

Bond No: 9470110

**PERFORMANCE BOND
Contract No. OCWUT00092
Southwest Water Works LLC**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Southwest Water Works LLC, as Contractor,
and Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, as Surety, are severally and
jointly held and firmly bound unto City of Oklahoma City and it's participating Trusts, referred to in
the Bidding Documents and herein as "Awarding Public Agency" in the sum of
Two Million and 00/100----Dollars (\$ 2,000,000.00),
such sum being equal to 100% of the Contract price, for the payment of sum amount, we, and each
of us, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and assigns, themselves, and its successors and assigns,
jointly and severally, firmly to the terms of this Bond by these presents.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Awarding Public Agency has caused to be prepared certain Bidding Documents; has caused Notice to Bidders; and has received bids for the above Project; and,

WHEREAS, Contractor, in response to said Notice to Bidders, has submitted to Awarding Public Agency a bid; in accordance with the Bidding Documents; and

WHEREAS, the Awarding Public Agency has determined Contractor to be a responsible bidder and has awarded, as stated by the Awarding Public Agency, this Contract for this Project, which Contract is hereby made a part and parcel of this Bond as if literally written herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Contractor shall fully and faithfully execute the work and perform said contract according to its terms, conditions, and covenants, and in exact accordance with the Bidding Documents and the Contract Documents, and according to certain plans and specifications heretofore made, adopted, and placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk of The City of Oklahoma City, and shall promptly pay or cause to be paid, all labor, material, equipment and/or repairs and all labor performed on said work, whether by subcontract or otherwise, and shall protect and save harmless the Awarding Public Agency and The City of Oklahoma City and all interested property owners against all claims, demands, causes of action, losses or damage, and expense to life or property suffered or sustained by any person, firm, or corporation by reason of negligence of the Contractor or his or its agents, servants, or employees in the construction or provision of said work, or by or in consequence of any improper execution of the work or act of

omission or use of inferior materials by said Contractor, or his or its agents, servants, or employees and shall protect the Awarding Public Agency and The City of Oklahoma City harmless from all suits and claims of infringement or alleged infringement of patent rights or processes, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise, this obligation shall remain in full force and effect.

IT IS FURTHER EXPRESSLY AGREED AND UNDERSTOOD by the parties hereto that no changes or alterations in said Contract and no deviations from the plan or mode of procedure herein fixed shall have the effect of releasing the sureties, or any of them, from the obligations of this Bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Contractor has caused these presents to be executed in its name by its duly authorized officer, agent or representative; and the said Surety has caused these presents by its attorney-in-fact duly authorized so to do.

ATTEST:

Contractor: Southwest Water Works LLC


(Secretary-Witness)

By: _____



As: _____





ATTEST:

Surety: Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland


(Secretary-Witness) Becky Killman

By: _____



As: Attorney-in-Fact Deborah L. Raper

SEE ATTACHED SIGNATURE PAGE.

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

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation of the State of New York, the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Illinois, and the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND a corporation of the State of Illinois (herein collectively called the "Companies"), by Robert D. Murray, Vice President, in pursuance of authority granted by Article V, Section 8, of the By-Laws of said Companies, which are set forth on the reverse side hereof and are hereby certified to be in full force and effect on the date hereof, do hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint to Clayton HOWELL, Vicki WILSON, Austin K. GREENHAW, J. Kelly DEER, Shelli R. SAMSEL, Travis E. BROWN, Jamie BURRIS, Vaughn P. GRAHAM, Vaughn P. GRAHAM, JR., Stephen M. POLEMAN, Deborah L. RAPER, Dwight A. PILGRIM, Gary LILES, Randy D. WEBB, Bobby Joe YOUNG, Aaron WOOLSEY, Carey L. KENNEMER, Kristin LEWIS, Joshua BRYAN, Becky KILLMAN of Tulsa, Oklahoma, its true and lawful agent and Attorney-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver, for, and on its behalf as surety, and as its act and deed: **any and all bonds and undertakings**, and the execution of such bonds or undertakings in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon said Companies, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY at its office in New York, New York., the regularly elected officers of the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY at its office in Owings Mills, Maryland., and the regularly elected officers of the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND at its office in Owings Mills, Maryland., in their own proper persons.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Vice-President has hereunto subscribed his/her names and affixed the Corporate Seals of the said ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, and FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND, this 04th day of January, A.D. 2024.



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

By: *Robert D. Murray*
Vice President

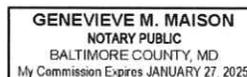
By: *Dawn E. Brown*
Secretary

**State of Maryland
County of Baltimore**

On this 04th day of January, A.D. 2024, before the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, duly commissioned and qualified, **Robert D. Murray, Vice President and Dawn E. Brown, Secretary** of the Companies, to me personally known to be the individuals and officers described in and who executed the preceding instrument, and acknowledged the execution of same, and being by me duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that he/she is the said officer of the Company aforesaid, and that the seals affixed to the preceding instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies, and that the said Corporate Seals and the signature as such officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said Corporations.

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

Genevieve M. Maison



Authenticity of this bond can be confirmed at bondvalidator.zurichna.com or 410-559-8790

EXTRACT FROM BY-LAWS OF THE COMPANIES

"Article V, Section 8, Attorneys-in-Fact. The Chief Executive Officer, the President, or any Executive Vice President or Vice President may, by written instrument under the attested corporate seal, appoint attorneys-in-fact with authority to execute bonds, policies, recognizances, stipulations, undertakings, or other like instruments on behalf of the Company, and may authorize any officer or any such attorney-in-fact to affix the corporate seal thereto; and may with or without cause modify or revoke any such appointment or authority at any time."

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Vice President of the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, and the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND, do hereby certify that the foregoing Power of Attorney is still in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that Article V, Section 8, of the By-Laws of the Companies is still in force.

This Power of Attorney and Certificate may be signed by facsimile under and by authority of the following resolution of the Board of Directors of the ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 15th day of December 1998.

RESOLVED: "That the signature of the President or a Vice President and the attesting signature of a Secretary or an Assistant Secretary and the Seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile on any Power of Attorney...Any such Power or any certificate thereof bearing such facsimile signature and seal shall be valid and binding on the Company."

This Power of Attorney and Certificate may be signed by facsimile under and by authority of the following resolution of the Board of Directors of the COLONIAL AMERICAN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 5th day of May, 1994, and the following resolution of the Board of Directors of the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND at a meeting duly called and held on the 10th day of May, 1990.

RESOLVED: "That the facsimile or mechanically reproduced seal of the company and facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any Vice-President, Secretary, or Assistant Secretary of the Company, whether made heretofore or hereafter, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seals of the said Companies, this 25th day of November, 2024.



Thomas O. McClellan
Vice President

TO REPORT A CLAIM WITH REGARD TO A SURETY BOND, PLEASE SUBMIT A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE CLAIM INCLUDING THE PRINCIPAL ON THE BOND, THE BOND NUMBER, AND YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION TO:

Zurich Surety Claims

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1299 Zurich Way
Schaumburg, IL 60196-1056
reportsfclaims@zurichna.com

800-626-4577

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APPROVED by the Trustees and signed by the Chairman of the Oklahoma City Water Utilities Trust this _____ day of _____, 20__.

ATTEST:

OKLAHOMA CITY WATER UTILITIES TRUST

SECRETARY

CHAIRMAN

CONCURRED by the Council and signed by the Mayor of The City of Oklahoma City this _____ day of _____, 20__.

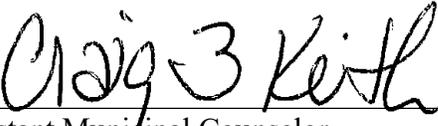
ATTEST:

THE CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY

CITY CLERK

MAYOR

REVIEWED for form and legality.



Assistant Municipal Counselor