Section 106 compliance is achieved with the use of the ACHP's Program Comment, as noted above.</p> <p><i>What efforts have been made to determine if resources of interest to Federally-Recognized Indian Tribes are present in the Project area (e.g. archaeological sites, cultural landscapes, sacred places, or traditional use areas)</i></p> <p>Outreach to Tribes was not federally conducted considering all work is confined to existing railroad infrastructure within the existing railroad ROW. However, the Port of Tacoma conducts quarterly phone calls with the Puyallup Tribe of Indians (Tribe) Historic Preservation Office. The Tribe was notified of the project undertaking and project updates will be discussed during quarterly calls with the Tribe and the Port of Tacoma moving forward. Additionally, the Port of Tacoma plans to conduct a Cultural Resource Report during project construction for due diligence reasons.</p>
<p>D.</p>	<p>Parks and Recreational Facilities: <i>Are any parks, wildlife and waterfowl refuges, or recreational areas in or directly adjacent to the Project area?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, include a short statement describing efforts to identify parks, wildlife refuges, and recreational facilities in or adjacent to the Project area.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, include a detailed description of the property, including map or drawing, describe the recreational uses of the property, any unique characteristics of the property, identify if the property or resource may be protected under Section 4f of the Department of Transportation Act, and discuss any coordination with the entity with legal jurisdiction over the property.</p> <p><i>If Yes:</i> Would the Project result in "use" of a 4f property or resource per Section 4f?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, explain why</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the potential use(s) and coordinate further with FRA on additional documentation requirements.</p> <p><i>Would the Project result in other recreational impacts?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the potential impacts</p> <p>The proposed project may be adjacent to a park, wildlife and waterfowl refuge, or recreational area; however, all project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Therefore, due to the limited scope and nature of the work, the project will not affect parks and/or recreational facilities.</p>
<p>E.</p>	<p>Transportation: <i>Would the Project have any effect (beneficial or adverse) on transportation including but not limited to other railway operations, road traffic, pedestrian, or increase the demand for parking?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, explain why the Project would have no effect (beneficial or adverse) on transportation.</p>

	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe potential transportation, traffic, and parking impacts, and address capacity constraints and potential impacts to existing railroad and highway operations. Also, summarize any coordination that has occurred with other railroads or highway authorities whose operations this Project would be impacted.</p> <p>The proposed project is expected to have a beneficial impact on the ability for the rail lines to operate safely and efficiently. All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components.</p>
<p>F.</p>	<p>Noise and Vibration: <i>Are any sensitive receptors in or near the Project area?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, identify the steps taken to confirm no sensitive receptors (residences, parks, schools, hospitals, public gathering spaces) are in or near the Project area. (Continue to G)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, will the Project change the noise and/or vibration exposure of the sensitive receptors when applying the screening distances for noise and vibration assessment found in FRA's and the Federal Transit Administration's most recent noise impacts assessment guidance manuals. Such changes in exposure might include changes in noise emissions and/or noise events, or changes in vibration emissions and/or vibration events.</p> <p>Note: If the Project is anticipated to change the noise or vibration exposure of sensitive receptors, complete and attach a General Noise and/or Vibration Assessment. Describe the results of the Assessment and any mitigation that will address potential impacts.</p> <p>There may be sensitive receptors near the project area; however, all work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Therefore, due to the limited scope and nature of the work, the project would not change noise and/or vibration exposure levels.</p>
<p>G.</p>	<p>Air Quality: <i>Is the Project located in a National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) Non-Attainment or Maintenance area?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, identify any air emissions increases or benefits that the project will create. (Continue to H)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, for which of the following pollutants:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Carbon Monoxide (CO) <input type="checkbox"/> Ozone (O₃) <input type="checkbox"/> Particulate Matter (PM₁₀) or <input type="checkbox"/> PM_{2.5}</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nitrogen Oxide (NO_x) <input type="checkbox"/> Sulphur Dioxide (SO₂) <input type="checkbox"/> Lead (Pb)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Emissions from volatile organic compounds (VOC)</p> <p>Will the Project, during construction and/or operation, result in new emissions from: Carbon Monoxide (CO), Ozone (O₃), Particulate Matter (PM₁₀ or PM_{2.5}), Nitrogen Oxide (NO_x), Sulphur Dioxide (SO₂) and Lead (Pb) or volatile organic compounds?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, attach an analysis showing the emissions for the applicable pollutant that would result from construction and operation of the Project.</p> <p>Note: In some cases, FRA will require additional information to comply with the Clean Air Act's General Conformity requirements.</p>

	<p>The project falls under 40 CFR 93.153(c)(2)(iv) and is considered routine maintenance and repair activities. The project would not result in increased ozone emissions as work is a maintenance activity and construction impacts are considered minimal.</p>
<p>H.</p>	<p>Hazardous Materials and Waste: <i>Would the Project involve the use, handling, disposal, or disturbance of hazardous materials or waste?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, describe the steps taken to determine that hazardous materials or waste would not be a concern (continue to I)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the concerns and measures that will mitigate any potential for release and contamination.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. The rehabilitation and replacement work would not involve the use, handling, disposal, or disturbance of hazardous materials or waste.</p> <p><i>If yes, is it likely that hazardous materials will be encountered as a result of the Project? (Prior to acquiring land or a facility with FRA funds, consult with FRA regarding the potential presence of hazardous materials)</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, explain why it is unlikely that hazardous materials will be encountered.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, complete a Phase I site assessment and attach.</p> <p><i>If a Phase I survey was completed, is a Phase II site assessment recommended?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, provide a copy of the Phase II site assessment and describe mitigation and clean-up measures to remediate any hazardous materials present identified in the Phase II site assessment, and describe what steps will be taken to ensure that the local community is protected from contamination during construction and operation of the Project.</p>
<p>I.</p>	<p>Communities and Environmental Justice: <i>Is the Project likely to result in impacts to adjacent communities? Impacts might be both beneficial (e.g. economic benefits) or adverse (e.g. reduction in community cohesion).</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, describe the steps taken to determine whether the Project might result in impacts to adjacent communities. (Continue to L)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, characterize the socio-economic profile of the affected community, including the presence of minority or low-income populations.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Therefore, due to the limited scope and nature of the work, the project would not significantly affect adjacent communities, nor have a disproportionately high or adverse impact on any low income or minority populations in the project area.</p>

	<p>Describe any potential adverse effects to communities, including noise, visual and barrier effects. Indicate whether the Project could have a disproportionately high and adverse effect on minority or low-income populations. Describe outreach efforts targeted specifically at minority or low-income populations.</p>
J.	<p>Waters of the US.: Would the Project temporarily or permanently impact wetlands or require alterations to streams or waterways?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, describe the steps taken to determine that the Project is not likely to temporarily or permanently impact wetlands or require alterations to streams or waterways. (Continue to M)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, show wetlands and waters on the site map and classification. Describe the Project's potential impact to on-site and adjacent wetlands and waters and attach any correspondence with the US Army Corps of Engineers.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. If impacts to waters are anticipated as project progresses, grantee will obtain any required permits.</p> <p>Is a Section 404 Permit necessary?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, attach all permit related documentation</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
K.	<p>Floodplains: Is any portion of the Project area located within a 100-year floodplain, a special flood hazard area, or regulated floodway?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No (Continue to N)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the potential for impacts due to changes in floodplain capacity or water flow, if any and how the Project will comply with Executive Order 11988.</p> <p>If impacts are likely, attach scale maps describing potential impacts and describe any coordination with regulatory entities.</p> <p>Project activities are limited to previously disturbed railroad ROW located on existing railroad corridors and may occur within floodplains. However, due to the limited scope and nature of the work, the project is would not significantly affect floodplain functions and values.</p>
L.	<p>Water Quality: Are waters of special quality or concern, or protected drinking water resources present at or adjacent to the Project area?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, describe the proximity of the project area to surface waters and the steps taken to identify protected waters of special quality or concern, or protected drinking water resources present at or adjacent to the Project area.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe surface and/or ground water resources and the potential for impact from the Project.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Given the limited scope and location</p>

	<p>of the work, should waters of special quality or concern or protected drinking water resources be encountered, they would not be significantly adversely affected by the rail replacement and rehabilitation work.</p> <p><i>Is a Section 402 Permit necessary?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, attach all permit related documentation</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
M.	<p>Navigable Waterways: <i>Would the Project cross or affect a navigable waterway?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No (continue to P)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe potential for impact and any coordination with US Coast Guard and/or US Army Corps of Engineers.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. The project may cross a navigable waterway on existing infrastructure, but no impacts to waterways are expected.</p>
N.	<p>Coastal Zones: <i>Is the Project in a designated coastal zone as defined in 16 U.S.C. 1453(1) or does it have the potential to affect coastal resources?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (continue to Q)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe coordination with the applicable coastal state(s) regarding consistency with the coastal zone management plan and attach the coastal state's finding if available.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Projects may occur within designated coastal zones. However, due to the limited scope and nature of the work, the project is not expected to impact coastal resources significantly or adversely.</p>
O.	<p>Important Farmlands: <i>Would the Project impact any prime or unique farmlands?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, describe the steps taken to identify impacts to important farmlands.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe potential for impact and any coordination with the Natural Resources Conservation Service of the US Department of Agriculture.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. The project would not result in changes to current land use classification or land management activities; therefore, it would not significantly impact prime or unique farmlands.</p>
P.	<p>Listed Species: <i>Does designated critical habitat overlap the Project area?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No (continue to next question).</p>

	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, identify species with critical habitat that overlaps and describe the steps taken to verify field conditions and the potential for impact.</p> <p>Although the proposed project could be adjacent to designated critical habitat, the action area is limited to previously-disturbed railroad ROW located on existing railroad corridors. All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Therefore, FRA has determined that the project will not directly or indirectly affect any designated or proposed critical habitat that may be in the action area.</p> <p><i>Is habitat for any threatened, endangered, or other special-status species located in or adjacent to the Project area?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No, describe the steps taken to determine that no special-status species would be affected.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the species and their habitat and the potential for impact.</p> <p>Although the proposed project could be adjacent to habitat suitable for federally listed or candidate species, the action area is limited to previously-disturbed railroad ROW located on existing railroad corridors. All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Therefore, the FRA has determined that the project would have “no effect” on federally listed or candidate species.</p> <p><i>Describe any coordination with the US Fish and Wildlife Service, National Marine Fisheries Service, or State, as appropriate, about the impacts to critical habitat and to threatened and endangered species. If additional consultation is required, contact FRA to prepare a biological assessment and attach it and any applicable agency correspondence.</i></p>
<p>Q.</p>	<p>Public Safety: <i>Will the Project result in any public safety impacts?</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, describe method used to determine whether the Project results in any safety or security impacts.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, describe the impacts to safety or security and any measures that would need to be taken to provide for the safe and secure operation of the Project during and after its construction.</p> <p>All work is to replace and/or upgrade existing railroad infrastructure components. Project activities, to include project access, staging, and construction, will occur within existing previously-disturbed railroad right-of-way. Therefore, the project is not anticipated to result in any public safety or security impacts.</p>
<p>R.</p>	<p>Mitigation: Describe all mitigation measure commitments as noted on CE worksheet, which address identified impacts that have been incorporated into the Project, if any.</p> <p><i>What is the Project sponsor’s plan to enforce and monitor the mitigation proposed?</i></p> <p><i>What are FRA’s additional mitigation requirements (if any)?</i></p> <p>Water Resources: If impacts to waters are anticipated as project progresses, grantee will obtain any required permits.</p>

S.	<p>Public Notification: <i>Briefly describe any public outreach efforts undertaken on behalf of the Project, if any. Indicate opportunities the public has had to comment on the Project (e.g., Board meetings, open houses, special hearings).</i></p> <p>Has the Project generated any public discussion or concern, even though it may be limited to a relatively small subset of the community? Indicate any concerns expressed by agencies or the public regarding the Project.</p>
T.	<p>Other Resource Area: <i>Use this section only if the project affects another resource area not otherwise listed.</i></p>
U.	<p>Related Federal, State, or Local Actions: <i>Does the Project require any additional actions (e.g., permits) pursuant to another Federal environmental law? Attach copies of relevant correspondence with Federal permitting agency. It is not necessary to attach voluminous permit applications if a single cover agency transmittal will indicate that a permit has been granted. Describe permitting issues in the relevant resource discussion above.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act <i>Historic Properties</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 401/404 of the Clean Water Act <i>Waters of the U.S.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 402 of the Clean Water Act <i>Water Quality</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 9 or 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act <i>Navigable Waterways</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Migratory Bird Treaty Act</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Endangered Species Act <i>Threatened and Endangered Species</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act <i>Essential Fish Habitat</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Safe Drinking Water Act</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 4(f) Department of Transportation Act</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Section 6(f) Land and Conservation Act</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other Federal Requirements (Describe)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other State or Local Requirements (Describe)</p>

ATTACHMENT 1



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Notes

SCALE 1: 8,706

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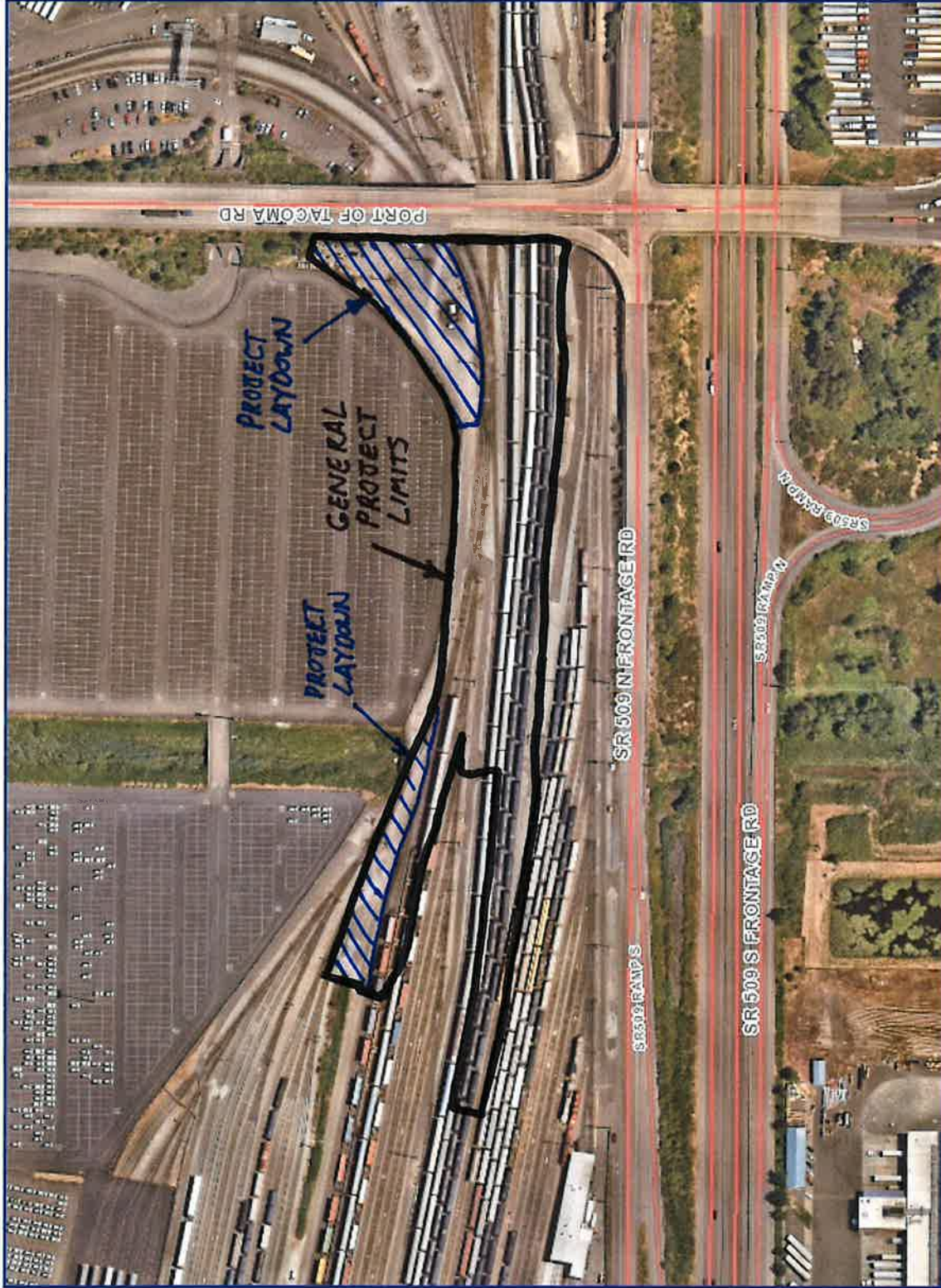
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APPENDIX C

INADVERTANT DISCOVERY

PLAN



SECTION 2 - INADVERTENT DISCOVERY PLAN

(Cultural Resources Investigation Information methods/Results) In the event that cultural resources are encountered during construction-related activities, this document serves as the plan for dealing with the inadvertent discoveries of human remains, artifacts, sites, or any other cultural resources during the project.

- Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade Project: Construction
- Attachment A provides a project summary and contacts to call in the event of a discovery.

Instructions: Please insert responsible official in blanks.

This plan will provide the Puyallup Tribe of Indians (PTOI) employees, _____ Port of Tacoma (Port) _____ and any involved contractors and their employees with the appropriate protocols and procedures so they can:

- Utilize as guidance for treatment, Chapter 27.44 Indian Graves and Records, Chapter 27.53 Archaeological Sites and Resources, and Chapter 68.60 Section 68.60.050 Protection of Historic Graves of the Revised Code of Washington (RCW);
- Describe to regulatory and review agencies the procedures the PTOI and _____ Port _____ will follow to prepare for and deal with inadvertent discoveries; and,
- Understand and follow the procedures and protocols established in this document should an inadvertent discovery occur.

Procedures for the Discovery of Cultural Resources

1. If any PTOI or _____ Port _____ employee, contractors or subcontractors suspects the inadvertent discovery of a cultural resource, all ground disturbing, construction or other activities around the immediate area of the discovery shall cease. A cultural resource may include an archaeological or historical resource.

An **archaeological resource** is defined in RCW 27.53.040 as:

All sites, objects, structures, artifacts, implements, and locations of prehistoric or archaeological interest, whether previously recorded or still unrecognized, including, but not limited to, those pertaining to prehistoric and historic American Indian or aboriginal burials, campsites, dwellings, and habitation sites, including rock shelters and caves, their artifacts and implements of culture such as projectile points, arrowheads, skeletal remains, grave goods, basketry, pestles, mauls and grinding stones, knives, scrapers, rock carvings and paintings, and other implements and artifacts of any material that are located in, on, or under the surface of any



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lands or waters owned by or under the possession, custody, or control of the state of Washington or any county, city, or political subdivision of the state are hereby declared to be archaeological resources.

A **historical resource** is defined in RCW 27.53.030 (11):

. . .mean[ing] those properties which are listed in or eligible for listing in the Washington State Register of Historic Places (Washington Heritage Register [WHR]) (RCW 27.34.220) or the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) as defined in the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Title 1, Sec. 101, Public Law 89-665; 80 Stat. 915; 16 U.S.C. Sec. 470) as now or hereafter amended. Cultural resources may qualify for the WHR and/or the NRHP listing if they are intact, aged at least 50 years old, and at least one of the following:

- Are associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history; or
- Are associated with the lives of persons significant in our past; or Embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or that represent the work of a master, or that possess high artistic values, or that represent a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction; or
- Have yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

2. Upon discovery of a cultural resource, _____ Port _____ shall secure the area with a perimeter of not less than thirty (30) feet until all procedures are completed and the parties agree that activities can resume. If such a perimeter would materially impact agency functions mandated by law, related to health, safety or environmental concerns, then the secured area shall be of a size and extent practicable to provide maximum protection to the resource under the circumstances. Work in the immediate area will not resume until all procedures are completed and the parties agree that activities can resume.

3. The qualified archaeologist, in coordination with the Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP), will evaluate all inadvertently discovered cultural resources that may be considered eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) and recommend whether the cultural resource is eligible for listing in the NRHP. If the discovery is considered eligible, the DAHP and the concerned Indian Tribe(s) will consult to determine appropriate treatment, including but not limited to, photography, mapping, sampling, etc.

4. _____ Port _____ shall ensure that its appropriate personnel, contractors and permittees follow procedures stipulated in this Agreement and treat all human remains, cultural items and potential historic properties with respect.

Human Remains and Associated Funerary Objects

5. If human remains are found, _____ Port _____ shall immediately notify Tribal Police who will contact the tribal archaeologist, the Tacoma Police Department, and/or the County Coroner to determine whether the remains are Native American and to eliminate the



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site as a crime scene. Any potential or actual human remains and/or associated funerary objects shall remain in place, unwashed, un-cleaned and without analysis, with minimal disturbance and left in the original location until the remains can be determined to not be of significant cultural value by a professional archaeologist qualified to identify human skeletal remains.

6. If the human skeletal remains are determined to be Native American, PTOI will notify the DAHP and the concerned Indian Tribe(s). PTOI shall continue to maintain the remains and any associated funerary objects in place, unwashed, unexamined and undisturbed until the concerned Indian Tribe(s), the DAHP determine an appropriate treatment. All parties shall give due consideration to and honor, to the extent possible, requests by the Tribe to leave the remains and/or other cultural items undisturbed and in place. Should the Tribe request to conduct ceremonies or other traditional activities with respect to the remains at the site where the remains were found, PTOI will accommodate such requests to the maximum and practical extent possible.

7. If human remains, funerary objects and/or artifacts are inadvertently collected during any archaeological investigation and identified as Native American in the field or in the laboratory, COT will notify and return the remains, objects and/or artifacts to concerned Indian Tribe(s) within twenty-four (24) hours of the identification, to the extent possible. Such human remains, funerary objects and/or artifacts shall remain unwashed and without further analysis.

Confidentiality of Information

8. All involved parties shall make its best efforts to ensure that its appropriate personnel, contractors, and permittees keep the discovery of all inadvertent discoveries confidential, including but not limited to, refraining from contacting the media or any third party or otherwise sharing information regarding the discovery with any member of the public. Prior to any release, COT, concerned Tribe(s), and the DAHP, shall concur on the amount of information, if any, to be released to the public, any third party, and the media and the procedures for such a release, to the extent permitted by law.

CONTACT INFORMATION (Agencies, Companies, Departments)

- See Attachment A.
- In the event of a discovery, the discovering party (i.e., contractor) shall notify the Port and the Port will notify the parties listed in this IDP and Attachment A.

Signature of Applicant: _____



Tony Warfield

**Attachment A - Project Summary & Contact Information
For
Inadvertent Discovery Plan
Port of Tacoma's
Banana Yard Rail Switch Upgrade Project
Tacoma, Washington
November 17, 2023**

The Port of Tacoma (Port) intends to replace/upgrade rail switches at the Port's Banana Yard. Those switches are used to move rail cars from one track to another in either building or breaking a train. The switches are primarily in the rock rail ballast. It is possible, but unlikely, that excavation could be required beyond the rock ballast into native soils. The work generally consists of:

1. Removal and replacement of fifteen No 9 turnouts. Five of the turnouts shall be constructed in crossover configurations.
2. Removal of existing ballast and placement of new ballast for new turnout construction.
3. Furnishing, lining, grading, and compaction of new turnouts and trackwork.
4. Removal and replacement of existing paved railroad crossings.

Monitoring

Any excavation beyond the ballast and into native soils will be observed by Aqua Terra, a cultural and historic resource consulting firm. A qualified archaeologist from Aqua Terra will be on site for those observations. Further, the Puyallup Tribe of Indians Archaeologist, Mike Shong, will be provided the opportunity to observe excavations in native soils.

Contacts

Upon any discovery of cultural resources, the discovering party (i.e., contractor) shall immediately notify the Port and secure the area per the IDP paragraph 2. The Port shall notify the contacts in the IDP and this Attachment A.

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P.O. Box 1837, Tacoma, WA 98401

- Primary Contact: **Norman Gilbert**, Engineering Project Manager, 253.383.9406 or 253.753.0617 (mobile); ngilbert@portoftacoma.com
- Alternate Contact: Tony Warfield, Senior Environmental Project Manager, 253-428-8632 (desk & mobile [no text]); twarfield@portoftacoma.com

Puyallup Tribe

Attention: Tribal Chairman, 3009 Portland Ave, Tacoma, Washington 98404

Lead Representative: Bill Sterud, Chairman, 253-370-6935

- Primary Contact: Brandon Reynon, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO), 253-573-7965 or 253-442-9361 (mobile); brandon.reynon@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov
- Alternate Contact: Jennifer Keating, Assistant THPO, 253-382-6073 or 253-549-5397 (mobile); jennifer.m.keating@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov
- Alternate Contact: Michael Shong, Archaeologist, 253-354-9060 (mobile); Mike.Shong@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov

Tacoma Police Department

3701 South Pine Street, Tacoma, WA 98409

Lead Representative: Avery Moore, Chief of Police, 253-287-4455

Washington Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

PO Box 48343, Olympia, Washington 98504-8343

Lead Representative: Allyson Brooks, State Historic Preservation Officer, 360-480-6922; Allyson.Brooks@dahp.wa.gov

Pierce County Medical Examiner's Office

3619 Pacific Avenue, Tacoma, Washington 98418

Lead Representative: Karen Cline-Parhamovich, DO, Chief Medical Examiner, 253-798-6494

City of Tacoma Historic Preservation Office

747 Market Street, Tacoma, WA 98402

- Primary Contact: Reuben McKnight, Historic Preservation Officer, 253-591-5220
- Alternate Contact: Susan Johnson, Historic Preservation Coordinator, 253-281-7445



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