

**SECTION 01 7700**

**CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES**

**PART 1 - GENERAL**

**1.01 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. Inspections
- B. Substantial Completion
- C. Project Record Documents
- D. Warranties
- E. Operations and Maintenance Manuals
- F. Operations and Maintenance Data for Materials and Finishes
- G. Operations and Maintenance Data for Equipment and Systems
- H. Training
- I. Final Completion
- J. Maintenance

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS – NOT USED**

**PART 3 - EXECUTION**

**3.01 INSPECTIONS**

- A. Ensure all state inspections have been completed by the authority having jurisdiction.
- B. Upload documentation of all test/inspections to Procore.
- C. Submit a written request for inspection of Substantial Completion. On receipt of request, The Design Professional will either proceed with inspection or notify contractor of unfulfilled requirements. The Design Professional will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify contractor of items, either on contractor's list or additional items identified by architect that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Re-inspection: Request re inspection when the work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
  - 2. Results of completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for Final Completion.

**3.02 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION**

- A. A substantial completion checklist is attached for reference following this specification section.
- B. Make submittals that are required by governing or other authorities.
  - 1. Provide copies to the Construction Manager through upload to Procore.
- C. Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete in request.
  - 1. Submit written certification that contract documents have been reviewed, work has been inspected, and that work is completed in accordance with contract documents and ready for review
  - 2. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the work has not been completed.
  - 3. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
  - 4. Make final changeover of permanent locks and deliver key to the owner. Advise owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
  - 5. Complete startup testing of systems.
  - 6. Submit test/adjust, balance records.

7. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from project site, along with mockups, construction tools, and similar elements.
8. Advise owner of changeover in heat and other utilities.
9. Submit changeover information related to owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
10. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touch up painting.
11. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.

### **3.03 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS**

- A. Maintain on site one set of the following record documents; record actual revisions to the work:
  1. Drawings
  2. Specifications
  3. Addenda
  4. Change orders and other modifications to the contract
  5. Reviewed shop drawings, product data, and samples
- B. Ensure entries are complete and accurate, enabling future reference by Owner.
- C. Store record documents separate from documents used for construction.
- D. Record information concurrent with construction progress, not less than weekly.
- E. Specifications: Legibly mark and record at each product section description of actual products installed, including the following:
  1. Manufacturer's name and product model and number.
  2. Product substitutions or alterations utilized.
  3. Changes made by Addenda and modifications.
- F. Record Drawings:
  1. Measured depths of foundations in relation to finish first floor datum.
  2. Measured horizontal and vertical locations of underground utilities and appurtenances, referenced to permanent surface improvements.
  3. Measured locations of internal utilities and appurtenances concealed in construction, referenced to visible and accessible features of the work.
  4. Field changes of dimension and detail.
  5. Details not on original contract drawings.
- G. Record Drawings shall be uploaded to Procore in pdf format.

### **3.04 WARRANTIES**

- A. Submit written warranties for designated portions of the work where commencement of warranties other than date of Substantial Completion is indicated.
- B. Submit properly executed warranties in Procore prior to Final Completion.
- C. Verify that documents are in proper form, contain full information, and are notarized.
- D. Organize warranty documents into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of the Project Manual.
- E. Include warranties in operation and maintenance manuals.
- F. Items of work delayed beyond date of Substantial Completion, provide updated submittal after acceptance by Owner, listing date of acceptance as start of warranty period

### **3.05 OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS**

- A. Format: Submit operations and maintenance manuals in the following format:
  1. Portable Document Format (PDF) electronic file. Assemble each manual into a composite electronically indexed file. Submit on digital media acceptable to Owner and upload to Procore.

- a. Name each indexed document file in composite electronic index with applicable item name. Include a complete electronically linked operation and maintenance directory.
2. Assemble with data arranged in the same sequence as, and identified by the specification sections. Where systems involve more than one specification section, provide separate index for each system.
3. Include project directory listing title and address of project, names, addresses, and telephone numbers of Architect, Consultants, Contractor and subcontractors, with names of responsible parties.
4. Include Table of Contents listing every item separated by index and specification section.
- B. Source Data: For each product or system, list names, addresses, and telephone numbers of subcontractors and suppliers, including local source of supplies and replacement parts.
- C. Product Data: Mark each sheet to clearly identify specific products and component parts, and data applicable to installation. Delete inapplicable information.
- D. Drawings: Supplement product data to illustrate relations of component parts of equipment and systems, to show control and flow diagrams. Do not use project record documents as maintenance drawings.
- E. Typed Text: As required to supplement product data. Provide logical sequence of instructions for each procedure, incorporating manufacturer's instructions.

### **3.06 OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE DATA FOR MATERIALS AND FINISHES**

- A. For each product, applied material, and finish:
  1. Product data, with catalog number, size, composition, and color and texture designations.
  2. Information for re-ordering custom manufactured products.
- B. Instructions for Care and Maintenance: Manufacturer's recommendations for cleaning agents and methods, precautions against detrimental cleaning agents and methods, and recommended schedule for cleaning and maintenance.
- C. Moisture protection and weather-exposed products: Include product data listing applicable reference standards, chemical composition, and details of installation. Provide recommendations for inspections, maintenance, and repair.
- D. Additional information as specified in individual product specification sections.
- E. Where additional instructions are required, beyond the manufacturer's standard printed instructions, have instructions prepared by personnel experienced in the operation and maintenance of the specified products.

### **3.07 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA FOR EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS**

- A. For each item of equipment and each system:
  1. Description of unit or system, and component parts
  2. Identify function, normal operating characteristics, and limiting conditions
  3. Include performance curves, with engineering data and tests
  4. Complete nomenclature and model number of replacement parts.
- B. Where additional instructions are required, beyond the manufacturer's standard printed instructions, have instructions prepared by personnel experienced in the operation and maintenance of the specified products.
- C. Panelboard Circuit Directories: Provide electrical service characteristics, controls, and communications; typed.
- D. Include color coded wiring diagrams as installed.
- E. Operating procedures: Include start-up, break-in, and routine normal operating instructions and sequences. Include regulation, control, stopping, shut-down, and emergency instructions. Include summer, winter, and any special operating instructions.

- F. Maintenance requirements: Include routine procedure and guide for preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly instructions; and alignment, adjusting, balancing, and checking instructions.
- G. Provide servicing and lubrication schedule and list of lubricants required.
- H. Include manufacturer's printed operation and maintenance instructions.
- I. Include sequence of operation by controls manufacturer.
- J. Provide original manufacturer's parts list, illustrations, assembly drawings, and diagrams required for maintenance.
- K. Provide control diagrams by controls manufacturer as installed.
- L. Provide contractor's coordination drawings, with color coded piping diagrams as installed.
- M. Provide charts of valve tag numbers, with location and function of each valve, keyed to flow and control diagrams.
- N. Provide list of original manufacturer's spare parts, current prices, and recommended quantities to be maintained in storage.
- O. Include test and balancing reports.
- P. Additional requirements: As specified in individual specification sections.

### **3.08 TRAINING**

- A. Demonstrate operations of systems, subsystems, and equipment.
- B. Train in operation and maintenance of systems, subsystems, and equipment
- C. Coordinate instruction schedule with Owner's operations. Adjust schedule as required to minimize disrupting Owner's operations and to ensure availability of Owner's personnel.
- D. Submit written agenda to Construction Manager for approval prior to scheduling training.
- E. Engage qualified instructors to instruct Owner's personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain systems, subsystems, and equipment not part of a system.

### **3.09 FINAL COMPLETION**

- A. A final completion checklist is attached for reference following this specification section.
- B. Before requesting final inspection for determining date of Final Completion, complete the following:
  - 1. Complete punch list items.
  - 2. Prepare and submit project record documents, operation and maintenance manuals, damage or settlement surveys, and similar final record information.
  - 3. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items to location designated by owner. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
  - 4. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems.
  - 5. All trailers, construction signs, unused, broken or demolition materials have been removed from the site and the premises returned to the original condition in the opinion of the Owner and Design Professional.
  - 6. Submit a final Application for Payment (retainage).
- C. Upon receipt of final payment complete final completion certificate in Procore.

**END OF SECTION**

## Substantial Completion Project Checklist

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

DAS Project Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to process the 99% payment (100% pay app less closeout and retainage) on a Capital Project, the Department of Administrative Services needs the following information. Please complete this form and obtain the necessary documents.

**Have all state inspections been completed and documentation uploaded to Procore?**  
*(Including but not limited to the following inspections)*

Boiler Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Water Heater Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Energy Code Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Building Code Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Electrical Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Elevator Inspection  Yes  No  N/A

Other: \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  N/A

Occupancy Permit if applicable

Test and Balance has been performed

Certificate of Substantial Completion in Procore (Consensus Docs 814)

**Are there any disputes with the above mentioned vendor which need resolution?**

**Yes (provide description below)**  **No**

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**Can payment (less closeout and retainage) be released?**  **Yes**  **No**

## Final Completion Project Checklist

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

DAS Project Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to process the 100% payment and Retainage payment on a Capital Project, the Department of Administrative Services needs the following information. Please complete this form and obtain the necessary documents.

Have all Warranties been received?  Yes  No

Have the Operations and Maintenance Manuals been received?  Yes  No

Who is in possession of the O & M Manuals? \_\_\_\_\_

Has all training been completed?  Yes  No

Have all as-built drawings been scanned and uploaded into Procore?  Yes  No

Have electronic drawing/specification files been transferred to DAS?  Yes  No

Have all Test & Balance reports been received?  Yes  No

Have all punchlist items been corrected?  Yes  No

**573 Notification** (*To be obtained from the general contractor*): Copy of general contractor's notification of application for retainage to all subcontractors and suppliers. General contractor must follow IAC 26 section 23.13.2.

**AIA Form G706 – Contractor's Affidavit of Payment of Debts and Claims**

**AIA Form G706A – Contractor's Affidavit of Release of Liens**

AIA Form G707 – Consent of Surety Company to Final Payment

Certificate of Final Completion in Procore (Consensus Docs 815)

Are there any disputes with the above mentioned vendor which need resolution?

Yes (provide description below)  No

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Can 100% payment and retainage payment be released?  Yes  No

**SECTION 02 4100  
DEMOLITION**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Selective demolition of building elements for alteration purposes.

1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Division 00: Existing building survey conducted by Owner; information about known hazardous materials.
- B. Division 01 - Limitations on Contractor's use of site and premises.
- C. Division 01 - Sequencing and staging requirements.
- D. Division 01 - Description of items to be removed by Owner.
- E. Division 01 - Description of items to be salvaged or removed for re-use by Contractor.
- F. Division 01 - Temporary Facilities and Controls: Site fences, security, protective barriers, and waste removal.
- G. Division 01 - Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control. .
- H. Division 01 - Product Requirements: Handling and storage of items removed for salvage and relocation.
- I. Division 01 - Execution and Closeout Requirements: Project conditions; protection of bench marks, survey control points, and existing construction to remain; reinstallation of removed products; temporary bracing and shoring.
- J. Division 01 - Construction Waste Management and Disposal: Limitations on disposal of removed materials; requirements for recycling.

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. NFPA 241 - Standard for Safeguarding Construction, Alteration, and Demolition Operations; 2022, with Errata (2021).

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Site Plan: Indicate:
  - 1. Areas for temporary construction and field offices.
- C. Demolition Plan: Submit demolition plan as required by OSHA and State AHJs.
  - 1. Indicate extent of demolition, removal sequencing, bracing and shoring, and location and construction of barricades and fences.
- D. Project Record Documents: Accurately record actual locations of capped and active utilities and subsurface construction.
- E. The Contractor shall submit utility service termination certificates, copies of demolition notices, and permits to the Architect/Engineer prior to removal.

- F. The Contractor shall submit demolition procedures and operational sequence for review and acceptance by the Architect/Engineer.
- G. Schedule indicating proposed sequence of operations for selective demolition work to Architect/Engineer for review prior to start of work. Include coordination for shutoff, capping, and continuation of utility services as required, together with details for dust and noise control protection.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **2.1 DEMOLITION**

- A. Remove portions of existing building as indicated in drawings.
- B. Remove other items indicated, for salvage, relocation, recycling, and reinstallation.
- C. Fill excavations, open pits, and holes in ground areas generated as result of removals, using specified fill; compact fill as specified in Division 03.

#### **2.2 GENERAL PROCEDURES AND PROJECT CONDITIONS**

- A. Comply with requirements in Division 01.
- B. Comply with applicable codes and regulations for demolition operations and safety of adjacent structures and the public.
  - 1. Obtain required permits.
  - 2. Comply with applicable requirements of NFPA 241.
  - 3. Use of explosives is not permitted.
  - 4. Take precautions to prevent catastrophic or uncontrolled collapse of structures to be removed; do not allow worker or public access within range of potential collapse of unstable structures.
  - 5. Provide, erect, and maintain temporary barriers and security devices.
  - 6. Conduct operations to minimize effects on and interference with adjacent structures and occupants.
  - 7. Do not close or obstruct roadways or sidewalks without permits from authority having jurisdiction.
  - 8. Conduct operations to minimize obstruction of public and private entrances and exits. Do not obstruct required exits at any time. Protect persons using entrances and exits from removal operations.
  - 9. Obtain written permission from owners of adjacent properties when demolition equipment will traverse, infringe upon, or limit access to their property.
- C. Do not begin demolition until receipt of notification to proceed from Owner.
- D. Protect existing structures and other elements to remain in place and not removed.
  - 1. Provide bracing and shoring.
  - 2. Prevent movement or settlement of adjacent structures.
  - 3. Stop work immediately if adjacent structures appear to be in danger.

- E. Minimize production of dust due to demolition operations. Do not use water if that will result in ice, flooding, sedimentation of public waterways or storm sewers, or other pollution.
- F. Hazardous Materials:
  - 1. If hazardous materials are discovered during removal operations, stop work and notify Architect/Engineer and Owner; hazardous materials include regulated asbestos containing materials, lead, PCBs, and mercury.
- G. Perform demolition in a manner that maximizes salvage and recycling of materials.
  - 1. Dismantle existing construction and separate materials.
  - 2. Set aside reusable, recyclable, and salvageable materials; store and deliver to collection point or point of reuse.
- H. Accurately record locations of capped utilities and subsurface obstructions on the Contractor's record drawing set.
- I. All sewers, drainage pipe, and floor drains which have been or are to be abandoned shall be permanently sealed at the ends with bulkheads constructed of concrete, having a minimum thickness of 8 inch (200 mm). No direct payment will be made for blocking abandoned sewers, drainage pipes, or floor drains.

### 2.3 EXISTING UTILITIES

- A. Coordinate work with utility companies. Notify utilities before starting work, comply with their requirements, and obtain required permits.
- B. Protect existing utilities to remain from damage.
- C. Do not disrupt public utilities without permit from authority having jurisdiction.
- D. Do not close, shut off, or disrupt existing life safety systems that are in use without at least 7 days prior written notification to Owner.
- E. Do not close, shut off, or disrupt existing utility branches or take-offs that are in use without at least 3 days prior written notification to Owner.
- F. Locate and mark utilities to remain; mark using highly visible tags or flags, with identification of utility type; protect from damage due to subsequent construction, using substantial barricades if necessary.
- G. Remove exposed piping, valves, meters, equipment, supports, and foundations of disconnected and abandoned utilities.
- H. Prepare building demolition areas by disconnecting and capping utilities outside the demolition zone. Identify and mark, in same manner as other utilities to remain, utilities to be reconnected.
- I. Contractor is responsible for the adjustment of all gas vents, manholes, castings, and water valves to match the new surface. Adjustments shall be coordinated with the utility companies and the cost for all adjustments shall be incidental to construction. Any damage to said structures and appurtenances, that occurs during construction, shall be repaired by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.

### 2.4 SELECTIVE DEMOLITION FOR ALTERATIONS

- A. Existing construction and utilities indicated on drawings are based on casual field observation and existing record documents only.
  - 1. Verify construction and utility arrangements are as indicated.
  - 2. Report discrepancies to Architect/Engineer before disturbing existing installation.

3. Beginning of demolition work constitutes acceptance of existing conditions that would be apparent upon examination prior to starting demolition.
- B. Separate areas in which demolition is being conducted from areas that remain occupied.
  1. Provide, erect, and maintain temporary dustproof partitions of construction specified in Section 01 5000 in locations indicated on drawings.
- C. Remove existing work as indicated and required to accomplish new work.
  1. Remove items indicated on drawings.
- D. Services including, but not limited to, HVAC, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Electrical, and Telecommunications: Remove existing systems and equipment as indicated.
  1. Maintain existing active systems to remain in operation, and maintain access to equipment and operational components.
  2. Where existing active systems serve occupied facilities but are to be replaced with new services, maintain existing systems in service until new systems are complete and ready for service.
  3. Verify that abandoned services serve only abandoned facilities before removal.
  4. Remove abandoned pipe, ducts, conduits, and equipment, including those above accessible ceilings. Remove back to source of supply where possible, otherwise cap stub and tag with identification.
- E. Protect existing work to remain.
  1. Prevent movement of structure. Provide shoring and bracing as required.
  2. Perform cutting to accomplish removal work neatly and as specified for cutting new work.
  3. Repair adjacent construction and finishes damaged during removal work.
  4. Patch to match new work.

## 2.5 DEBRIS AND WASTE REMOVAL

- A. Remove debris, junk, and trash from site.
- B. Leave site in clean condition, ready for subsequent work.
- C. Clean up spillage and wind-blown debris from public and private lands.

**END OF SECTION**

## **ASBESTOS ABATEMENT**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### **1.1 SUMMARY OF THE WORK**

- A. Drawings, general provisions of the contract, including general and supplementary conditions and other specifications, shall apply to the work of this section. The contract documents show the work to be done under the contract and related requirements and conditions impacting the project. Related requirements and conditions include applicable codes and regulations, notices and permits, existing site conditions and restrictions on use of the site, requirements for site workers, coordination with other work and the phasing of the work. In the event the Asbestos Abatement Contractor (the Abatement Contractor) discovers a conflict in the contract documents and/or requirements or codes, the conflict must be brought to the immediate attention of the Owner for resolution. Whenever there is a conflict or overlap in the requirements, the most stringent shall apply. Any actions taken by the Abatement Contractor without obtaining guidance from the Owner shall become the sole risk and responsibility of the Asbestos Abatement Contractor. All costs incurred due to such action are also the responsibility of the Abatement Contractor.
- B. Extent of Work:
1. Provide all temporary facilities required for this scope of work including sanitary facilities, secured storage, temporary power for work, temporary and task lighting for work, etc. as determined necessary by Abatement Contractor. Coordinate location of material storage, dumpsters, and other equipment with the Construction Manager. Limited space is available, and permission to bring any such facility or excess materials on to the site shall be approved by the Construction Manager.
  2. Below is a brief description of the estimated quantities of asbestos-containing thermal system insulation (TSI) to be abated. Quantities listed herein are for informational purposes only and are based on the best information available at the time of the Specification preparation. The Abatement Contractor shall satisfy themselves as to the following: actual quantities to be abated and the conditions affecting the work, including, but not limited to, physical conditions of the site which may bear upon site access; handling and storage of tools and materials; access to

water, electric, or utilities; other conditions that may affect performance of required activities; the character and quantity of all surfaces and subsurface materials or obstacles to be encountered in so far as this information is reasonably ascertainable from an inspection of the site; exploratory work done by the Owner or designated Consultants, and information presented herein; the environmental condition, including the presence, location, and condition of asbestos containing materials (ACMs) at the site.

Any failure by the Abatement Contractor to acquaint themselves with available information will not relieve the Abatement Contractor from the responsibility for estimating properly the difficulty or cost of successfully performing the work. Nothing in this section may be interpreted as limiting the extent of the work that may be otherwise required by the Contract Documents. Additional information regarding ACMs is included in Section 00 3126 – existing hazardous material information. Additionally, please refer to the hazardous materials survey documentation included in Section 02 2600 for additional information regarding the ACMs and other materials affecting the work included herein. Select surface coatings and glazed block materials may also contain lead.

Representative project area photographs are included in Attachment 1 – Photographic Documentation.

3. Pre-abatement Activities; inspection, notifications, permits, submittal approvals, preparations, emergency arrangements, and standard operating procedures.
4. Demolition, removal, clean-up and disposal of ACM TSI in an appropriate regulated area in the following approximate quantities:

<b>Abatement Item No.</b>	<b>Material Description</b>	<b>Estimated Quantity</b>	<b>Unit</b>
1	TSI pipe insulation	1,200	LF <sup>1</sup>
2	TSI mudded fittings	175	Each

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<sup>1</sup> LF = linear feet

5. It is anticipated that a combination of glovebag and wrap-and-cut removal methods (as described in this document) will be utilized to remove the TSI ACM pipe insulation and mudded fittings.
6. As the building is to remain active during the project, a phased approach in coordination with IDAS, building management, building staff, and the construction manager, general contractor, and other trades will be required. Shutdown of water and steam lines in each work area will need to be coordinated prior to work commencement.
7. Water and steam lines anticipated to remain will need to be coordinated with the Construction Manager/IDAS. For piping that will be cut, the Abatement Contractor will need to coordinate the draining of the system with the Construction Manager and/or other trades.
8. The Abatement Contractor will be responsible for general demolition activities of walls, millwork, plumbing fixtures, or other installed impediments to access ACM included in the scope.
9. It is the responsibility of the Abatement Contractor to protect adjacent building spaces, fixtures, and materials in the abatement areas. Damage to materials not included in the demolition and/or abatement scope will be the responsibility of the Abatement Contractor.

C. Related Work:

1. Section 00 3126, EXISTING HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INFORMATION
2. Section 02 4100, DEMOLITION.

D. Tasks:

1. The work tasks are summarized briefly as follows:
  - a. Pre-abatement activities including pre-abatement meeting(s), inspection(s), notifications, permits, submittal approvals, work-site preparations, emergency procedures arrangements, and standard operating procedures for OSHA Class I and United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA or USEPA) regulated asbestos-containing material (RACM) abatement work.
  - b. Abatement activities including demolition of walls and building fixtures to access ACM, removal, clean-up and disposal of ACM waste, recordkeeping, security, monitoring, and inspections.

- c. Cleaning and decontamination activities including final visual inspection, air monitoring and certification of decontamination.
- E. Abatement Contractors Use of Premises:
1. The Abatement Contractor and their personnel shall cooperate fully with the Department of Corrections (DOC) Mount Pleasant Correctional Facility (MPCF) to facilitate efficient use of the property. The Abatement Contractor shall perform the work in accordance with the specifications, drawings, phasing plan and in compliance with any/all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations and requirements.
  2. The Abatement Contractor shall use the existing facilities within the limits indicated in contract documents.

## 1.2 VARIATIONS IN QUANTITY

- A. The quantities and locations of ACM as indicated on the drawings and the extent of work included in this section are estimates which are limited by the physical constraints. No increase in contract cost will be considered due to the Abatement Contractor's failure to physically verify all quantities of the ACM or other materials specified by this document for removal.

## 1.3 STOP ASBESTOS REMOVAL

- A. If the Iowa Department of Administrative Services (IDAS, the State, or the Owner), DOC MPCF; the Construction Manager (Samuels Group, Inc.), the State's Consultant representative (Terracon); the Architect, or the facility Safety Officer/Warden or their designee, presents a verbal **Stop Asbestos Removal Order**, the Abatement Contractor/Personnel shall immediately stop all asbestos removal and adequately wet any exposed ACM. If a verbal Stop Asbestos Removal Order is issued, a written order to the Abatement Contractor will be presented as soon as practicable. The Abatement Contractor shall not resume any asbestos removal activity until authorized to do so in writing by IDAS. A stop asbestos removal order may be issued at any time abatement conditions/activities are not within the specification, regulatory requirements or that an imminent hazard exists to human health or the environment. Work stoppage will continue until conditions have been corrected to the satisfaction of the Owner. Standby time and cost required for corrective action is at the Abatement Contractor's expense.

The occurrence of the following events shall be reported in writing to the Owner/DOC MPCF and shall require the Abatement Contractor to automatically stop asbestos removal if:

1. Excessive airborne fibers outside the regulated area (0.01 fibers per cubic centimeter (f/cc) or greater).
2. breach or break in regulated area containment barrier(s);
3. serious injury/death at the site;
4. fire/safety emergency at the site;
5. respiratory protection system failure;
6. power failure or loss of wetting agent; or
7. any visible emissions observed outside the regulated area.
8. failure to follow project specification requirements.
9. droppage or throwing ACM to ground level.

#### 1.4 DEFINITIONS

A. General: Definitions and explanations here are neither complete nor exclusive of all terms used in the contract documents but are general for the work to the extent they are not stated more explicitly in another element of the contract documents. Drawings must be recognized as diagrammatic in nature and not completely descriptive of the requirements indicated therein.

B. Glossary:

**Abatement** - Procedures to control fiber release from asbestos-containing materials.

Includes removal, encapsulation, enclosure, demolition, and renovation activities related to asbestos containing materials (ACM).

**Aerosol** - Solid or liquid particulate suspended in air.

**Adequately wet** - Sufficiently mixed or penetrated with liquid to prevent the release of particulates. If visible emissions are observed coming from the ACM, then that material has not been adequately wetted.

**Aggressive method** - Removal or disturbance of building material by sanding, abrading, grinding, or other method that breaks, crumbles, or disintegrates intact ACM.

**Aggressive air sampling** - EPA AHERA defined clearance sampling method using air moving equipment such as fans and leaf blowers to aggressively disturb and maintain in the air residual fibers after abatement.

**AHERA** - Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act. Asbestos regulations for schools issued in 1987.

**Air-cell** - Pipe or duct insulation made of corrugated cardboard which contains asbestos.

**Air monitoring** - The process of measuring the fiber content of a known volume of air collected over a specified period of time. The NIOSH 7400 Method, Issue 3, Fifth Edition is used to determine the fiber levels in air. For personal samples, area air samples and clearance air testing using Phase Contrast Microscopy (PCM) analysis, the NIOSH Method 7402 can be used when it is necessary to confirm fibers counted by PCM as being asbestos. The AHERA TEM analysis may be used for background, area samples and clearance samples when required by this specification, or at the discretion of the Owner's representative as appropriate.

**Air sample filter** - The filter used to collect fibers which are then counted. The filter is made of mixed cellulose ester (MCE) membrane for PCM (Phase Contrast Microscopy, 25 mm, 3-piece with 2 inches Static Extension Cowl, 0.8-micron pore size) and MCE for TEM (Transmission Electron Microscopy, 25 mm, 3-piece with 2 inches Static Extension Cowl, 0.45 micron pore size).

**Amended water** - Water to which a surfactant (wetting agent) has been added to increase the penetrating ability of the liquid.

**Asbestos** - Includes chrysotile, amosite, crocidolite, tremolite asbestos, anthophyllite asbestos, actinolite asbestos, and any of these minerals that have been chemically treated or altered. Asbestos also includes PACM, as defined below.

**Asbestos cement (A/C)**: a hardened mixture of asbestos fibers, Portland cement, and water formerly used in relatively thin slabs for shingles, wallboard, and siding

**Asbestos Hazard Abatement Plan (AHAP)** - Asbestos work procedures required to be submitted by the contractor before work begins.

**Asbestos-containing material (ACM)** - Any material containing more than one percent of asbestos.

**Asbestos contaminated elements (ACE)** - Building elements such as ceilings, walls, lights, or ductwork that are contaminated with asbestos.

**Asbestos-contaminated soil (ACS)** – Soil found in the work area or in adjacent areas such as crawlspaces or pipe tunnels which is contaminated with asbestos-containing material debris and cannot be easily separated from the material.

**Asbestos-containing waste (ACW) material** - Asbestos-containing material or asbestos contaminated objects requiring disposal.

**Asbestos Project Monitor** – Some states require that any person conducting asbestos abatement air sampling, clearance inspections and clearance air sampling be licensed as an asbestos project monitor.

**Asbestos waste decontamination facility** - A system consisting of drum/bag washing facilities and a temporary storage area for cleaned containers of asbestos waste. Used as the exit for waste and equipment leaving the regulated area. In an emergency, it may be used to evacuate personnel.

**Assigned protection factor** - A value assigned by OSHA/NIOSH to indicate the expected protection provided by each respirator class, when the respirator is properly selected and worn correctly. The number indicates the reduction of exposure level from outside to inside the respirator facepiece.

**Authorized person** - Any person authorized by the IDAS, DOC MPCF, the Contractor, or government agency and required by work duties to be present in regulated areas.

**Authorized visitor** - Any person approved by the DOC MPCF; IDAS, or any government agency representative having jurisdiction over the regulated area (e.g., OSHA, Federal, and State EPA).

**Barrier** - Any surface that isolates the regulated area and inhibits fiber migration from the regulated area.

**Containment Barrier** - An airtight barrier consisting of walls, floors, and/or ceilings of sealed plastic sheeting which surrounds and seals the outer perimeter of the regulated area.

**Critical Barrier** - The barrier responsible for isolating the regulated area from adjacent spaces, typically constructed of 2-layers of 6-mil independently installed plastic sheeting (Polyethylene) secured in place at openings such as doors, windows, penetrations or any other opening into the regulated area.

**Primary Barrier** – Plastic barriers placed over critical barriers and exposed directly to abatement work or to secondary barrier.

**Secondary Barrier** - Any additional plastic barriers used to isolate and provide protection from debris during abatement work.

**Breathing zone** - The hemisphere forward of the shoulders with a radius of about 150 - 225 mm (6 - 9 inches) from the worker's nose.

**Bridging encapsulant** - An encapsulant that forms a layer on the surface of the ACM.

**Building/facility owner** - The legal entity, including a lessee, which exercises control over management and recordkeeping functions relating to a building and/or facility in which asbestos activities take place.

**Bulk testing** - The collection and analysis of suspect asbestos containing materials.

**Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH)** - A person certified in the comprehensive practice of industrial hygiene by the American Board of Industrial Hygiene.

**Class I asbestos work** - Activities involving the removal of Thermal System Insulation (TSI) and surfacing ACM and Presumed Asbestos Containing Material (PACM).

**Class II asbestos work** - Activities involving the removal of ACM which is not thermal system insulation or surfacing material. This includes, but is not limited to, the removal of asbestos-containing wallboard, floor tile and sheeting, roofing and siding shingles, and construction mastic.

**Clean room/Changing room** - An uncontaminated room having facilities for the storage of employee's street clothing and uncontaminated materials and equipment.

**Clearance sample** - The final air sample taken after all asbestos work has been done and visually inspected. Performed by the Owners Professional Industrial Hygiene Consultant.

**Closely resemble** - The major workplace conditions which have contributed to the levels of historic asbestos exposure, are no more protective than conditions of the current workplace.

**Competent person** - In addition to the definition in 29 CFR 1926.32(f), one who is capable of identifying existing asbestos hazards in the workplace and selecting the appropriate control strategy for asbestos exposure, who has the authority to take prompt corrective measures to eliminate them, as specified in 29 CFR 1926.32(f); in addition, for Class I and II work who is specially trained in a training course which meets the criteria of EPA's Model Accreditation Plan (40 CFR 763) for supervisor.

**Count** - Refers to the fiber count or the average number of fibers greater than five microns in length with a length-to-width (aspect) ratio of at least 3 to 1, per cubic centimeter of air.

**Crawlspace** – An area which can be found either in or adjacent to the work area. This area has limited access and egress and may contain asbestos materials and/or asbestos contaminated soil.

**Decontamination area/unit** - An enclosed area adjacent to and connected to the regulated area and consisting of an equipment room, shower room, and clean room, which is used for the decontamination of workers, materials, and equipment that are contaminated with asbestos.

**Demolition** - The wrecking or taking out of any load-supporting structural member and any related razing, removing, or stripping of asbestos products.

**Disposal bag** - Typically 6-mil thick sift-proof, dustproof, leak-tight container used to package and transport asbestos waste from regulated areas to the approved landfill. Each bag/container must be labeled/marked in accordance with EPA, OSHA and DOT requirements. Each is labeled with the DOT designation Asbestos NA2212 RQ, Class 9 and the following:

DANGER  
CONTAINS ASBESTOS FIBERS  
MAY CAUSE CANCER  
CAUSES DAMAGE TO LUNGS  
DO NOT BREATHE DUST  
AVOID CREATING DUST

**Disturbance** – Asbestos Operations and Maintenance Activities (OSHA Class III) that disrupt the matrix of ACM or PACM, crumble or pulverize ACM or PACM, or generate visible debris from ACM or PACM. Disturbance includes cutting away small amounts of ACM or PACM, no greater than the amount that can be contained in one standard sized glove bag or waste bag in order to access a building component. In no event shall the amount of ACM or PACM so disturbed exceed that which can be contained in one glove bag or disposal bag, which shall not exceed 60 inches in length or width.

**Drum** - A rigid, impermeable container made of cardboard fiber, plastic, or metal which can be sealed in order to be sift-proof, dustproof, and leak-tight.

**EDF:** Equipment decontamination facilities

**Employee exposure** - The exposure to airborne asbestos that would occur if the employee were not wearing respiratory protection equipment.

**Encapsulant** - A material that surrounds or embeds asbestos fibers in an adhesive matrix and prevents the release of fibers.

**Encapsulation** - Treating ACM with an encapsulant.

**Enclosure** - The construction of an airtight, impermeable, permanent barrier around ACM to control the release of asbestos fibers from the material and also eliminate access to the material.

**Entrance port:** A name sometimes used for the main entrance airlock in an OSHA-defined negative air containment area.

**EPA:** Environmental Protection Agency

**Equipment room** - A contaminated room located within the decontamination area that is supplied with impermeable bags or containers for the disposal of contaminated protective clothing and equipment.

**Excursion limit (EL):** An airborne concentration of asbestos in excess of 1.0 fiber per cubic centimeter of air (1 f/cc) as averaged over a sampling period of 30 minutes.

**Fiber** - A particulate form of asbestos, 5 microns or longer, with a length to width (aspect) ratio of at least 3 to 1.

**Fibers per cubic centimeter (f/cc)** - Abbreviation for fibers per cubic centimeter, used to describe the level of asbestos fibers in air.

**Filter** - Media used in respirators, vacuums, or other machines to remove particulate from air.

**Firestopping** - Material used to close the open parts of a structure in order to prevent a fire from spreading.

**Friable asbestos containing material** - Any material containing more than one (1) percent asbestos as determined using the method specified in 40 CFR 763, Polarized Light Microscopy, that, when dry, can be crumbled, pulverized, or reduced to powder by hand pressure.

**Glovebag** - Not more than a 60 x 60-inch impervious plastic bag-like enclosure affixed around an asbestos-containing material, with glove-like appendages through which materials and tools may be handled.

**High efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filter** – An ASHRAE MERV 17 filter capable of trapping and retaining at least 99.97 percent of all mono-dispersed particles of 0.3 micrometers in diameter.

**HEPA vacuum** - Vacuum collection equipment equipped with a HEPA filter system capable of collecting and retaining asbestos fibers.

**High efficiency filter:** A filter which removes from air 99.97% or more of monodisperse dioctyl phthalate (DOP) particles having a mean particle diameter of 0.3  $\mu\text{m}$ .

**Homogeneous area** - An area of surfacing, thermal system insulation or miscellaneous ACM that is uniform in color, texture and date of application.

**HVAC** - Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning

**Industrial hygienist (IH)** - A professional qualified by education, training, and experience to anticipate, recognize, evaluate and develop controls for occupational health hazards. Meets definition requirements of the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA).

**Industrial hygienist technician (IH Technician)** - A person working under the direction of an IH or CIH who has special training, experience, certifications and licenses required for the industrial hygiene work assigned. Some states require that an industrial hygienist technician conducting asbestos abatement air sampling, clearance inspection and clearance air sampling be licensed as an asbestos project monitor.

**Intact** - The ACM has not crumbled, been pulverized, or otherwise deteriorated so that the asbestos is no longer likely to be bound with its matrix.

**IAC:** Iowa Administrative Code

**Lockdown** - Applying encapsulant, after a final visual inspection, on all abated surfaces at the conclusion of ACM removal prior to removal of critical barriers.

**MCEF:** Mixed cellulose ester filter.

**Mercury (Hg):** An odorless silvery, heavy, mobile, liquid metal with a molecular weight of 200.59 that is slightly volatile at room temperature.

**National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP)** - EPA's rule to control emissions of asbestos to the environment (40 CFR part 61, Subpart M).

**Negative initial exposure assessment** - A demonstration by the employer which complies with the criteria in 29 CFR 1926.1101 (f)(2)(iii), that employee exposure during an operation is expected to be consistently below the PEL or Excursion Limit (EL).

**Negative pressure** - Air pressure which is lower than the surrounding area, created by exhausting air from a sealed regulated area through HEPA equipped filtration units. OSHA requires maintaining -0.02-inch water column gauge inside the negative pressure enclosure.

**Negative pressure respirator** - A respirator in which the air pressure inside the facepiece is negative during inhalation relative to the air pressure outside the respirator facepiece.

**Negative pressure ventilation system:** A local exhaust system, utilizing HEPA filtration, capable of maintaining a negative pressure inside the work area and a constant

air flow from adjacent areas into the work area and that exhausts that air through HEPA filters to air outside the work area.

**NIOSH:** National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

**Non-friable ACM** - Material that contains more than 1 percent asbestos but cannot be crumbled, pulverized, or reduced to powder by hand pressure.

**Organic vapor cartridge** - The type of cartridge used on air purifying respirators to remove organic vapor hazardous air contaminants.

**OSHA:** Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

**Outside air** - The air outside buildings and structures, including, but not limited to, the air under a bridge or in an open ferry dock.

**Owner/operator** - Any person who owns, leases, operates, controls, or supervises the facility being demolished or renovated or any person who owns, leases, operates, controls, or supervises the demolition or renovation operation, or both.

**PACM:** OSHA acronym for presumed asbestos-containing material.

**Penetrating encapsulant** - Encapsulant that is absorbed into the ACM matrix without leaving a surface layer.

**Permissible exposure limit (PEL)** - The level of exposure OSHA allows for as an eight (8) hour time-weighted average (TWA). For asbestos fibers, the eight (8) hour time-weighted average PEL is 0.1 fibers per cubic centimeter (0.1 f/cc) of air and the 30-minute Excursion Limit (EL) is 1.0 fibers per cubic centimeter (1 f/cc).

**Personal protective equipment (PPE)** – equipment designed to protect user from injury and/or specific job hazard. Such equipment may include protective clothing, hard hats, safety glasses, fall protection, and respirators.

**Personal sampling/monitoring** - Representative air samples obtained in the breathing zone for one or more workers within the regulated area using a filter cassette and a calibrated air sampling pump to determine asbestos exposure.

**Pipe tunnel** – An area, typically located adjacent to mechanical spaces or boiler rooms in which the pipes servicing the heating system in the building are routed to allow the pipes to access heating elements. These areas may contain asbestos pipe insulation, asbestos fittings, debris or asbestos-contaminated soil.

**Polarized light microscopy (PLM)** - Light microscopy using dispersion staining techniques and refractive indices to identify and quantify the type of asbestos present in a bulk sample.

**Polyethylene sheeting** - Strong plastic barrier material 4 to 6-mils thick, semi-transparent, usually.

**Positive/negative fit check** - A method of verifying the seal of a facepiece respirator by temporarily occluding the filters and breathing in (inhaling) and then temporarily occluding the exhalation valve and breathing out (exhaling) while checking for inward or outward leakage of the respirator, respectively.

**Presumed ACM (PACM)** - Thermal system insulation, surfacing, and flooring material installed in buildings prior to 1981. If the building owner has actual knowledge or should have known through the exercise of due diligence that other materials are ACM, they too must be treated as PACM. The designation of PACM may be rebutted pursuant to 29 CFR 1926.1101 (k)(5).

**Project designer** - A person who has successfully completed the training requirements for an asbestos abatement project designer as required by 40 CFR 763 Subpart E, Appendix C, Part I; (B)(5).

**Qualitative fit test (QLFT)** - A fit test using a challenge material that can be sensed by the wearer if leakage in the respirator occurs.

**Quantitative fit test (QNFT)** - A fit test using a challenge material which is quantified outside and inside the respirator thus allowing the determination of the actual fit factor.

**Regulated area** - An area established by the employer to demarcate where Class I, II, III asbestos work is conducted, and any adjoining area where debris and waste from such asbestos work may accumulate; and a work area within which airborne concentrations of asbestos exceed, or there is a reasonable possibility they may exceed the PEL.

**Regulated ACM (RACM)** - Friable ACM; Category I non-friable ACM that has become friable; Category I non-friable ACM that will be or has been subjected to sanding, grinding, cutting, or abrading or; Category II non-friable ACM that has a high probability of becoming or has become crumbled, pulverized, or reduced to powder by the forces expected to act on the material in the course of the demolition or renovation operation.

**Removal** - All operations where ACM, PACM and/or RACM is taken out or stripped from structures or substrates, including demolition operations.

**Renovation** - Altering a facility or one or more facility components in any way, including the stripping or removal of asbestos from a facility component which does not involve demolition activity.

**Repair** - Overhauling, rebuilding, reconstructing, or reconditioning of structures or substrates, including encapsulation or other repair of ACM or PACM attached to structures or substrates.

**Respirator:** A device designed to protect the wearer from the inhalation of harmful atmospheres.

**RPP:** Respiratory protection program.

**RPPC:** Respiratory protection program coordinator.

**Shower room** - The portion of the PDF where personnel shower before leaving the regulated area.

**SCBA:** Self-contained breathing apparatus.

**Sealant:** Another name for encapsulating material. This term also refers to the paint which is used to cover brown-coat ceilings after asbestos surfaces have been removed.

**Sealed work area:** Refers to the work area after containment barriers and decontamination facilities have been erected and a negative pressure air system installed.

**Showers:** Shower stalls installed in the personnel decontamination facilities and used as part of the decontamination process, required for every person leaving the sealed work area. Also used in the equipment decontamination facilities to wash disposal bags.

**Skin notation or designation:** Danger of cutaneous absorption.

**SOP:** Standard operating procedures required to be submitted by the Abatement Contractor.

**Stationary or area sample:** Refers to air samples collected at a specific spot, or station, with high volume air pumps.

**Supplied air respirator (SAR)** - A respiratory protection system that supplies minimum Grade D respirable air per ANSI/Compressed Gas Association Commodity Specification for Air, G-7.1-2018.

**Surfacing ACM** - A material containing more than 1 percent asbestos that is sprayed, troweled on or otherwise applied to surfaces for acoustical, decorative, fireproofing and other purposes.

**Surfactant** - A chemical added to water to decrease water's surface tension thus making it more penetrating into ACM.

**Thermal system insulation (TSI) ACM** - A material containing more than 1 percent asbestos applied to pipes, fittings, boilers, breeching, tanks, ducts, or other structural components to prevent heat loss or gain.

**Transmission electron microscopy (TEM)** - A microscopy method that can identify and count asbestos fibers.

**Visible emissions** - Any emissions, which are visually detectable without the aid of instruments, coming from ACM/PACM/RACM/ACS or ACM waste material.

**Waste/Equipment decontamination facility (W/EDF)** – The area in which equipment is decontaminated before removal from the regulated area.

**Waste generator** - Any owner or operator whose act or process produces asbestos-containing waste material.

**Waste shipment record** - The shipping document, required to be originated and signed by the waste generator, used to track and substantiate the disposition of asbestos-containing waste material.

**Wetting agent:** See Surfactant.

**Wet cleaning** - The process of thoroughly eliminating, by wet methods, any asbestos contamination from surfaces or objects.

**Work area:** The area where asbestos-related work or removal operations are performed which is defined and or isolated to prevent the spread of asbestos dust, fibers, debris and entry by unauthorized personnel. Work area is a regulated area as defined by 29 CFR 1926.1101.

## 1.5 APPLICABLE CODES AND REGULATIONS

### A. General Applicability of Codes, Regulations, and Standards:

1. All work under this contract shall be done in strict accordance with all applicable Federal, State, and Local regulations, standards and codes governing asbestos abatement, and any other trade work done in conjunction with the abatement. Except to the extent that more explicit or more stringent requirements are written directly into the contract documents, all applicable codes, regulations, and standards have the same force and effect (and are made a part of the contract documents by reference) as if copied directly into the contract documents, or as if published copies are bound herewith.

2. The most recent edition of any relevant regulation, standard, document or code shall be in effect. Where conflict among the requirements or with these specifications exists, the most stringent requirement(s) shall be utilized.
  3. Copies of all standards, regulations, codes and other applicable documents, including this specification and those listed in other Sections shall be available at the worksite in the clean change area of the worker decontamination system and/or the Abatement Contractor's on-site Field Office. These standards, regulations, codes and other applicable documents, including this specification and those listed in other Sections may be made available electronically.
- B. Abatement Contractor Responsibility: The Abatement Contractor shall assume full responsibility and liability for compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations pertaining to notifications, work practices, hauling, and disposal of ACM, and protection of workers, visitors to the site, and persons occupying areas adjacent to the site. All Abatement Contractor personnel must pass a background check and will be required to complete PREA training; please refer to the front end documents for additional information. The Abatement Contractor is responsible for providing medical examinations and maintaining medical records personnel as required by the applicable federal, state, and local regulations. The Abatement Contractor shall hold the IDAS/DOC MPCF harmless for failure to comply with any applicable work, hauling, disposal, safety, health, and/or other on the part of himself, his employees, or his subcontractors. The Abatement Contractor incurs all costs including all sampling/analytical costs for sampling to comply with OSHA regulations.
- The Abatement Contractor shall determine the applicability of any process patent he/she may be employing and be responsible for paying any fees, royalties, or licenses that may be required for the use of patented processes.
- C. Federal Requirements:
1. Federal Requirements: Federal requirements that govern asbestos abatement work or hauling and disposal of asbestos waste materials include but are not limited to the following:
    - a. United States Department of Labor, OSHA
      - 1) Title 29 CFR 1910.1001 (general industry) and 1926.1101 (construction).
      - 2) Title 29 CFR 1926 Subpart E - Personal Protective Equipment and Life Saving Equipment

- 3) Title 29 CFR 1910.134 - Respiratory Protection
  - 4) Title 29 CFR 1926 - Construction Industry Standards
  - 5) Title 29 CFR 1926.33 - Access to Employee Exposure and Medical Records
  - 6) Title 29 CFR 1926.59 same as 1910.1200 - Hazard Communication
  - 7) Title 29 CFR 1926 Subpart C – General Safety and Health Provisions and Subpart D – Occupational Health and Environmental Controls
- b. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA):
- 1) 40 CFR 61 Subpart M - National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants - Asbestos.
  - 2) 40 CFR 763.80 - Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) and Asbestos Hazard Abatement Reauthorization Act (ASHARA)
- c. Department of Transportation (DOT)
- 1) A. Part 171 – Hazardous Substances
  - 2) B. Part 172 – Hazardous Materials Tables, Special Provisions, Hazardous Materials Communications, Emergency Response Information, Training Requirements, and Security Plans
  - 3) C. Part 173 – Shippers – General Requirements for Shipments and Packaging's
  - 4) Title 49 CFR 171 - 180 – Transportation
- D. State of Iowa Requirements
1. Applicable Iowa state regulations, Iowa Administrative Code (IAC): All state requirements that govern asbestos abatement work or hauling and disposal of asbestos waste materials shall apply.:
    - a. IAC 567-23 – Asbestos Fiber Emissions
    - b. IAC 567-109 – Asbestos-Containing Waste Disposal
    - c. IAC 875-10 – Occupational Exposure to Asbestos
    - d. IAC 875-155 – Asbestos Removal and Encapsulation Activities
- E. Local Requirements:
1. If local requirements are more stringent than federal or state standards, the local standards are to be followed.
- F. Standards:
1. Standards which govern asbestos abatement activities include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. American National Standards Institute (ANSI)/ASSP Z9.2-2018 - Fundamentals Governing the Design and Operation of Local Exhaust Systems
  - b. ANSI/ASSE Z88.2-2015 - Practices for Respiratory Protection.
  - c. ANSI/ISEA Z87.1-2015 – American National Standard for Occupational and Educational Personal Eye and Face Protection Devices
  - d. ANSI/ASSP Z88.2-2015 – American National Standard Practices for Respiratory Protection
  - e. ANSI/ASSP Z88.6-2006 – American National Standard for Respiratory Protection – Respirator Use – Physical Qualifications for Personnel
  - f. ANSI/ASSP Z88.7-2010 – Color Coding of Air-Purifying Respirator Canisters, Cartridges, and Filters
  - g. ANSI/ASSE Z88.10-2010 – Respirator Fit Testing Methods
  - h. ANSI/ISEA Z89.1-2014 – Personal Protection – Protective Headwear for Industrial Workers
  - i. Underwriters Laboratories (UL) 586-2009 - UL Standard for Safety of HEPA Filter Units, 9th Edition; ANSI Approval 2017-12-19.
2. Standards which govern various inspection tasks and safety work include, but are not limited to the following:
- a. American Society for Testing and Materials International (ASTM); ASTM E1368 – Standard Practice for Visual Inspection of Asbestos Abatement Projects (latest edition)
  - b. ASTM F 2413 – Standard Specification for Performance Requirements for Protective (Safety) Toe Cap Footwear (latest edition)
3. Standards which govern the fire and safety concerns in abatement work include, but are not limited to, the following:
- a. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 241 - Standard for Safeguarding Construction, Alteration, and Demolition Operations.
  - b. NFPA 701 - Standard Methods for Fire Tests for Flame Resistant Textiles and Film.
  - c. NFPA 101 - Life Safety Code
  - d. NFPA 10 – Portable Fire Extinguishers (latest edition.)
  - e. NFPA 90A – Installation of Air-Conditioning and Ventilating Systems (latest edition)

4. American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH®): Threshold Limit Values for Chemical Substances and Physical Agents and Biological Exposure Indices (TLVs® and BEIs®) (current issue).

G. EPA Guidance Documents:

1. EPA guidance documents which discuss asbestos abatement work activities are listed below. These documents are made part of this section by reference.
2. Guidance for Controlling ACM in Buildings (Purple Book) EPA 560/5-85-024
3. Asbestos Waste Management Guidance EPA 530-SW-85-007
4. A Guide to Respiratory Protection for the Asbestos Abatement Industry EPA-560-OPTS-86-001
5. Guide to Managing Asbestos in Place (Green Book) TS 799 20T July 1990

H. Notices:

1. State and Local agencies: Send written notification as required by State and Local regulations including the local fire department prior to beginning any work on ACM as follows:

The Abatement Contractor shall send written notification (online notification), as required by USEPA NESHAP asbestos regulations (40 CFR 61 Subpart M) and the IAC, to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) and the Iowa Division of Labor (IDOL) at least 10 working days prior to beginning work on abatement of asbestos-containing materials. in accordance with IAC 875-155. State requirements include the "Notification of Demolition and Renovation Record" form and other required notification documents. Include, at a minimum, the following information in the notification sent to the IDNR and IDOL contacts:

- a. Name and address of the facility.
- b. Description of the facility being demolished or renovated, including size, age, and prior use of facility.
- c. Estimate of the approximate amount of friable asbestos material present in the facility in terms of linear feet of pipe and surface area on other facility components. For facilities in which the amount of friable asbestos materials is less than 80 linear meters (260 linear feet) on pipes and less than 15 square meters (160 square feet), or less than 35 cubic feet on other facility components, explain techniques of estimation.
- d. Location of the facility being demolished or renovated.

- e. Scheduled starting and completion dates of demolition or renovation.
  - f. Nature of planned demolition or renovation and method(s) to be used.
  - g. Procedures to be used to comply with the requirements of IAC 567-23 and 109.
  - h. Name and location of the waste disposal site where the friable asbestos waste material will be deposited.
- 2. Copies of NESHAP and other notifications shall be submitted to the Owner for the facility's records at the same time-frame notification as given to the state and local authorities.
  - 3. Waste Shipment Record: A waste shipment record specifically for ACM is required for transporting asbestos waste to a disposal site.
  - 4. Copies of notifications shall be submitted to the IDAS/DOC MPCF for the facility's records at the same time frame notification is given to EPA, State, and Local authorities prior to beginning any work on ACM as follows.
- I. Permits/Licenses: The Abatement Contractor shall apply for and have all required permits and licenses to perform asbestos abatement work as required by Federal, State, and Local regulations.
    - 1. Licenses: Maintain current licenses as required by applicable federal, state, and local jurisdictions for the removal, transporting, disposal, or other regulated activity relative to the work of this Contract.
  - J. Posting and Filing of Regulations: Maintain a copy of applicable federal, state, and local regulations at the work site.
  - K. DOC MPCF Responsibilities prior to commencement of work:
    - 1. During abatement, submit to the Abatement Contractor results of bulk material analysis and air sampling data collected during the abatement, if completed. This information shall not release the Abatement Contractor from any responsibility for OSHA compliance.
    - 2. Supply water and power to the extent feasible.
  - L. Site Security: Please refer to the front-end contract documents regarding site security requirements.
  - M. Emergency Action Plan and Arrangements:
    - 1. An Emergency Action Plan shall be developed prior to commencing abatement activities and shall be agreed to by the Abatement Contractor and the DOC MPCF.

The Plan shall meet the requirements of 29 CFR 1926, Subpart C, Standard 1926.35 Employee Emergency Action Plans.

2. Emergency procedures shall be in written form and prominently posted in the clean room and equipment room of the decontamination unit. Everyone, prior to entering the regulated area, must read and sign these procedures to acknowledge understanding of the regulated area layout, location of emergency exits and emergency procedures.
3. Emergency planning shall include consideration of fire, explosion, hazardous atmospheres, electrical hazards, slips/trips and falls, confined spaces, and heat stress illness. Written procedures for response to emergency situations shall be developed and employee training in procedures shall be provided.
4. Employees shall be trained in regulated area/site evacuation procedures in the event of workplace emergencies.
  - a. For non-life-threatening situations - employees injured or otherwise incapacitated shall be decontaminated following normal procedures with assistance from fellow workers, if necessary, before exiting the regulated area to obtain proper medical treatment.
  - b. For life-threatening injury or illness, worker decontamination shall take least priority after measures to stabilize the injured worker, medical personnel shall remove them from the regulated area if back or neck injury is present, and secure proper medical treatment.
5. Telephone numbers of any/all emergency response personnel shall be prominently posted in the clean room, along with the location of the nearest telephone.
6. The Abatement Contractor shall provide verification of first aid/CPR training for personnel responsible for providing first aid/CPR. Bloodborne Pathogen training shall also be verified for those personnel required to provide first aid/CPR.
7. The Emergency Action Plan shall provide for a Contingency Plan in the event that an incident occurs that may require the modification of the standard operating procedures during abatement. Such incidents include, but are not limited to, fire; accident; power failure; extreme heat; inclement weather; high wind; and lightning. The Abatement Contractor shall detail procedures to be followed in the event of an incident assuring that asbestos abatement work is stopped and wetting is continued until correction of the problem.

## **1.6 PROJECT COORDINATION**

- A. The following are the minimum administrative and supervisory personnel necessary for coordination of the work.
1. Personnel:
    - a. Administrative and supervisory personnel shall consist of a qualified Competent Person(s) as defined by OSHA in the Construction Standards and the Asbestos Construction Standard. These employees are the Abatement Contractor's Representatives responsible for compliance with these specifications and all other applicable requirements.
    - b. Non-supervisory personnel shall consist of an adequate number of qualified personnel to meet the schedule requirements of the project. Personnel shall meet required qualifications. Personnel utilized on-site shall be pre-approved by the DOC MPCF, IDAS, and the Construction Manager. A request for approval shall be submitted for any person to be employed during the project giving the person's name; last four digits of social security number; qualifications; accreditation card with color picture, if required by state; Certificate of Worker's Acknowledgment; and Affidavit of Medical Surveillance and Respiratory Protection and current Respirator Fit Test.

## **1.7 RESPIRATORY PROTECTION**

- A. General - Respiratory Protection Program: The Abatement Contractor shall develop and implement a written Respiratory Protection Program (RPP) which is in compliance with OSHA requirements found at 29 CFR 1926.1101 and 29 CFR 1910.134. ANSI Standard Z88.2-2015 provides guidance for developing a respiratory protection program. All respirators used must be NIOSH approved for asbestos abatement activities. The written RPP shall, at a minimum, contain the basic requirements found at 29 CFR 1910.134 (c) - Respiratory Protection Program.
- B. The Abatement Contractor shall provide a written statement of intent to provide a safe and healthful workplace for workers. This written statement shall include assignment of individual responsibility, accountability, enforcement procedures, and authority for required activities.

- C. Selection and Use of Respirators: The procedure for the selection and use of respirators must be submitted as part of the Abatement Contractor's qualifications. The procedure must be written clearly enough for workers to understand. A copy of the Respiratory Protection Program must be available onsite during operations.
- D. Minimum Respiratory Protection: Shall be a ½-mask negative pressure air purifying respirator equipped with Combination P100 filters, provided personal air samples in the workplace remain at or below 0.1 f/cc, determined as an 8-hour TWA. Full face powered air purifying respirator equipped with P100 filters shall be required until the Abatement Contractor demonstrates that personal air samples are at or below 0.1 f/cc, determined as an 8-hour TWA. A higher level of respiratory protection shall be required, if fiber levels exceed 1 f/cc as an 8-hour TWA, inside the regulated work area. Respirator selection shall meet the requirements of 29 CFR 1926.1101 (h) and 29 CFR 1910.134 (d)(3)(i)(A) Table 1, except as indicated in this paragraph. Abatement personnel must have a respirator for their exclusive use.
- E. Medical Written Opinion: No employee shall be allowed to wear a respirator unless a physician or other licensed health care professional has provided a written determination that they are medically qualified to wear the class of respirator to be used on the project while wearing whole body impermeable garments and subjected to heat or cold stress.
- F. Respirator Fit Test: All personnel wearing respirators shall have a current qualitative/quantitative fit test which was conducted in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.134 (f) and Appendix A.
- G. Respirator Fit Check: The Competent Person shall assure that the positive/negative pressure user seal check is done each time the respirator is donned by an employee. Head coverings must cover respirator head straps. Any situation that prevents an effective facepiece to face seal as evidenced by failure of a user seal check shall preclude that person from entering the regulated area until resolution of the problem.
- H. Maintenance and Care of Respirators: The Respiratory Protection Program Coordinator shall submit evidence and documentation showing compliance with 29 CFR 1910.134 (h) Maintenance and Care of Respirators.

## 1.8 WORKER PROTECTION

- A. Training of Abatement Personnel: Prior to beginning any abatement activity, all personnel shall be trained in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101 (k)(9) and any

additional State/Local requirements. Training must include, at a minimum, the elements listed at 29 CFR 1926.1101 (k)(9)(viii). Training shall have been conducted by a third party, EPA/State approved trainer meeting the requirements of EPA 40 CFR 763 Appendix C (AHERA MAP). Initial training certificates and current refresher and accreditation proof must be submitted for each person working at the site.

- B. Medical Examinations: Medical examinations meeting the requirements of 29 CFR 1926.1101 (m) shall be provided for all personnel working in the regulated area, regardless of exposure levels. A current physician's written opinion as required by 29 CFR 1926.1101 (m)(4) shall be provided for each person and shall include in the medical opinion that the person has been evaluated for working in a heat and cold stress environment while wearing personal protective equipment (PPE) and is able to perform the work without risk of material health impairment.
- C. Personal Protective Equipment: Provide whole body clothing, head coverings, foot coverings and any other personal protective equipment as determined by conducting the hazard assessment required by OSHA at 29 CFR 1910.132 (d). The Competent Person shall ensure the integrity of personal protective equipment worn for the duration of the project. Duct tape shall be used to secure all suit sleeves to wrists and to secure foot coverings at the ankle.
- D. Regulated Area Entry Procedure: All personnel entering the work area shall adhere to the following procedures:
  - 1. Personnel shall remove all clothes and put on protective disposable coveralls.
  - 2. Personnel shall put on clean respirators.
  - 3. Personnel then may enter the work area.
  - 4. No clothing other than disposable coveralls shall be worn into the work area and subsequently be removed from the work area (i.e., all clothing worn into the work area shall be treated as asbestos waste.)
- E. Decontamination Procedure: The Competent Person shall require all personnel to adhere to following decontamination procedures whenever they leave the regulated area.
  - 1. When exiting the regulated area, remove disposable coveralls, and ALL other clothes, disposable head coverings, and foot coverings or boots in the equipment room.

2. Still wearing the respirator and completely naked, proceed to the shower. Showering is MANDATORY. Care must be taken to follow reasonable procedures in removing the respirator to avoid inhaling asbestos fibers while showering. The following procedure is required as a minimum:
    - a. Thoroughly wet body including hair and face. If using a PAPR hold blower above head to keep filters dry.
    - b. With respirator still in place, thoroughly decontaminate body, hair, respirator face piece, and all other parts of the respirator except the blower and battery pack on a PAPR. Pay particular attention to cleaning the seal between the face and respirator facepiece and under the respirator straps.
    - c. Take a deep breath, hold it and/or exhale slowly, completely wetting hair, face, and respirator. While still holding breath, remove the respirator and hold it away from the face before starting to breathe.
  3. Carefully decontaminate the facepiece of the respirator inside and out. If using a PAPR, shut down using the following sequence: a) first cap inlets to filters; b) turn blower off to keep debris collected on the inlet side of the filter from dislodging and contaminating the outside of the unit; c) thoroughly decontaminate blower and hoses; d) carefully decontaminate battery pack with a wet rag being cautious of getting water in the battery pack thus preventing destruction. **(THIS PROCEDURE IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR RESPIRATOR CLEANING!)**
  4. Shower and wash body completely with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.
  5. Rinse shower room walls and floor to drain prior to exiting.
  6. Proceed from shower to clean room; dry off and change into street clothes or into new disposable work clothing.
- F. Regulated Area Requirements: The Competent Person shall meet all requirements of 29 CFR 1926.1101 (o) and assure that all requirements for Class I Glovebag regulated areas at 29 CFR 1926.1101 (e), 29 CFR 1926.1101 (g)(1)(i)(ii)(iii), 29 CFR 1926.1101 (g)(5)(ii)(iii)(iv) are met. All personnel in the regulated area shall not be allowed to eat, drink, smoke, chew tobacco or gum, apply cosmetics, or in any way interfere with the fit of their respirator.

## 1.9 PRE-START MEETING AND PROJECT SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to commencing the work, the Abatement Contractor shall meet with the IDAS representatives and Construction Manager, DOC MPCF to present and review, as appropriate, the items following this paragraph. The Abatement Contractor's Competent Person(s) who will be on-site shall participate in the pre-start meeting.
- B. Pre-Start Meeting Submittals:
1. Submit a minimum of 14 days prior to the pre-start meeting the following for review and approval. Meeting this requirement is a prerequisite for the pre-start meeting for this project:
    - a. Submit a detailed work schedule.
    - b. Submit a staff organization chart showing all personnel who will be working on the project and their capacity/function.
    - c. A copy of the Abatement Contractor's Plan of Action (POA) of the procedures proposed to comply with the requirements of this specification. The POA shall include:
      - 1) Regulated area preparation procedures;
      - 2) Notification requirements procedure of Abatement Contractor as required in 29 CFR 1926.1101(d) Multi-Employer Worksites;
      - 3) Sequencing of work
      - 4) Decontamination area set-up/layout and decontamination procedures for employees;
      - 5) Method of demarcating the regulated work area with Asbestos Danger Tape and Asbestos Danger Signs;
      - 6) Abatement methods/procedures and equipment to be used;
      - 7) Personal protective equipment to be used.
      - 8) Description of the final clean-up procedures to be used.
    - d. Submit the specifics of the materials and equipment to be used for this project
    - e. Submit the name, location, and phone number of the approved landfill; proof/verification the landfill is approved for ACM disposal; the landfill's requirements for ACM waste; the type of vehicle to be used for transportation; and name, address, and phone number of subcontractor, if used. Proof of asbestos training for transportation personnel shall be provided.

- f. Submit the name, location and verification of the laboratory be used for analysis of air. Personal air monitoring must be done in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101 (f) and Appendix A.
- g. Submit information on personnel: Copies of licenses and respirator fit testing documentation for each employee assigned to the project per the Occupational OSHA respiratory protection standard (29 CFR 1910.134).
  - 1) Competent Person(s)/Supervisor(s): Number; names; last four digits of social security numbers; certificates, licenses, accreditations; proof of AHERA/OSHA specialized asbestos training; medical opinion (asbestos surveillance and respirator use); and current respirator fit test.
  - 2) Workers: Numbers; names; last four digits of social security numbers; years of abatement experience; certificates, licenses, accreditations; training courses in asbestos abatement and respiratory protection; medical opinion (asbestos surveillance and respirator use); and current respirator fit test.
- h. Submit copies of State license for asbestos abatement; copy of insurance policy;
- i. Hazardous materials (where applicable): before start of work, submit product data for surfactants and/or removal encapsulants, lock back encapsulants, or other hazardous materials, instructions for use and recommendations of manufacturer, and data substantiating compliance with requirements including safety data sheets (SDSs)
- j. Written negative exposure assessment, if being utilized.
- k. A copy of the Health and Safety Plan
- l. A copy of any deviations from the project technical specifications.
- m. All other submittals as required.

C. Documentation Collection During Abatement:

The Competent Person shall maintain and submit a daily log at the regulated area documenting the dates and times of the following: purpose, attendees and summary of meetings; all personnel entering/exiting the regulated area; document and discuss the resolution of unusual events such as barrier breaching, equipment failures, emergencies, and any cause for stopping work; Representative air monitoring and results/TWAs/ELs.

- D. Submittals at Completion of Abatement: The Abatement Contractor shall submit a project report consisting of the daily logbook requirements and documentation of events

during the abatement project including Waste Shipment Records signed by the landfill's agent. It will also include information on the containment and transportation of waste from the containment with applicable Chain of Custody forms.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT**

- A. General Requirements (all abatement projects): Prior to the start of work, the Abatement Contractor shall provide and maintain a sufficient quantity of materials and equipment to assure continuous and efficient work throughout the duration of the project. Work shall not start unless the following items have been delivered to the site and the CPIH/CIH has submitted verification to the IDAS Representative.
1. All materials shall be delivered in their original package, container or bundle bearing the name of the manufacturer and the brand name (where applicable).
  2. Store all materials subject to damage off the ground, away from wet or damp surfaces and under cover sufficient enough to prevent damage or contamination. Flammable and combustible materials cannot be stored inside buildings. Replacement materials shall be stored outside of the regulated area until abatement is completed.
  3. The Abatement Contractor shall not block or hinder use of buildings by staff or visitors to the facility by placing materials/equipment in any unauthorized location.
  4. The Competent Person shall inspect for damaged, deteriorating or previously used materials. Such materials shall not be used and shall be removed from the worksite and disposed of properly.
  5. Polyethylene sheeting shall be a minimum of 6-mils and fire retardant poly shall be used.
  6. The method of attaching polyethylene sheeting shall be agreed upon in advance by the Abatement Contractor and the IDAS and selected to minimize damage to equipment and surfaces. Method of attachment may include any combination of moisture resistant duct tape, poly tape, furring strips, spray glue, staples, nails, screws, lumber and plywood for enclosures or approved equivalent procedures capable of sealing polyethylene to dissimilar finished or unfinished surfaces under both wet and dry conditions.

7. Polyethylene sheeting utilized for the PDF shall be opaque white or black in color, 6-mil fire retardant poly.
8. Installation and plumbing hardware, showers, hoses, drain pans, sump pumps and waste water filtration system shall be provided by the Abatement Contractor.
9. An adequate number of HEPA vacuums, scrapers, sprayers, nylon brushes, brooms, disposable mops, rags, sponges, staple guns, shovels, ladders and scaffolding of suitable height and length as well as meeting OSHA requirements, fall protection devices, water hose to reach all areas in the regulated area, airless spray equipment, and any other tools, materials or equipment required to conduct the abatement project. All electrically operated hand tools, equipment, electric cords shall be connected to GFCI protection.
10. Special protection for objects in the regulated area shall be detailed (e.g., plywood over carpeting or hardwood floors to prevent damage from scaffolds, water and falling material).
11. Disposal bags – 2-layers of 6-mil poly for asbestos waste shall be pre-printed with labels, markings and address as required by OSHA, EPA and DOT regulations.
12. IDAS shall be provided an advance copy of the Safety Data Sheets (SDS) as required for all hazardous chemicals under OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 - Hazard Communication in the pre-project submittal. Chlorinated compounds shall not be used with any spray adhesive, mastic remover or other product. Appropriate encapsulant(s) shall be provided.
13. OSHA DANGER demarcation signs, as many and as required by OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101(k)(7) shall be provided and placed by the Competent Person. All other posters and notices required by Federal, State and Local regulations shall be posted in the Clean Room.
14. Adequate and appropriate PPE for the project and number of personnel/shifts shall be provided. All personal protective equipment issued must be based on a written hazard assessment conducted under 29 CFR 1910.132(d)

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 PRE-ABATEMENT PREPARATIONS**

- A. Pre-Abatement Activities: The Abatement Consultant, upon receipt, review, and substantial approval of all pre-abatement submittals and verification materials and

equipment required for the project are on the site, will arrange for a pre-abatement meeting between the Contractor, Competent Person, the DOC MPCF Representative, Construction Manager, IDAS, and the Consultant. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss any aspect of the submittals needing clarification or amplification and to discuss any aspect of the project execution and the sequence of the operation. The Contractor shall be prepared to provide any supplemental information/documentation regarding any submittals, documentation, materials or equipment. Upon satisfactory resolution of any outstanding issues, the Construction Manager will issue a written order to proceed to the Contractor. No abatement work of any kind described in the following provisions shall be initiated prior to the written order to proceed.

1. Before any work begins on the construction of the regulated area(s), the Abatement Contractor will:

- a. Conduct an inspection with an authorized IDAS/Construction Manager Representative and prepare a written inventory of all existing damage in those spaces where asbestos abatement will occur. Still or video photography may be used to supplement the written damage inventory. Document will be signed and certified as accurate by both parties.
- b. Notify occupants adjacent to regulated areas of project dates and requirements for relocation, if needed. Note: Notification of adjacent personnel is required by OSHA in 29 CFR 1926.1101 (k) to prevent unnecessary or unauthorized access to the regulated area.

B. Pre-Abatement Construction and Operations:

1. Perform all preparatory work for the first regulated area in accordance with the approved work schedule and with this specification.
2. Upon completion of all preparatory work, notify the IDAS/Construction Manager Representative and Consultant when the work is completed in accordance with this specification. The DOC MPCF's Representative and/or Consultant may inspect the regulated area and the systems that upon satisfactory inspection, the Abatement Contractor's employees perform all major aspects of the approved SOP's, especially worker protection, fall protection, respiratory systems, contingency plans, decontamination procedures, and monitoring to demonstrate satisfactory operation.
3. The Abatement Contractor shall document the pre-abatement activities described above in their daily logs.

4. Upon satisfactory inspection of the installation of and operation of systems  
Construction Manager or Consultant will notify the Abatement Contractor in writing  
to proceed with the asbestos abatement work in accordance with this specification.

### **3.2 REGULATED AREA PREPARATIONS**

- A. OSHA Danger Signs: Post OSHA DANGER signs meeting the specifications of OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101 at any location and approaches to the regulated area where airborne concentrations of asbestos may exceed the PEL. Signs shall be posted at a distance sufficiently far enough away from the regulated area to permit any personnel to read the sign and take the necessary measures to avoid exposure. Additional signs will be posted following construction of the regulated area enclosure.
- B. Shut Down - Lock Out Electrical: Shut down and lock out/tag out electric power to the regulated area, where required. Provide temporary power and lighting. Insure safe installation including GFCI of temporary power sources and equipment by compliance with all applicable electrical code requirements and OSHA requirements for temporary electrical systems. Electricity shall be provided by the DOC MPCF.
- C. Shut Down - Lock Out HVAC:
  1. Shut down and lock out/tag out heating, cooling, and air conditioning system (HVAC) components that are in, supply or pass through the regulated area.
  2. Investigate the regulated area and agree on pre-abatement condition with the DOC MPCF's Representative. Seal all intake and exhaust vents in the regulated area with duct tape and 2-layers of independently installed 6-mil poly. See photographic log in Attachment 1 for additional intake information. Also, seal any seams in system components that pass through the regulated area. Remove all contaminated HVAC system filters and place in labeled 6-mil poly disposal bags for disposal as asbestos waste.
- D. Sanitary Facilities: The Abatement Contractor shall provide sanitary facilities for abatement personnel and maintain them in a clean and sanitary condition throughout the abatement project.
- E. Water for Abatement: The DOC MPCF will provide water for abatement purposes. The Abatement Contractor shall connect to the existing DOC MPCF system.

### **3.3 CONTAINMENT BARRIERS AND COVERINGS IN THE REGULATED AREA:**

- A. General: Using critical barriers, seal off the perimeter to the regulated area to completely isolate the regulated area from adjacent spaces. All penetrations in the regulated area must be covered with 2-layers of independently installed 6-mil poly to prevent contamination and to facilitate clean-up. Should adjacent areas become contaminated, immediately stop work and clean up the contamination at no additional cost to the Government
- B. Preparation Prior To Sealing Off: Place all tools, scaffolding, materials and equipment needed for working in the regulated area prior to erecting any plastic sheeting. Lock out and tag out any HVAC systems in the regulated area.
- C. Controlling Access to the Regulated Area: Access to the regulated area is allowed only at the Competent Person's designated location and shall serve as a personnel decontamination facility (PDF)/Area, if required. All other means of access shall be eliminated and OSHA Danger demarcation signs posted as required by OSHA.
- D. Critical Barriers: Critical penetration points into the building shall be sealed with 2-layers of 6-mil independently installed plastic sheeting (Polyethylene) secured in place at openings such as ducts, windows, louvers, penetrations or any other opening into the regulated area.
- E. Secondary Barriers: The Abatement Contractor must place drop cloths beneath piping during abatement activities to prevent contamination during removal efforts.
- F. Extension of the Regulated Area: If the enclosure of the regulated area is breached in any way that could allow contamination to occur, the affected area shall be included in the regulated area and constructed as per this section. If the affected area cannot be added to the regulated area, decontamination measures must be started immediately and continue until air monitoring indicates background levels are met.

### **3.4 DECONTAMINATION FACILITIES**

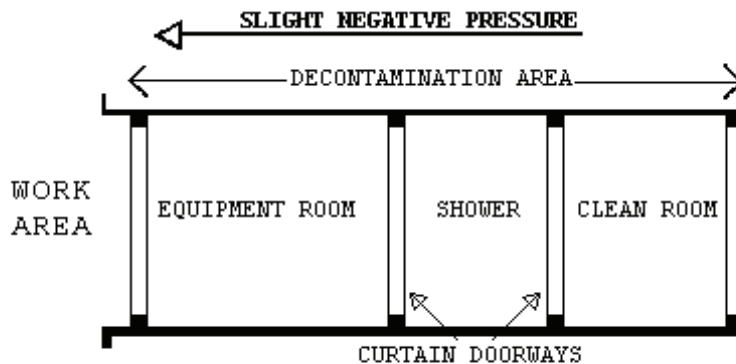
- A. Description: Provide each regulated area with separate personnel decontamination facilities (PDF) and waste/equipment decontamination facilities (W/EDF). Ensure that the PDF are the only means of ingress and egress to the regulated area and that all equipment, bagged waste, and other material exit the regulated area only through the W/EDF.

- B. General Requirements: All personnel entering or exiting a regulated area must go through the PDF and shall follow the requirements at 29 CFR 1926.1101 (j)(1) and these specifications. All waste, equipment and contaminated materials must exit the regulated area through the W/EDF and be decontaminated in accordance with these specifications. Walls and ceilings of the PDF and W/EDF must be constructed of a minimum of 3-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant polyethylene sheeting and be securely attached to existing building components and/or an adequate temporary framework. A minimum of 3-layers of 6-mil poly shall also be used to cover the floor under the PDF and W/EDF units. Construct doors so that they overlap and secure to adjacent surfaces. Weight inner doorway sheets with layers of duct tape so that they close quickly after release. Put arrows on sheets so they show direction of travel and overlap. If the building adjacent area is occupied, construct a solid barrier on the occupied side(s) to protect the sheeting and reduce potential for non-authorized personnel entering the regulated area.
- C. Temporary Facilities to the PDF and W/EDF: The Competent Person shall provide temporary water service connections to the PDF and W/EDF. Backflow prevention must be provided at the point of connection to the system. Water supply must be of adequate pressure and meet requirements of 29 CFR 1910.141(d)(3). Provide adequate temporary electric power with ground fault circuit interruption (GFCI) protection. Provide a sub-panel equipped with GFCI protection for all temporary power in the clean room.
- D. Personnel Decontamination Facility (PDF): The Competent Person shall provide a PDF consisting of shower room which is contiguous to a clean room and equipment room. The PDF must be sized to accommodate the number of personnel scheduled for the project. The shower room, located in the center of the PDF, shall be fitted with as many portable showers as necessary to insure all employees can complete the entire decontamination procedure within 15 minutes. The PDF shall be constructed of opaque poly for privacy. The PDF shall be constructed to eliminate any parallel routes of egress without showering.
1. Clean Room: The clean room must be physically and visually separated from the rest of the building to protect the privacy of personnel changing clothes. The clean room shall be constructed of at least 3-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant poly to provide an air tight room. Provide a minimum of 2 - 900 mm (3 foot) wide 6-mil poly opaque fire retardant doorways. One doorway shall be the entry from outside the PDF and

- the second doorway shall be to the shower room of the PDF. The floor of the clean room shall be maintained in a clean, dry and sanitary condition. Shower overflow shall not be allowed into the clean room. Provide 1 storage locker per person. A portable fire extinguisher, minimum 10 pounds capacity, Type ABC, shall be provided in accordance with OSHA and NFPA Standard 10. All persons entering the regulated area shall remove all street clothing in the clean room and dress in disposable protective clothing and respiratory protection. Any person entering the clean room does so either from the outside with street clothing on or is coming from the shower room completely naked and thoroughly washed. //Any person entering the regulated area to perform Glovebag removal work, in which a negative exposure assessment has been performed, shall don a double outer protective suit and respirator//. Male/Females required to enter the regulated area shall be ensured of their privacy throughout the entry/exit process by posting guards at both entry points to the PDF so no male/female can enter or exit the PDF during his/her stay in the PDF.
2. Shower Room: The Competent Person shall assure that the shower room is a completely water tight compartment to be used for the movement of all personnel from the clean room to the equipment room and for the showering of all personnel going from the equipment room to the clean room. Each shower shall be constructed so water runs down the walls of the shower and into a drip pan. Install a freely draining smooth floor on top of the shower pan. The shower room shall be separated from the rest of the building and from the clean room and equipment room using air tight walls made from at least 3-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant poly. The shower shall be equipped with a shower head and controls, hot and cold water, drainage, soap dish and continuous supply of soap, and shall be maintained in a sanitary condition throughout its use. The controls shall be arranged so an individual can shower without assistance. Provide a flexible hose shower head, hose bibs and all other items shown on Shower Schematic. Waste water will be pumped to a drain after being filtered through a minimum of a 100 micron sock in the shower drain; a 20 micron filter; and a final 5 micron filter. Filters will be changed a minimum of once per day or more often as needed. Filter changes must be done in the shower to prevent loss of contaminated water. Hose down all shower surfaces after each shift and clean any debris from the shower pan. Residue is to be disposed of as asbestos

waste. //The Competent Person shall provide a decontamination area at the outer perimeter of the regulated work area where the employees will decontaminate the outer protective suit and respirator by wet wiping and HEPA vacuuming//.

3. Equipment Room: The Competent Person shall provide an equipment room which shall be an air tight compartment for the storage of work equipment/tools, reusable personal protective equipment, except for a respirator and for use as a gross decontamination area for personnel exiting the regulated area. The equipment room shall be separated from the regulated area by a minimum 3 foot wide door made with 2-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant poly. The equipment room shall be separated from the regulated area, the shower room and the rest of the building by air tight walls and ceiling constructed of a minimum of 3-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant poly. Damp wipe all surfaces of the equipment room after each shift change. Provide an additional loose layer of 6-mil fire retardant poly per shift change and remove this layer after each shift. If needed, provide a temporary electrical sub-panel equipped with GFCI in the equipment room to accommodate any equipment required in the regulated area. //The Competent Person shall provide a decontamination area at the outer perimeter of the regulated work area where the employees will decontaminate the outer protective suit and respirator by wet wiping and HEPA vacuuming//.
4. The PDF shall be as follows: Clean room at the entrance followed by a shower room followed by an equipment room leading to the regulated area. Each doorway in the PDF shall be a minimum of 2-layers of 6-mil opaque fire retardant poly.

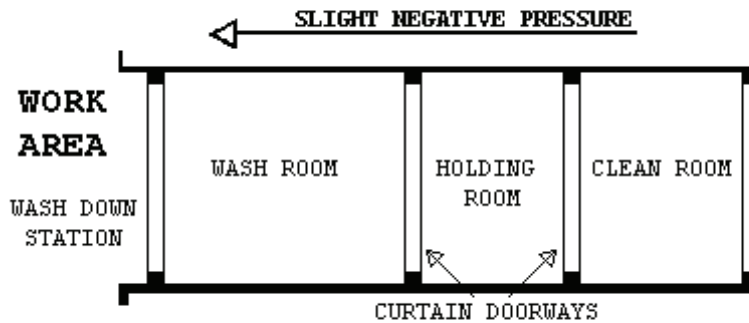


#### E. Waste/Equipment Decontamination Facility (W/EDF)

1. The Competent Person shall provide a W/EDF consisting of a wash room, holding room, and clean room for removal of waste, equipment and contaminated material

from the regulated area. Personnel shall not enter or exit the W/EDF except in the event of an emergency. Clean debris and residue in the W/EDF daily. All surfaces in the W/EDF shall be wiped/hosed down after each shift and all debris shall be cleaned from the shower pan. The W/EDF shall consist of the following:

- a. Wash Down Station: Provide an enclosed shower unit in the regulated area just outside the Wash Room as an equipment bag and container cleaning station.
- b. Wash Room: Provide a wash room for cleaning of bagged or containerized asbestos containing waste materials passed from the regulated area. Construct the wash room using 50 x 100 mm (2 inches x 4 inches) wood framing and 3-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly. Locate the wash room so that packaged materials, after being wiped clean, can be passed to the Holding Room. Doorways in the wash room shall be constructed of 2-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly.
- c. Holding Room: Provide a holding room as a drop location for bagged materials passed from the wash room. Construct the holding room using 50 x 100 mm (2 inches x 4 inches) wood framing or approved equivalent and 3-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly. The holding room shall be located so that bagged material cannot be passed from the wash room to the clean room unless it goes through the holding room. Doorways in the holding room shall be constructed of 2-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly.
- d. Clean Room: Provide a clean room to isolate the holding room from the exterior of the regulated area. Construct the clean room using 2 inches x 4 inches wood framing or approved equivalent and 2-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly. The clean room shall be located so as to provide access to the holding room from the building exterior. Doorways to the clean room shall be constructed of 2-layers of 6-mil fire retardant poly. When a negative pressure differential system is used, a rigid enclosure separation between the W/EDF clean room and the adjacent areas shall be provided.
- e. The W/EDF shall be as follows: Wash Room leading to a Holding Room followed by a Clean Room leading to outside the regulated area. See diagram.



- F. Waste/Equipment Decontamination Procedures: At the washdown station in the regulated area, thoroughly wet wipe/clean contaminated equipment and/or sealed polyethylene bags and pass into Wash Room after visual inspection. When passing anything into the Wash Room, close all doorways of the W/EDF, other than the doorway between the washdown station and the Wash Room. Keep all outside personnel clear of the W/EDF. Once inside the Wash Room, wet clean the equipment and/or bags. After cleaning and inspection, pass items into the Holding Room. Close all doorways except the doorway between the Holding Room and the Clean Room. Workers from the Clean Room/Exterior shall enter the Holding Room and remove the decontaminated/cleaned equipment/bags for removal and disposal. At no time shall personnel from the clean side be allowed to enter the Wash Room.

### 3.5 MONITORING, INSPECTION AND TESTING

A. General:

1. The Abatement Contractor shall perform monitoring, inspection, and testing inside the work area throughout the abatement work in accordance with OSHA requirements and these specifications. The competent person shall periodically inspect and oversee the performance of the Abatement Contractor's workers. The competent person shall continuously inspect and monitor conditions inside the work area to ensure compliance with these specifications. In addition, the competent person shall personally manage air sample collection, analysis, and evaluation for personnel samples to satisfy OSHA requirements. Additional inspection and testing requirements are specified in other parts of this section.

2. OSHA requires that the employee exposure to asbestos must not exceed 0.1 fiber per cubic centimeter (f/cc) of air, averaged over an 8-hour work shift. The competent person is responsible for managing all personnel monitoring, inspecting, and testing required by these Specifications, the OSHA regulation 29 CFR 1926.1101, and for continuous monitoring of all sub-systems and procedures affecting the safety of the Abatement Contractor's employees. Safety of the Abatement Contractor's employees and providing safe conditions inside and outside the work area shall be the primary concern of the competent person. The analytical laboratory used by the Abatement Contractor to analyze the samples shall be accredited by the AIHA® Laboratory Accreditation Programs, LLC under the Industrial Hygiene Laboratory Accreditation Program (IHLAP). If the samples are analyzed onsite, the analyst shall, at a minimum, participate in the AIHA® Laboratory Accreditation Programs, LLC Proficiency in Analytical Testing (PAT) Program and be rated proficient. Keep a daily log of personal samples taken and analyzed and make such log available to the Owner. The daily log for personnel shall contain information on the person sampled, the date of sample collection the time of sample start and finish, flow rate, sample volume, and results in f/cc. **Collect and analyze personal samples for at least 20% of the workers on each shift.**

The sampling volume will be 240 to 1,200 liters, with a flow rate of 0.5 to 2.5 liters per minute. Results of the OSHA personal air samples must be provided to the IDAS's Representative as soon as available and posted on the site.

3. The State of Iowa will employ an independent 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Consultant (Consultant or Terracon). The Consultant will perform representative monitoring (if requested), inspection, testing, and other support services to ensure that inmates, employees, and visitors will not be adversely affected by the abatement work, and that the abatement work proceeds in accordance with these specifications, that the abated areas have been successfully decontaminated. The work of the Consultant in no way relieves the Abatement Contractor from their responsibility to perform the work in accordance with contract/specification requirements, to perform continuous inspection, monitoring and testing for the safety of their employees, and to perform other such services as specified. The cost of the Consultant and their services will be borne by the State except for any repeat of final inspection and testing that may be

required due to unsatisfactory initial results. Any repeated final inspections and/or testing, if required, will be paid for by the Abatement Contractor.

If fibers counted during abatement work, either inside or outside the regulated area, utilizing the NIOSH 7400 air monitoring method, exceed the industry standard specified respective limits, the Abatement Contractor shall stop work.

B. Scope of Services of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Consultant:

1. The purpose of the work of the State's 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Consultant is to: assure quality; adherence to the specification; resolve problems; prevent the spread of contamination beyond the regulated area; and assure clearance at the end of the project. In addition, their work includes performing the final inspection and testing to determine whether the regulated area and building has been adequately decontaminated. Air monitoring utilizing PCM, will be completed as requested by the State :
  - a. Task 1: If requested, establish background levels before abatement begins by collecting background samples. Retain samples for possible TEM analysis.
  - b. Task 2: If necessary, perform representative air monitoring, inspection, and testing outside the regulated area during actual abatement work to detect any faults in the regulated area isolation and any adverse impact on the surroundings from regulated area activities, as requested.
  - c. Task 3: Perform unannounced visits to spot check overall compliance of work with contract/specifications. These visits may include any inspection, monitoring, and testing inside and outside the regulated area and all aspects of the operation except personnel monitoring.
  - d. Task 4: If requested, perform representative air monitoring, inspection, and testing outside the regulated area during actual abatement work to detect any faults in the regulated area isolation and any adverse impact on the surroundings from regulated area activities.
  - e. Task 5: Provide support to the IDAS and design Team such as evaluation of submittals from the Abatement Contractor, resolution of conflicts, interpret data, etc.
  - f. Task 6: Perform final inspection and testing of the decontaminated regulated area at the conclusion of the abatement to certify compliance with all regulations and requirements/specifications.

- g. Task 7: Issue certificate of completion.
2. All documentation, inspection results and testing results generated will be available to the Abatement Contractor for information and consideration. The Abatement Contractor shall cooperate with and support the Consultant for efficient and smooth performance of their work.
3. The monitoring and inspection results of the Consultant will be used to issue any Stop Removal orders to the Abatement Contractor during abatement work and to accept or reject a regulated area or building as decontaminated.

### **3.6 REMOVAL OF TSI ACM**

#### **A. Wetting Materials:**

1. Use amended water for the wetting of ACM prior to removal. The Competent Person shall assure that the wetting of ACM meets the definition of "adequately wet" in the EPA NESHAP regulation and OSHA's "wet methods" for the duration of the project. A removal encapsulant may be used instead of amended water with written approval of the IDAS Representative.
2. Amended Water: Provide water to which a surfactant has been added to wet the ACM and reduce the potential for fiber release during disturbance of ACM.
3. Removal Encapsulant: Provide a penetrating encapsulant designed specifically for the removal of ACM.

#### **B. Secondary Barrier: Install as a drop cloth a 6-mil poly sheet at the beginning of each work shift where removal is to be done during that shift. Secure the drop cloth (6-mil poly sheet) with duct tape or approved equivalent to prevent it from moving or debris from getting behind it. Remove the drop cloth (6-mil poly sheet) at the end of the shift or as work in the area is completed. Keep residue on the drop cloth (6-mil poly sheet) wetted. When removing, fold inward to prevent spillage and place in a disposal bag.**

#### **C. Wet Removal of ACM: Using acceptable Glovebag procedures, adequately and thoroughly wet the ACM to be removed prior to removal with amended water or when authorized by IDAS, removal encapsulant to reduce/prevent fiber release to the air. Adequate time must be allowed for the amended water or removal encapsulant to saturate the ACM. Abatement personnel must not disturb dry ACM. Use a fine spray of amended water or removal encapsulant. Saturate the material sufficiently to wet to the substrate without causing excessive dripping. The material must be sprayed**

repeatedly/continuously during the removal process in order to maintain adequately wet conditions. Removal encapsulants must be applied in accordance with the manufacturer's written instructions. Perforate or carefully separate, using wet methods, an outer covering that is painted or jacketed in order to allow penetration and wetting of the material. Where necessary, carefully remove covering while wetting to minimize fiber release.

### **3.7 GLOVEBAG REMOVAL PROCEDURES**

- A. General: All applicable OSHA requirements and Glovebag manufacturer's recommendations shall be met during Glovebag removal operations. In cases where live steam lines are present, the lines must be shut down prior to any work being performed on the system. No abatement work shall be conducted on live, pressurized steam lines. The Contractor may choose to use a High Temperature Glovebag in which a temperature rating ranges from 300°F to 700°F on steam lines that have recently been shut down and remain at high temperature for some time. In the case where a Glovebag is not feasible, the Contractor will need to build a full negative pressure containment of sufficient size or work within a negative pressure mini-enclosure and follow all regulations as it pertains to removal. The Contractor shall provide enough HEPA negative air machines to continuously maintain a negative pressure differential of -0.02 inch water column gauge (WCG) inside the regulated work area relative to adjacent non-work building areas. OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101 (g)(5)(i)(A)(2) also requires at least four (4) air changes per hour. Contractor shall increase air changes per hour as necessary to maintain volatile organic compounds below the applicable OSHA PEL. Contractor shall protect pipe insulation from being disturbed on either side of the Glovebag removal operations with a "candy stripe" layer of 6-mil poly sheet and duct tape, if Glove bag removal activities cause the piping to dislodge ACM during performance of their work.
1. Mix the surfactant with water in the garden sprayer, following the manufacturer's directions.
  2. Have each employee put on a HEPA filtered respirator approved for asbestos and check the fit using the positive/negative fit check.
  3. Have each employee put on a disposable full-body suit. Remember, the hood goes over the respirator straps.

4. Check closely the integrity of the glove bag to be used. Check all seams, gloves, sleeves, and glove openings. OSHA requires the bottom of the bag to be seamless.
5. Check the pipe where the work will be performed. If it is damaged (broken lagging, hanging, etc.), wrap the entire length of the pipe in poly sheeting and "candy stripe" it with duct tape.
6. Attach Glovebag with required tools per manufacturer's instructions.
7. Using the smoke tube and aspirator bulb, test the Glovebags by placing the tube into the water porthole (two-inch opening to glove bag), and fill the bag with smoke and squeeze it. If leaks are found, they shall be taped closed using duct tape and the bag shall be retested with smoke.
8. Insert the wand from the water sprayer through the water porthole.
9. Insert the hose end from a HEPA vacuum into the upper portion of the glove bag.
10. Wet and remove the pipe insulation.
11. If the section of pipe is covered with an aluminum jacket, remove it first using the wire cutters to cut any bands and then use tin snips to remove the aluminum. It is important to fold the sharp edges in to prevent cutting the bag when placing it in the bottom.
12. When the work is complete, spray the upper portion of the bag and move all residue into the bottom of the bag with the other waste material. Be very thorough. Use adequate water.
13. Put all tools, after washing them off in the bag, in one of the sleeves of glove bag and turn it inside out, drawing it outside of the bag. Twist the sleeve tightly several times to seal it and tape it several tight turns with duct tape. Cut through the middle of the duct tape and remove the sleeve. Put the sleeve in the next glove bag or put it in a bucket of water to decontaminate the tools after cutting the sleeve open.
14. Turn on the HEPA vacuum and collapse the bag completely. Remove the vacuum nozzle, seal the hole with duct tape, twist the bag tightly several times in the middle, and tape it to keep the material in the bottom during removal of the glove bag from the pipe.
15. Slip a disposal bag over the glove bag (still attached to the pipe). Remove the tape securing the ends and slit open the top of the glove bag and carefully fold it down into the disposal bag. Double bag and gooseneck waste materials.

B. Negative Pressure Glovebag Procedure:

1. In addition to the above requirements, the HEPA vacuum shall be run continuously during the Glovebag procedure until completion at which time the Glovebag will be collapsed by the HEPA vacuum prior to removal from the pipe/component.
2. The HEPA vacuum shall be attached and operated as needed to prevent collapse of the Glovebag during the removal process.

### **3.8 WRAP AND CUT OPERATION**

- A. Prior to cutting pipe, the asbestos-containing insulation must be wrapped with 6-mil polyethylene and securely sealed with duct tape to prevent asbestos becoming airborne as a result of the cutting process. The following steps must be taken: if the wrap portion requires the removal of small amounts of asbestos on either side of the pipe cut, install glovebag, strip back sections to be cut 150 mm 6 inches from point of cut, and then cut pipe into manageable sections.

### **3.9 LOCKDOWN ENCAPSULATION**

- A. General: Lockdown encapsulation is an integral part of the ACM removal. At the conclusion of ACM removal and before removal of the primary barriers, all piping surfaces shall be encapsulated with a bridging encapsulant.
- B. Sealing Exposed Edges: Seal edges of ACM exposed by removal work with two coats of encapsulant. Prior to sealing, permit the exposed edges to dry completely to permit penetration of the encapsulant.

### **3.10 WASTE DISPOSAL MANIFEST**

- A. The asbestos waste manifest is subject to the following procedures:
  1. An asbestos waste manifest as provided for under NESHAP and/or individual states shall be provided by the Abatement Contractor and is the only manifest to be utilized.
  2. The Abatement Contractor shall complete the manifest and verify that all information and amounts are accurate and that the proper signatures are in place.
  3. The manifest shall have the signatures of the Abatement Contractor and the transporter prior to any waste being removed from the work site
  4. The manifest shall be signed by the disposal facility operator to certify receipt of the asbestos-containing materials covered by the manifest.

5. An original copy of the completed manifest shall be returned to the MPCF/IDAS by the Abatement Contractor within 30 days of removal from the site.

### **3.11 DISPOSAL of ACM**

A. General: Dispose of waste ACM and debris which is packaged in accordance with these specifications, OSHA, EPA and DOT. The landfill requirements for packaging must also be met. Transport will be in compliance with 49 CFR 171–180 regulations. Disposal shall be done at an approved landfill in accordance with State and Local requirements. Disposal of non-friable ACM shall be done in accordance with applicable State and Local regulations.

B. Labeling:

1. The Abatement Contractor shall place caution labels on the containers in accordance with OSHA regulation 29 CFR 1910.1101. These caution labels shall be clearly visible and shall contain the following statements:

DANGER  
CONTAINS ASBESTOS FIBERS  
MAY CAUSE CANCER  
CAUSES DAMAGE TO LUNGS  
DO NOT BREATHE DUST  
AVOID CREATING DUST

2. As required by USEPA 40 CFR Part 61 NESHAP, each individual waste container shall be tagged with the name or USEPA identification number of the waste generator and the location at which the waste was generated.
3. As required by the U. S. Department of Transportation, warning labels on bags or waste containers shall contain the following statements:

Asbestos NA2212  
Generator's Name and Location  
and a Class 9 Label

C. Waste Transport: The waste transport container (truck, dumpster) must have the Class 9 placard with the asbestos ID number NA2212.

### **3.12 PROJECT DECONTAMINATION**

A. General:

1. The entire work related to project decontamination shall be performed under the close supervision and monitoring of the Abatement Contractor Supervisor/Competent Person.
- B. Work Description: Decontamination includes the cleaning and clearance of the air in the regulated area and the decontamination and removal of the enclosures/facilities installed prior to the abatement work including primary/critical barriers, PDF and W/EDF facilities, if used.
- C. Pre-Decontamination Conditions:
  1. Before decontamination starts, all ACM waste from the regulated area shall be removed, all waste collected and removed, and the secondary barrier of poly removal and disposed of along with any gross debris generated by the work.
  2. At the start of decontamination, the following shall be in place:
    - a. Critical barriers at openings such as ducts, windows, louvers, penetrations or any other opening into the regulated area.
    - b. Decontamination facilities, if required for personnel and equipment in operating condition.
- D. Cleaning: Carry out a first cleaning of all surfaces of the regulated area including items of remaining poly sheeting, tools, scaffolding, ladders/staging by wet methods and HEPA vacuuming. Do not use dry dusting/sweeping/air blowing methods. Use each surface of a wetted cleaning cloth one time only and then dispose of as contaminated waste. Continue this cleaning until there is no visible residue from abated surfaces or poly surfaces

### **3.13 VISUAL INSPECTION AND AIR CLEARANCE TESTING**

- A. General: Notify the IDAS/Construction Manager/Consultant 24 hours in advance for the performance of the final visual inspection. The final visual inspection will be performed by the Consultant.
- B. Visual Inspection: Final visual inspection will include the entire regulated area, all poly sheeting, seals over ducts, windows, louvers, penetrations or any other opening into the regulated area. If any debris, residue, dust or any other suspect material is detected, the cleaning shall be repeated at no additional cost to the State/DOC MPCF. Dust/ material samples may be collected and analyzed at no additional cost to the DOC MPCF at the

discretion of the Consultant to confirm visual findings. When the regulated area is visually clean the final testing can be done.

C. Final Air Clearance Procedures:

1. Abatement Contractor's Release Criteria: Work in a regulated area is complete when the regulated area is visually clean and airborne fiber levels have been reduced to or below 0.01 f/cc as measured by the AHERA PCM protocol
2. Air Monitoring and Final Clearance Sampling: To determine if the elevated airborne fiber counts encountered during abatement operations have been reduced to the specified level, the Consultant will secure samples and analyze them according to the following procedures:
  - a. Fibers Counted: "Fibers" referred to in this section shall be either all fibers regardless of composition as counted in the NIOSH 7400 PCM method or asbestos fibers counted using the AHERA TEM method.
  - b. Samples will be collected on 0.8 $\mu$  MCE filters for PCM analysis. A minimum of 3850 Liters of air using calibrated sampling pumps shall be collected for PCM samples. Before pumps are started, initiate aggressive air mixing sampling as detailed in 40 CFR 763 Subpart E (AHERA) Appendix A (III)(B)(7)(d). Air samples will be collected in areas subject to normal air circulation away from corners, obstructed locations, and locations near windows, doors, or vents. After air sampling pumps have been shut off, circulating fans shall be shut off. The negative pressure system shall continue to operate.

D. Clearance Sampling Using PCM:

1. The Consultant will perform clearance samples as indicated by the specification.
2. The NIOSH 7400 PCM method will be used for clearance sampling with a minimum collection volume of 3850 Liters of air. A minimum of 5 PCM clearance samples shall be collected. All samples must be equal to or less than 0.01 f/cc to clear the regulated area.

E. Laboratory Testing of PCM Samples: The services of an AIHA accredited laboratory will be employed by IDAS to perform analysis for the PCM air samples. The accredited laboratory shall be successfully participating in the AIHA Proficiency Analytical Testing (PAT) program. Samples will be sent daily by the Consultant so that verbal/faxed reports can be received within 24-36 hours. A complete record, certified by the laboratory, of all

air monitoring tests and results will be furnished to the IDAS Representative and the Contractor.

### **3.14 ABATEMENT CLOSEOUT AND CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

- A. Completion of Abatement Work:
  - 1. After thorough decontamination, complete asbestos abatement work upon meeting the regulated area clearance criteria and fulfilling the following:
    - a. Remove all equipment, materials, and debris from the project area.
    - b. Package and dispose of all asbestos waste as required.
    - c. Fulfill other project closeout requirements as specified elsewhere in this specification.
- B. Certificate of Abatement Completion by Abatement Contractor: Both the Competent Person and Consultant will complete and sign the "NOTIFICATION OF ASBESTOS ABATEMENT PROJECT CLEARANCE" in accordance with Attachment 2 at the completion of the abatement and decontamination of the regulated area.

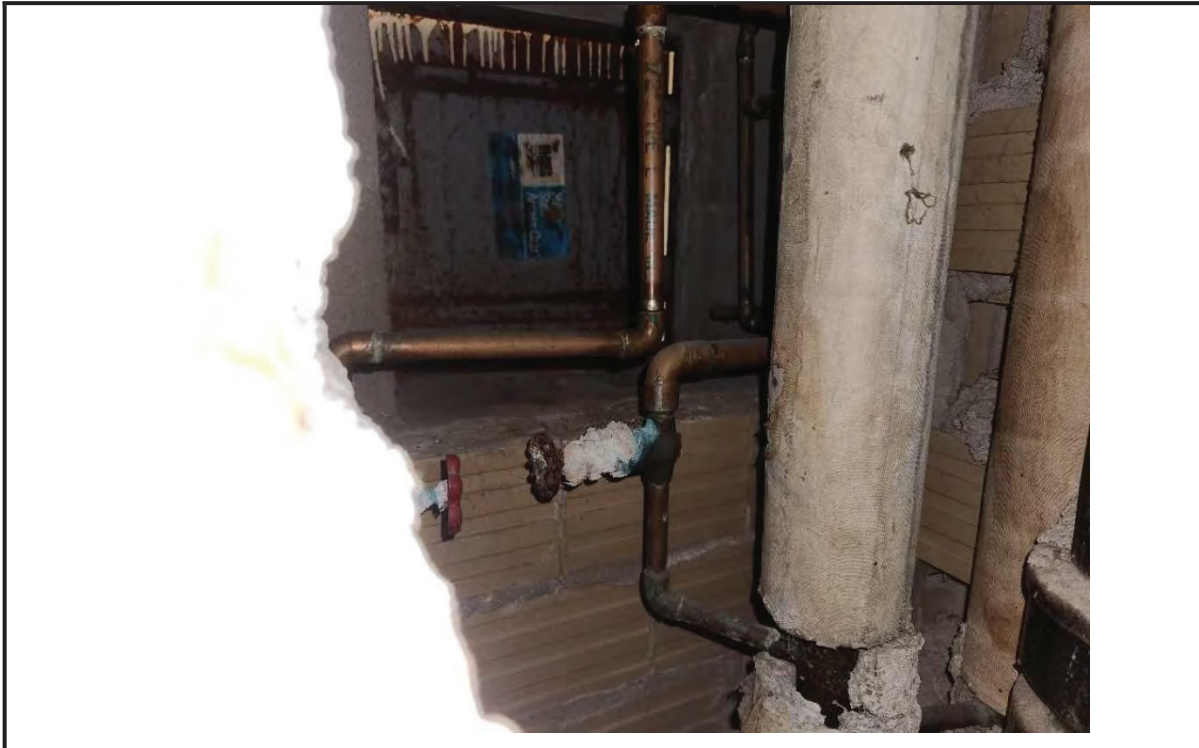
**ATTACHMENT 1: PHOTOGRAPHIC DOCUMENTATION**



**Photo 1:** View of ACM linear pipe runs in Basement Area B.



**Photo 2:** View of mudded joint fittings in a pipe chase in Basement Area B.



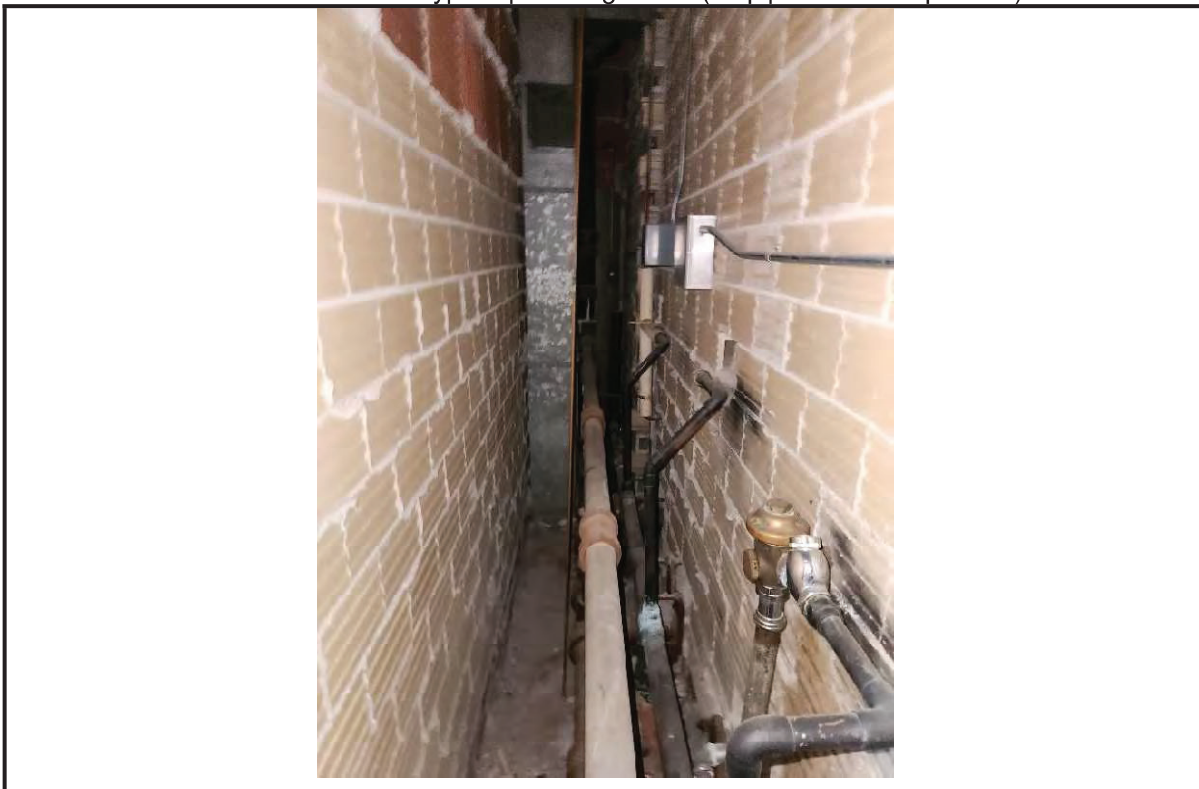
**Photo 3:** View of a run of vertical ACM pipe insulation.



**Photo 4:** View of ACM paper pipe insulation on 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Area A.



**Photo 5:** View of a typical plumbing closet (no pipe insulation present).



**Photo 6:** View of a plumbing pipe chase (no pipe insulation present).



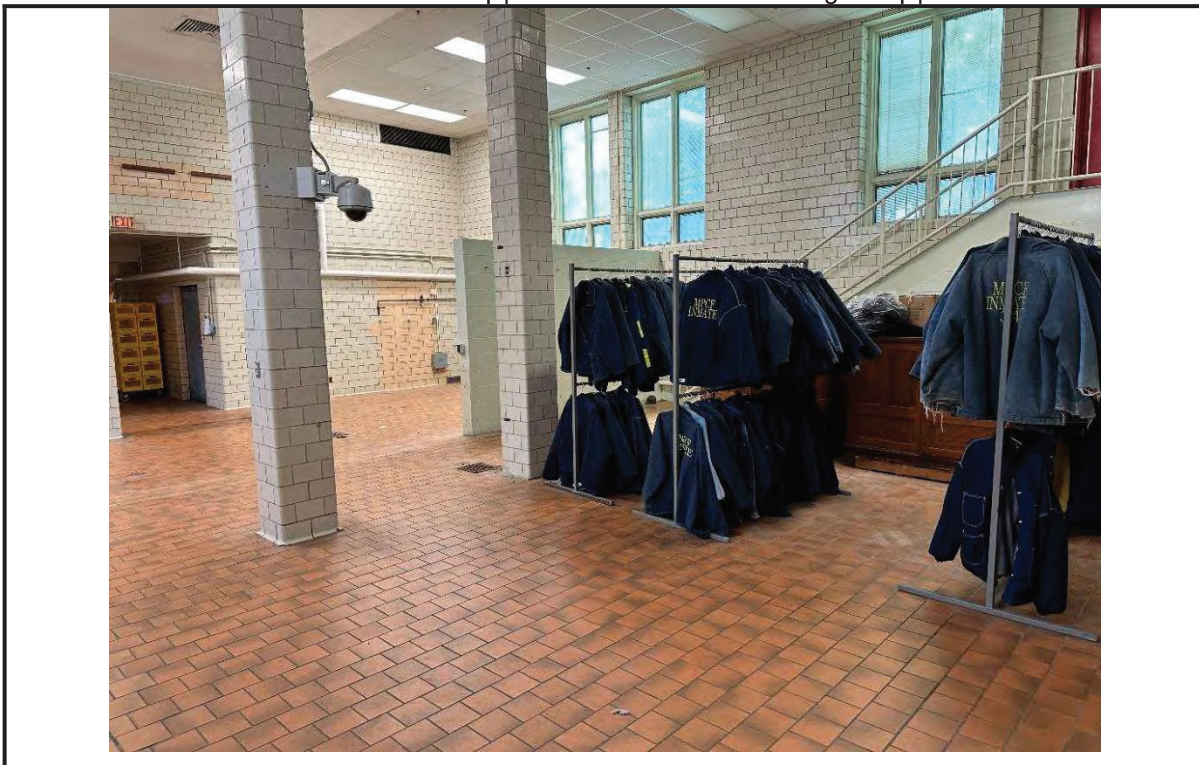
**Photo 7:** View of ACM pipe insulation in 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Area A.



**Photo 8:** View of vertical runs of pipe insulation.



**Photo 9:** View of pipe insulation and muddled fittings in a pipe chase.



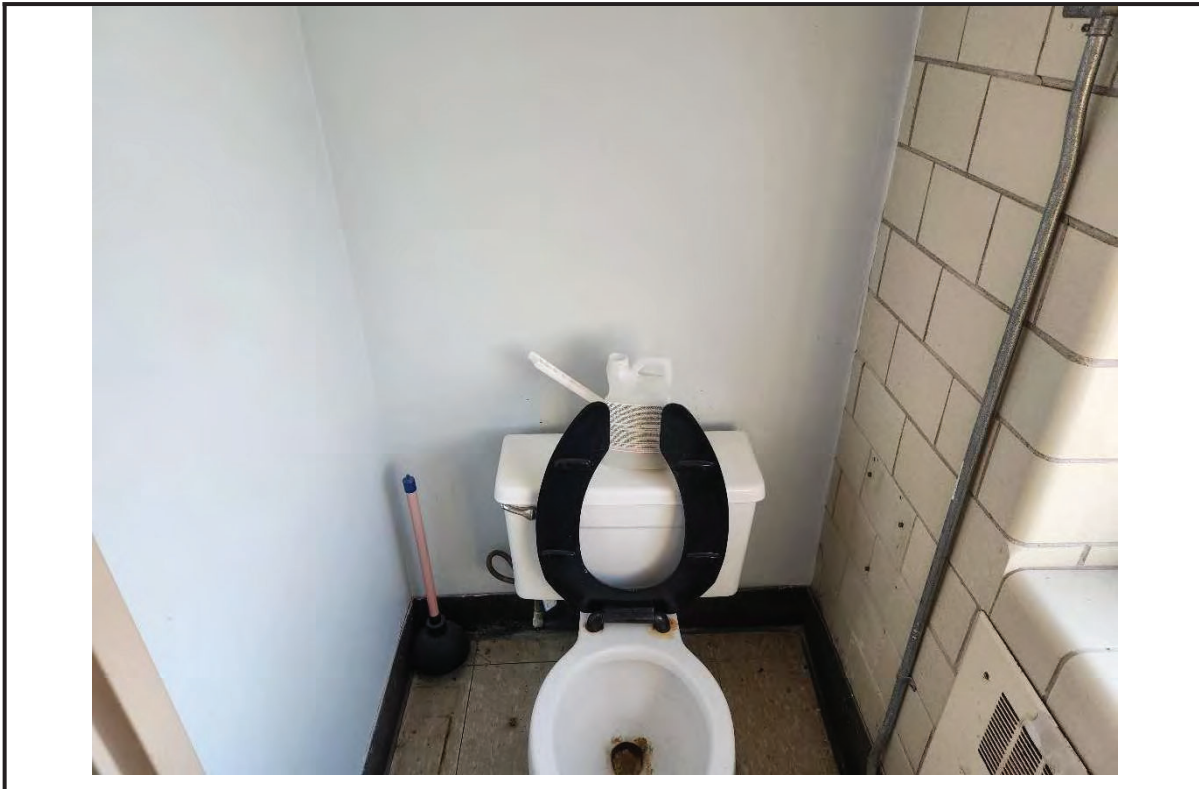
**Photo 10:** View of windows for potential HEPA exhaust points in the basement.



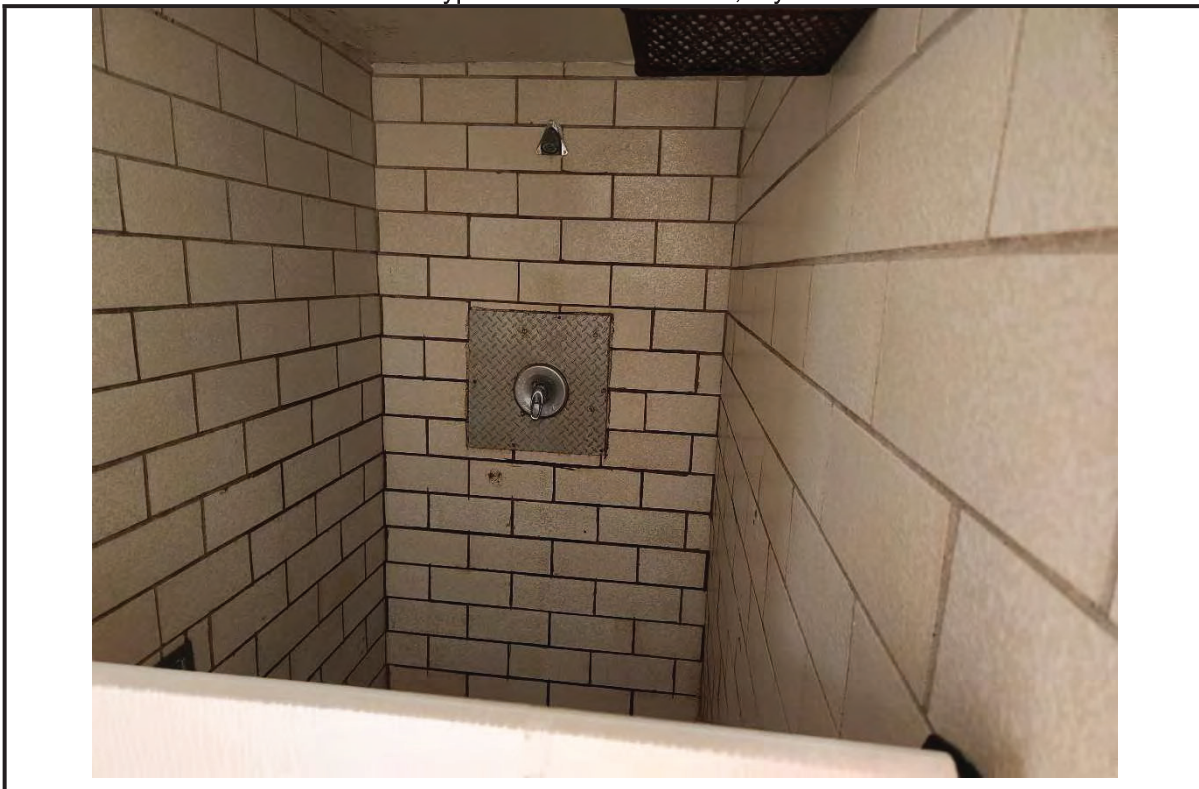
**Photo 11:** View of windows for potential HEPA exhaust points.



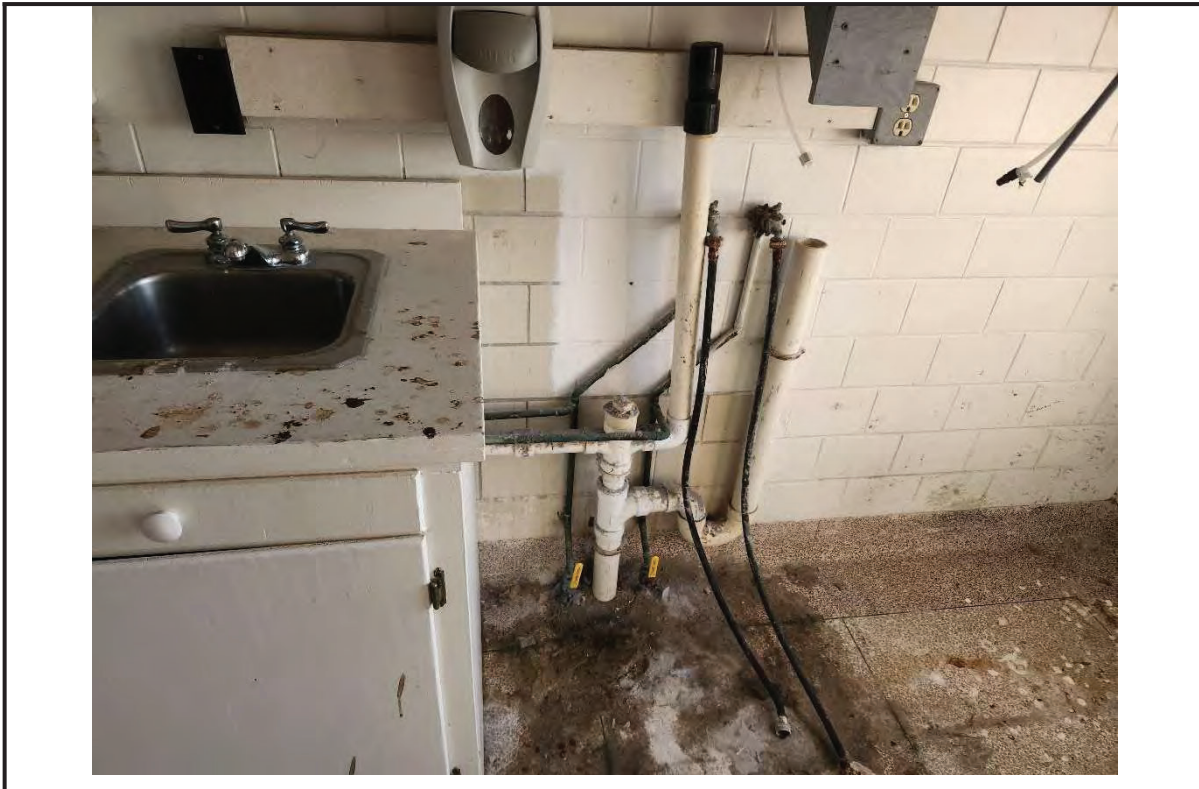
**Photo 12:** View of typical ceramic block wall and sink fixture.



**Photo 13:** View of a typical ceramic block wall, drywall and toilet fixture.



**Photo 14:** View of a typical shower area.



**Photo 15:** View of a typical sink cabinet fixture and associated PVC piping.



**Photo 16:** View of a typical pipe chase closet with cast iron, copper, and PVC piping (no ACM present).

**ATTACHMENT 2: NOTIFICATION OF ASBESTOS ABATEMENT PROJECT FINAL  
CLEARANCE**

NOTIFICATION OF ASBESTOS ABATEMENT PROJECT FINAL CLEARANCE

Building: Mount Pleasant Correctional Facility Building 20 Project #: DO-9372.00-005  
 Address: 1200 E Washington St., Mount Pleasant, IA Contractor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The Abatement Contractor hereby certifies that the competent person/supervisor has visually inspected the surfaces in and around the regulated work area (floors, walls, pipes, ducts, beams and girders, ceiling and roof decks, decontamination area, polyethylene sheeting, ledges, lights, etc.) and has observed no visible asbestos-containing debris, residue, or wastes from the area where asbestos was specified for removal.

SUPERVISOR: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Print name)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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 FINAL VISUAL INSPECTION

ELEVATION	LOCATION	MATERIAL REMOVED	UNIT OF MEASURE	APPROXIMATE QUANTITY

	Dust/Debris Free	N/A	Yes	No		Dust/Debris Free	N/A	Yes	No
a.	Floors/Ground	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	e.	Vertical surfaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b.	Horizontal surfaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	f.	Containment barriers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c.	Pipes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	g.	Ducts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d.	HVAC	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	h.	Decon area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

In accordance with Specifications and Contract Documents, the Representative has visually inspected the surfaces in and around the regulated work area (floors, ground, walls, pipes, ducts, beams, ceiling and roof decks, decontamination area, polyethylene sheeting, ledges, lights, etc.) and has observed no visible asbestos-containing debris, residue, or wastes from the area where asbestos was specified for removal. Exceptions to this statement are noted below on the punch list. Each exception has been corrected as of the date below:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Waste containerized per local, state, and federal regulations:  Yes  No  Unknown

REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Owner Representative:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Print name)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 03 3000  
CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes cast-in-place concrete, including formwork, reinforcement, concrete materials, mixture design, placement procedures, and finishes, for the following:
  - 1. Slabs-on-grade.

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. AASHTO M 182 - Standard Specification for Burlap Cloth Made from Jute or Kenaf and Cotton Mats; 2005.
- B. ACI 117 - Specification for Tolerances for Concrete Construction and Materials; 2010 (Reapproved 2015).
- C. ACI 301 - Specifications for Concrete Construction; 2020.
- D. ACI 302.1R - Guide to Concrete Floor and Slab Construction; 2015.
- E. ACI 305R - Guide to Hot Weather Concreting; 2020.
- F. ACI 306R - Guide to Cold Weather Concreting; 2016.
- G. ACI 308R - Guide to External Curing of Concrete; 2016.
- H. ACI 347R - Guide to Formwork for Concrete; 2014 (Reapproved 2021).
- I. ASTM A1064/A1064M - Standard Specification for Carbon-Steel Wire and Welded Wire Reinforcement, Plain and Deformed, for Concrete; 2022.
- J. ASTM A615/A615M - Standard Specification for Deformed and Plain Carbon-Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement; 2022.
- K. ASTM C1017/C1017M - Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Use in Producing Flowing Concrete; 2013.
- L. ASTM C1059/C1059M - Standard Specification for Latex Agents for Bonding Fresh to Hardened Concrete; 2021.
- M. ASTM C1064/C1064M - Standard Test Method for Temperature of Freshly Mixed Hydraulic-Cement Concrete; 2012.
- N. ASTM C109/C109M - Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Hydraulic Cement Mortars (Using 50 mm [2 in.] Cube Specimens); 2023.
- O. ASTM C1116/C1116M - Standard Specification for Fiber-Reinforced Concrete; 2023.
- P. ASTM C143/C143M - Standard Test Method for Slump of Hydraulic-Cement Concrete; 2020.
- Q. ASTM C150/C150M - Standard Specification for Portland Cement; 2022.
- R. ASTM C171 - Standard Specification for Sheet Materials for Curing Concrete; 2020.
- S. ASTM C172/C172M - Standard Practice for Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete; 2017.
- T. ASTM C219 - Standard Terminology Relating to Hydraulic Cement; 2014.

- U. ASTM C231/C231M - Standard Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method; 2014.
- V. ASTM C260/C260M - Standard Specification for Air-Entraining Admixtures for Concrete; 2010a (Reapproved 2016).
- W. ASTM C309 - Standard Specification for Liquid Membrane-Forming Compounds for Curing Concrete; 2019.
- X. ASTM C31/C31M - Standard Practice for Making and Curing Concrete Test Specimens in the Field; 2024.
- Y. ASTM C33/C33M - Standard Specification for Concrete Aggregates; 2023.
- Z. ASTM C39/C39M - Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Cylindrical Concrete Specimens; 2023.
- AA. ASTM C494/C494M - Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Concrete; 2019, with Editorial Revision (2022).
- BB. ASTM C595/C595M - Standard Specification for Blended Hydraulic Cements; 2021.
- CC. ASTM C618 - Standard Specification for Coal Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use in Concrete; 2023, with Editorial Revision.
- DD. ASTM C881/C881M - Standard Specification for Epoxy-Resin-Base Bonding Systems for Concrete; 2020a.
- EE. ASTM C94/C94M - Standard Specification for Ready-Mixed Concrete; 2024.
- FF. ASTM D1709 - Standard Test Methods for Impact Resistance of Plastic Film by the Free-Falling Dart Method; 2016a, with Editorial Revision (2017).
- GG. ASTM D882 - Standard Test Method for Tensile Properties of Thin Plastic Sheeting; 2018.
- HH. ASTM E1155 - Standard Test Method for Determining FF Floor Flatness and FL Floor Levelness Numbers; 2020.
- II. ASTM E1643 - Standard Practice for Selection, Design, Installation, and Inspection of Water Vapor Retarders Used in Contact with Earth or Granular Fill Under Concrete Slabs; 2018a.
- JJ. ASTM E1745 - Standard Specification for Plastic Water Vapor Retarders Used in Contact with Soil or Granular Fill under Concrete Slabs; 2017 (Reapproved 2023).
- KK. ASTM F1249 - Standard Test Method for Water Vapor Transmission Rate Through Plastic Film and Sheeting Using a Modulated Infrared Sensor; 2020.
- LL. AWS D1.4/D1.4M - Structural Welding Code - Steel Reinforcing Bars; 2018, with Amendment (2020).

### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Cementitious Materials: Portland cement alone or in combination with one or more of the following: blended hydraulic cement, fly ash and other pozzolans, ground granulated blast-furnace slag, and silica fume; subject to compliance with requirements.

### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.

- B. Design Mixtures: For each concrete mixture. Submit alternate design mixtures when characteristics of materials, Project conditions, weather, test results, or other circumstances warrant adjustments.
  - 1. Indicate amounts of mixing water to be withheld for later addition at Project site.
- C. Steel Reinforcement Shop Drawings: Placing drawings that detail fabrication, bending, and placement. Include bar sizes, lengths, material, grade, bar schedules, stirrup spacing, bent bar diagrams, bar arrangement, splices and laps, mechanical connections, tie spacing, hoop spacing, and supports for concrete reinforcement.
- D. Construction Joint Layout: Indicate proposed construction joints required to construct the structure.
  - 1. Location of construction joints is subject to approval of the Architect.

#### 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: For installer and manufacturer.
- B. Material Certificates: For each of the following, signed by manufacturers:
  - 1. Cementitious materials.
  - 2. Admixtures.
  - 3. Form materials and form-release agents.
  - 4. Steel reinforcement and accessories.
  - 5. Waterstops.
  - 6. Curing compounds.
  - 7. Floor and slab treatments.
  - 8. Bonding agents.
  - 9. Adhesives.
  - 10. Vapor barriers.
  - 11. Joint-filler strips.
  - 12. Repair materials.
- C. Material Test Reports: For the following, from a qualified testing agency, indicating compliance with requirements:
  - 1. Aggregates. Include test results per ASTM C295 indicating aggregate is free of materials with deleterious reactivity to alkali in cement.
- D. Floor surface flatness and levelness measurements indicating compliance with specified tolerances.
- E. Field quality-control reports.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: A qualified installer who employs on Project personnel qualified as ACI-certified Flatwork Technician and Finisher and a supervisor who is an ACI-certified Concrete Flatwork Technician.
- B. Manufacturer Qualifications: A firm experienced in manufacturing ready-mixed concrete products and that complies with ASTM C94/C94M requirements for production facilities and equipment.

1. Manufacturer certified according to NRMCA's "Certification of Ready Mixed Concrete Production Facilities."
- C. Testing Agency Qualifications: An independent agency, acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, qualified according to ASTM C1077 and ASTM E329 for testing indicated.
  1. Personnel conducting field tests shall be qualified as ACI Concrete Field Testing Technician, Grade 1, according to ACI CP-1 or an equivalent certification program.
  2. Personnel performing laboratory tests shall be ACI-certified Concrete Strength Testing Technician and Concrete Laboratory Testing Technician - Grade I. Testing Agency laboratory supervisor shall be an ACI-certified Concrete Laboratory Testing Technician - Grade II.
- D. Source Limitations: Obtain each type or class of cementitious material of the same brand from the same manufacturer's plant, obtain aggregate from single source, and obtain admixtures from single source from single manufacturer.
- E. Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.4/D1.4M, "Structural Welding Code - Reinforcing Steel."
- F. ACI Publications: Comply with the following unless modified by requirements in the Contract Documents:
  1. ACI 301, "Specifications for Structural Concrete, Sections 1 through 5.
  2. ACI 117, "Specifications for Tolerances for Concrete Construction and Materials."

#### 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Steel Reinforcement: Deliver, store, and handle steel reinforcement to prevent bending and damage. Avoid damaging coatings on steel reinforcement.
- B. Waterstops: Store waterstops under cover to protect from moisture, sunlight, dirt, oil, and other contaminants.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.1 FORM-FACING MATERIALS

- A. Smooth-Formed Finished Concrete: Form-facing panels that will provide continuous, true, and smooth concrete surfaces. Furnish in largest practicable sizes to minimize number of joints.
  1. Plywood, metal, or other approved panel materials.
- B. Rough-Formed Finished Concrete: Plywood, lumber, metal, or another approved material. Provide lumber dressed on at least two edges and one side for tight fit.
- C. Void Forms: Biodegradable paper surface, treated for moisture resistance, structurally sufficient to support weight of plastic concrete and other superimposed loads.
- D. Chamfer Strips: Wood, metal, PVC, or rubber strips, 3/4 by 3/4 inch (19 by 19 mm), minimum.
- E. Rustication Strips: Wood, metal, PVC, or rubber strips, kerfed for ease of form removal.
- F. Form-Release Agent: Commercially formulated form-release agent that will not bond with, stain, or adversely affect concrete surfaces and will not impair subsequent treatments of concrete surfaces.
  1. Formulate form-release agent with rust inhibitor for steel form-facing materials.

- G. Form Ties: Factory-fabricated, removable or snap-off metal or glass-fiber-reinforced plastic form ties designed to resist lateral pressure of fresh concrete on forms and to prevent spalling of concrete on removal.
  - 1. Furnish units that will leave no corrodible metal closer than 1 inch (25 mm) to the plane of exposed concrete surface.
  - 2. Furnish ties that, when removed, will leave holes no larger than 1 inch (25 mm) in diameter in concrete surface.
  - 3. Furnish ties with integral water-barrier plates to walls indicated to receive dampproofing or waterproofing.

## 2.2 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

- A. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A615/A615M, Grade 60 (Grade 420), deformed.
- B. Plain-Steel Welded Wire Reinforcement: ASTM A1064/A1064M, plain, fabricated from as-drawn steel wire into flat sheets.

## 2.3 REINFORCEMENT ACCESSORIES

- A. Bar Supports: Bolsters, chairs, spacers, and other devices for spacing, supporting, and fastening reinforcing bars and welded wire reinforcement in place. Manufacture bar supports from steel wire, plastic, or precast concrete according to CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice," of greater compressive strength than concrete and as follows:
  - 1. For concrete surfaces exposed to view where legs of wire bar supports contact forms, use CRSI Class 1 plastic-protected steel wire or CRSI Class 2 stainless-steel bar supports.
  - 2. Supporting reinforcement on clay brick supports is not acceptable.

## 2.4 CONCRETE MATERIALS

- A. Cementitious Material: Use one of the following cementitious materials, of the same type, brand, and source, throughout Project:
  - 1. Portland Cement: ASTM C150/C150M, Type I/II, gray Supplement with the following at contractor's option:
    - a. Fly Ash: ASTM C618, Class F or Class C.
    - b. CarbonCure: [www.carboncure.com](http://www.carboncure.com)
  - 2. Blended Hydraulic Cement: ASTM C595/C595M, Type IL, portland-limestone cement.
    - a. Fly Ash: ASTM C618, Class F or Class C.
- B. Normal-Weight Aggregates: ASTM C33/C33M, Class 3S coarse aggregate or better, graded. Provide aggregates from a single source with documented service record data of at least 10 years' satisfactory service in similar applications and service conditions using similar aggregates and cementitious materials.
  - 1. Maximum Coarse-Aggregate Size: 1 inch (25 mm) nominal.
  - 2. Fine Aggregate: Free of materials with deleterious reactivity to alkali in cement. For slabs-on-grade or concrete exposed to view, use fine aggregate with a proven history of not being susceptible to popouts, use imported sand if necessary.
- C. Water: ASTM C94/C94M and potable.

## 2.5 ADMIXTURES

- A. Air-Entraining Admixture: ASTM C260/C260M.
- B. Chemical Admixtures: Provide admixtures certified by manufacturer to be compatible with other admixtures and that will not contribute water-soluble chloride ions exceeding those permitted in hardened concrete. Do not use calcium chloride or admixtures containing calcium chloride.
  - 1. Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C494/C494M, Type A.
  - 2. Retarding Admixture: ASTM C494/C494M, Type B.
  - 3. Water-Reducing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C494/C494M, Type D.
  - 4. High-Range, Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C494/C494M, Type F.
  - 5. High-Range, Water-Reducing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C494/C494M, Type G.
  - 6. Plasticizing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C1017/C1017M, Type II.

## 2.6 FIBER REINFORCEMENT

- A. Synthetic Macro-Fiber: Polyolefin macro-fibers engineered and designed for use in concrete, complying with ASTM C1116/C1116M Type III, 1 to 2 1/4 inch (25 to 57 mm) long.

## 2.7 WATERSTOPS

- A. Self-Expanding Butyl Strip Waterstops: Manufactured rectangular or trapezoidal strip, butyl rubber with sodium bentonite or other hydrophilic polymers, for adhesive bonding to concrete, 3/4 by 1 inch (19 by 25 mm).

## 2.8 VAPOR BARRIERS

- A. Sheet Vapor Barrier, ASTM E1745, Class A . Include manufacturer's recommended adhesive or pressure-sensitive tape.
  - 1. Minimum thickness; 15 mil.
  - 2. Water Vapor Permeance, ASTM F1249 Section 7; less than 0.01 Perms.
  - 3. Tensile Strength, ASTM D882 Section 9; 45 lb/in minimum.
  - 4. Puncture Resistance, ASTM D1709, Test Method B; 2200 grams minimum.

## 2.9 CURING MATERIALS

- A. Evaporation Retarder: Waterborne, monomolecular film forming, manufactured for application to fresh concrete.
- B. Absorptive Cover: AASHTO M 182, Class 2, burlap cloth made from jute or kenaf, weighing approximately 9 oz./sq. yd. (305 g/sq. m) when dry.
- C. Moisture-Retaining Cover: ASTM C171, polyethylene film or white burlap-polyethylene sheet.
- D. Water: Potable.
- E. Clear, Waterborne, Membrane-Forming Curing Compound: ASTM C309, Type 1, Class B, nondissipating, certified by curing compound manufacturer to not interfere with bonding of floor covering.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following:

- a. Anti-Hydro International, Inc.; AH Clear Cure WB.
- b. BASF Construction Chemicals - Master Builders Solutions; MasterKure CC 160 WB.
- c. ChemMasters; Safe-Cure & Seal 309.
- d. Cresset Chemical Company; Crete-Trete 309-VOC Cure & Seal.
- e. Dayton Superior Corporation; Cure & Seal 309 J18.
- f. Euclid Chemical Company (The); Aqua Cure VOX.
- g. Kaufman Products, Inc.; Krystal 15 Emulsion.
- h. Laticrete International, Inc.; L&M Dress & Seal WB.
- i. Meadows, W. R., Inc.; Vocomp-20.
- j. Metalcrete Industries; Metcure.
- k. Nox-Crete Products Group; Cure & Seal 150E.
- l. Vexcon Chemicals, Inc.; Starseal 309.

## 2.10 RELATED MATERIALS

- A. Expansion- and Isolation-Joint-Filler Strips: Flexible, closed-cell polyethylene with tear off strip for sealant installation.
- B. Bonding Agent: ASTM C1059/C1059M, Type II, non-redispersible, acrylic emulsion or styrene butadiene.
- C. Epoxy Bonding Adhesive: ASTM C881/C881M, two-component epoxy resin, capable of humid curing and bonding to damp surfaces, of class suitable for application temperature and of grade to suit requirements, and as follows:
  1. Types IV and V, load bearing, for bonding hardened or freshly mixed concrete to hardened concrete.

## 2.11 REPAIR MATERIALS

- A. Repair Underlayment: Cement-based, polymer-modified, self-leveling product that can be applied in thicknesses from 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) and that can be feathered at edges to match adjacent floor elevations.
  1. Cement Binder: ASTM C150/C150M, portland cement or hydraulic or blended hydraulic cement as defined in ASTM C219.
  2. Primer: Product of underlayment manufacturer recommended for substrate, conditions, and application.
  3. Aggregate: Well-graded, washed gravel, 1/8 to 1/4 inch (3.2 to 6 mm) or coarse sand as recommended by underlayment manufacturer.
  4. Compressive Strength: Not less than 4100 psi (29 MPa) at 28 days when tested according to ASTM C109/C109M.

## 2.12 CONCRETE MIXTURES, GENERAL

- A. Prepare design mixtures for each type and strength of concrete, proportioned on the basis of laboratory trial mixture or field test data, or both, according to ACI 301.

1. Use a qualified independent testing agency for preparing and reporting proposed mixture designs based on laboratory trial mixtures.
- B. Cementitious Materials: Limit percentage, by weight, of cementitious materials other than portland cement in concrete as follows:
  1. Fly Ash: 25 percent.
  2. CarbonCure: CarbonCure injected carbon dioxide system is permitted at contractor's option to reduce Portland cement content by up to 3%. CarbonCure shall be added to the mix using the CarbonCure delivery system. The delivery shall be provided and calibrated by CarbonCure and integrated into the PCC plant batching system. The reduction is for Portland cement only and is determined after substitution of fly ash has occurred. Blended cements are to be considered cement when determining Portland cement reductions.
- C. Limit water-soluble, chloride-ion content in hardened concrete to 0.30 percent by weight of cement.
- D. Admixtures: Use admixtures according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  1. Use water-reducing or high-range water-reducing admixture in concrete, as required, for placement and workability.
  2. Use water-reducing and retarding admixture when required by high temperatures, low humidity, or other adverse placement conditions.
  3. Use water-reducing admixture in pumped concrete, concrete for heavy-use industrial slabs and parking structure slabs, concrete required to be watertight, and concrete with a water-cementitious materials ratio below 0.50.

## 2.13 CONCRETE MIXTURES FOR BUILDING ELEMENTS

- A. Slabs-on-Grade: Proportion normal-weight concrete mixture as follows:
  1. Minimum Compressive Strength: 4000 psi (27.6 MPa) at 28 days.
  2. Maximum Water-Cementitious Materials Ratio: 0.45.
  3. Slump Limit: Concrete mix shall be proportioned to achieve a maximum slump of 9" for concrete containing high range water reducing admixture, 6" for concrete containing a mid-range water reducing admixture, or 4" for other concrete. All mixes shall have a water slump of 2" to 3".
  4. Air Content: Do not allow air content of trowel-finished floors to exceed 3 percent.

## 2.14 FABRICATING REINFORCEMENT

- A. Fabricate steel reinforcement according to CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice."

## 2.15 CONCRETE MIXING

- A. Ready-Mixed Concrete: Measure, batch, mix, and deliver concrete according to ASTM C94/C94M and ASTM C1116/C1116M, and furnish batch ticket information.
  1. When air temperature is between 85 and 90 deg F (30 and 32 deg C), reduce mixing and delivery time from 1-1/2 hours to 75 minutes; when air temperature is above 90 deg F (32 deg C), reduce mixing and delivery time to 60 minutes.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 FORMWORK**

- A. Design, erect, shore, brace, and maintain formwork, according to ACI 301, to support vertical, lateral, static, and dynamic loads, and construction loads that might be applied, until structure can support such loads.
- B. Construct formwork so concrete members and structures are of size, shape, alignment, elevation, and position indicated, within tolerance limits of ACI 117.
- C. Limit concrete surface irregularities, designated by ACI 347R as abrupt or gradual, as follows:
  - 1. Class A, 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) for smooth-formed finished surfaces.
  - 2. Class B, 1/4 inch (6 mm) for rough-formed finished surfaces.
- D. Construct forms tight enough to prevent loss of concrete mortar.
- E. Fabricate forms for easy removal without hammering or prying against concrete surfaces. Provide crush or wrecking plates where stripping may damage cast concrete surfaces. Provide top forms for inclined surfaces steeper than 1.5 horizontal to 1 vertical.
  - 1. Install keyways, reglets, recesses, and the like, for easy removal.
  - 2. Do not use rust-stained steel form-facing material.
- F. Set edge forms, bulkheads, and intermediate screed strips for slabs to achieve required elevations and slopes in finished concrete surfaces. Provide and secure units to support screed strips; use strike-off templates or compacting-type screeds.
- G. Provide temporary openings for cleanouts and inspection ports where interior area of formwork is inaccessible. Close openings with panels tightly fitted to forms and securely braced to prevent loss of concrete mortar. Locate temporary openings in forms at inconspicuous locations.
- H. Chamfer exterior corners and edges of permanently exposed concrete.
- I. Form openings, chases, offsets, sinkages, keyways, reglets, blocking, screeds, and bulkheads required in the Work. Determine sizes and locations from trades providing such items.
- J. Clean forms and adjacent surfaces to receive concrete. Remove chips, wood, sawdust, dirt, and other debris just before placing concrete.
- K. Retighten forms and bracing before placing concrete, as required, to prevent mortar leaks and maintain proper alignment.
- L. Coat contact surfaces of forms with form-release agent, according to manufacturer's written instructions, before placing reinforcement.

### **3.2 EMBEDDED ITEMS**

- A. Place and secure anchorage devices and other embedded items required for adjoining work that is attached to or supported by cast-in-place concrete. Use setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
  - 1. Install anchor rods, accurately located, to elevations required and complying with tolerances in Section 7.5 of AISC's "Code of Standard Practice for Steel Buildings and Bridges."

### 3.3 REMOVING AND REUSING FORMS

- A. General: Formwork for sides of beams, walls, columns, and similar parts of the Work that does not support weight of concrete may be removed after cumulatively curing at not less than 50 deg F (10 deg C) for 24 hours after placing concrete. Concrete has to be hard enough to not be damaged by form-removal operations and curing and protection operations need to be maintained.
  - 1. Leave formwork for beam soffits, joists, slabs, and other structural elements that supports weight of concrete in place until concrete has achieved at least 70 percent of its 28-day design compressive strength.
  - 2. Remove forms only if shores have been arranged to permit removal of forms without loosening or disturbing shores.
- B. Clean and repair surfaces of forms to be reused in the Work. Split, frayed, delaminated, or otherwise damaged form-facing material will not be acceptable for exposed surfaces. Apply new form-release agent.
- C. When forms are reused, clean surfaces, remove fins and laitance, and tighten to close joints. Align and secure joints to avoid offsets. Do not use patched forms for exposed concrete surfaces unless approved by Architect.

### 3.4 VAPOR BARRIERS

- A. Sheet Vapor Barriers: Place, protect, and repair sheet vapor barrier according to ASTM E1643 and manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Lap joints 6 inch (150 mm) and seal with manufacturer's recommended tape.

### 3.5 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

- A. General: Comply with CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice" for placing reinforcement.
  - 1. Do not cut or puncture vapor barrier. Repair damage and reseal vapor barrier before placing concrete.
- B. Clean reinforcement of loose rust and mill scale, earth, ice, and other foreign materials that would reduce bond to concrete.
- C. Accurately position, support, and secure reinforcement against displacement. Locate and support reinforcement with bar supports to maintain minimum concrete cover. Do not tack weld crossing reinforcing bars.
  - 1. Weld reinforcing bars according to AWS D1.4/D1.4M, where indicated.
- D. Set wire ties with ends directed into concrete, not toward exposed concrete surfaces.
- E. Install welded wire reinforcement in longest practicable lengths on bar supports spaced to minimize sagging. Lap edges and ends of adjoining sheets at least one mesh spacing. Offset laps of adjoining sheet widths to prevent continuous laps in either direction. Lace overlaps with wire.

### 3.6 JOINTS

- A. General: Construct joints true to line with faces perpendicular to surface plane of concrete.
- B. Construction Joints: Install so strength and appearance of concrete are not impaired, at locations indicated or as approved by Architect.

1. Place joints perpendicular to main reinforcement. Continue reinforcement across construction joints unless otherwise indicated. Do not continue reinforcement through sides of strip placements of floors and slabs.
  2. Space vertical joints in walls at distance needed for construction sequencing. Locate joints beside piers integral with walls, near corners, and in concealed locations where possible.
- C. Contraction Joints in Slabs-on-Grade: Form weakened-plane contraction joints, sectioning concrete into areas as indicated. Construct contraction joints for a depth equal to at least one-fourth of concrete thickness as follows:
1. Sawed Joints: Form contraction joints with power saws equipped with shatterproof abrasive or diamond-rimmed blades. Cut 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) wide joints into concrete when cutting action will not tear, abrade, or otherwise damage surface and before concrete develops random contraction cracks.
- D. Isolation Joints in Slabs-on-Grade: After removing formwork, install joint-filler strips at slab junctions with vertical surfaces, such as column pedestals, foundation walls, grade beams, and other locations, as indicated.
1. Extend joint-filler strips full width and depth of joint, terminating flush with finished concrete surface unless otherwise indicated.
  2. Terminate full-width joint-filler strips not less than 1/2 inch (13 mm) or more than 1 inch (25 mm) below finished concrete surface where joint sealants, specified in Division 07 section "Joint Sealants," are indicated.
  3. Install joint-filler strips in lengths as long as practicable. Where more than one length is required, lace or clip sections together.

### 3.7 WATERSTOPS

- A. Self-Expanding Strip Waterstops: Install in construction joints and at other locations indicated, according to manufacturer's written instructions, adhesive bonding, mechanically fastening, and firmly pressing into place. Install in longest lengths practicable.

### 3.8 CONCRETE PLACEMENT

- A. Before placing concrete, verify that installation of formwork, reinforcement, and embedded items is complete and that required inspections have been performed.
- B. Before test sampling and placing concrete, water may be added at Project site, subject to limitations of ACI 301.
- C. Deposit concrete continuously in one layer or in horizontal layers of such thickness that no new concrete will be placed on concrete that has hardened enough to cause seams or planes of weakness. If a section cannot be placed continuously, provide construction joints as indicated. Deposit concrete to avoid segregation.
1. Deposit concrete in horizontal layers of depth to not exceed formwork design pressures and in a manner to avoid inclined construction joints.
  2. Consolidate placed concrete with mechanical vibrating equipment according to ACI 301.

3. Do not use vibrators to transport concrete inside forms. Insert and withdraw vibrators vertically at uniformly spaced locations to rapidly penetrate placed layer and at least 6 inch (150 mm) into preceding layer. Do not insert vibrators into lower layers of concrete that have begun to lose plasticity. At each insertion, limit duration of vibration to time necessary to consolidate concrete and complete embedment of reinforcement and other embedded items without causing mixture constituents to segregate.
- D. Deposit and consolidate concrete for floors and slabs in a continuous operation, within limits of construction joints, until placement of a panel or section is complete.
1. Consolidate concrete during placement operations so concrete is thoroughly worked around reinforcement and other embedded items and into corners.
  2. Maintain reinforcement in position on chairs during concrete placement.
  3. Screed slab surfaces with a straightedge and strike off to correct elevations.
  4. Slope surfaces uniformly to drains where required.
  5. Begin initial floating using bull floats or darbies to form a uniform and open-textured surface plane, before excess bleedwater appears on the surface. Do not further disturb slab surfaces before starting finishing operations.
- E. Cold-Weather Placement: Comply with ACI 306R and as follows. Protect concrete work from physical damage or reduced strength that could be caused by frost, freezing actions, or low temperatures.
1. When average high and low temperature is expected to fall below 40 deg F (4.4 deg C) for three successive days, maintain delivered concrete mixture temperature within the temperature range required by ACI 301.
  2. Do not use frozen materials or materials containing ice or snow. Do not place concrete on frozen subgrade or on subgrade containing frozen materials.
  3. Do not use calcium chloride, salt, or other materials containing antifreeze agents or chemical accelerators unless otherwise specified and approved in mixture designs.
- F. Hot-Weather Placement: Comply with ACI 301 and ACI 305R and as follows:
1. Maintain concrete temperature below 90 deg F (32 deg C) at time of placement. Chilled mixing water or chopped ice may be used to control temperature, provided water equivalent of ice is calculated to total amount of mixing water. Using liquid nitrogen to cool concrete is Contractor's option.
  2. Fog-spray forms, steel reinforcement, and subgrade just before placing concrete. Keep subgrade uniformly moist without standing water, soft spots, or dry areas.

### 3.9 FINISHING FORMED SURFACES

- A. Rough-Formed Finish: As-cast concrete texture imparted by form-facing material with tie holes and defects repaired and patched. Remove fins and other projections that exceed specified limits on formed-surface irregularities.
1. Apply to concrete surfaces not exposed to public view.
- B. Smooth-Formed Finish: As-cast concrete texture imparted by form-facing material, arranged in an orderly and symmetrical manner with a minimum of seams. Repair and patch tie holes and defects. Remove fins and other projections that exceed specified limits on formed-surface irregularities.

1. Apply to concrete surfaces exposed to public view, to receive a rubbed finish, or to be covered with a coating or covering material applied directly to concrete.
- C. Rubbed Finish: Apply the following to smooth-formed finished as-cast concrete where indicated:
  1. Smooth-Rubbed Finish: Not later than one day after form removal, moisten concrete surfaces and rub with carborundum brick or another abrasive until producing a uniform color and texture. Do not apply cement grout other than that created by the rubbing process.
- D. Related Unformed Surfaces: At tops of walls, horizontal offsets, and similar unformed surfaces adjacent to formed surfaces, strike off smooth and finish with a texture matching adjacent formed surfaces. Continue final surface treatment of formed surfaces uniformly across adjacent unformed surfaces unless otherwise indicated.

### 3.10 FINISHING FLOORS AND SLABS

- A. General: Comply with ACI 302.1R recommendations for screeding, restraighening, and finishing operations for concrete surfaces. Do not wet concrete surfaces.
- B. Float Finish: Consolidate surface with power-driven floats or by hand floating if area is small or inaccessible to power driven floats. Straighten, cut down high spots, and fill low spots. Repeat float passes and restraighening until surface is left with a uniform, smooth, granular texture.
  1. Apply float finish to surfaces to receive trowel finish or to be covered with fluid-applied or sheet waterproofing, built up or membrane roofing.
- C. Trowel Finish: After applying float finish, apply first troweling and consolidate concrete by hand or power-driven trowel. Continue troweling passes and straighten until surface is free of trowel marks and uniform in texture and appearance. Grind smooth any surface defects that would telegraph through applied coatings or floor coverings.
  1. Apply a trowel finish to surfaces exposed to view or to be covered with resilient flooring, carpet, ceramic or quarry tile set over a cleavage membrane, paint, or another thin-film-finish coating system.
  2. Finish surfaces to the following tolerances, according to ASTM E1155, for a randomly trafficked floor surface:
    - a. Specified overall values of flatness, F(F) 35; and of levelness, F(L) 25; with minimum local values of flatness, F(F) 24; and of levelness, F(L) 17; for slabs-on-grade.
  3. Remedies for out-of-tolerance work:
    - a. Minimum local values measuring at or above all specified minimum local values F-numbers shall be accepted for tolerance compliance as constructed.
    - b. Where minimum local values are measured to be below the specified F-numbers one of the following actions shall be performed. In all cases, the particular method of correction shall be determined solely by the Owner.
      - 1) The area within the boundaries of the minimum local area shall be removed and replaced and the area retested per ASTM E1155 to show tolerance compliance.
      - 2) The area within the boundary shall be repaired by grinding or depression-and-retopping of the entire minimum local area and the area retested per ASTM E1155 to show tolerance compliance.

- D. Broom Finish: Apply a broom finish to exterior concrete platforms, steps, ramps, and elsewhere as indicated.
  - 1. Immediately after float finishing, slightly roughen trafficked surface by brooming with fiber-bristle broom perpendicular to main traffic route. Coordinate required final finish with Architect/Engineer before application.

### 3.11 MISCELLANEOUS CONCRETE ITEMS

- A. Filling In: Fill in holes and openings left in concrete structures after work of other trades is in place unless otherwise indicated. Mix, place, and cure concrete, as specified, to blend with in-place construction. Provide other miscellaneous concrete filling indicated or required to complete the Work.
- B. Curbs: Provide monolithic finish to interior curbs by stripping forms while concrete is still green and by steel-troweling surfaces to a hard, dense finish with corners, intersections, and terminations slightly rounded.
- C. Equipment Bases and Foundations:
  - 1. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.
  - 2. Construct concrete bases 4 inch (100 mm) high unless otherwise indicated; and extend base not less than 6 inch (150 mm) in each direction beyond the maximum dimensions of supported equipment unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Minimum Compressive Strength: 4000 psi (27.6 MPa) at 28 days.
  - 4. Install dowel rods to connect concrete base to concrete floor. Unless otherwise indicated, install dowel rods on 18 inch (450 mm) centers around the full perimeter of concrete base.
  - 5. Set anchor bolts for machines and equipment at correct elevations, complying with diagrams or templates from manufacturer furnishing machines and equipment.

### 3.12 CONCRETE PROTECTING AND CURING

- A. General: Protect freshly placed concrete from premature drying and excessive cold or hot temperatures. Comply with ACI 306R for cold-weather protection and ACI 301 for hot-weather protection during curing.
- B. Evaporation Retarder: Apply evaporation retarder to unformed concrete surfaces if hot, dry, or windy conditions cause moisture loss approaching 0.2 lb/sq. ft. x h (1 kg/sq. m x h) before and during finishing operations. Apply according to manufacturer's written instructions after placing, screeding, and bull floating or darbying concrete, but before float finishing.
- C. Formed Surfaces: Cure formed concrete surfaces, including underside of beams, supported slabs, and other similar surfaces. If forms remain during curing period, moist cure after loosening forms. If removing forms before end of curing period, continue curing for the remainder of the curing period.
- D. Unformed Surfaces: Begin curing immediately after finishing concrete. Cure unformed surfaces, including floors and slabs, concrete floor toppings, and other surfaces.
- E. Cure concrete according to ACI 308R, by one or a combination of the following methods:
  - 1. Moisture Curing: Keep surfaces continuously moist for not less than seven days with the following materials:
    - a. Water.

- b. Continuous water-fog spray.
  - c. Absorptive cover, water saturated, and kept continuously wet. Cover concrete surfaces and edges with 12 inch (300 mm) lap over adjacent absorptive covers.
2. Moisture-Retaining-Cover Curing: Cover concrete surfaces with moisture-retaining cover for curing concrete, placed in widest practicable width, with sides and ends lapped at least 12 inch (300 mm), and sealed by waterproof tape or adhesive. Cure for not less than seven days. Immediately repair any holes or tears during curing period using cover material and waterproof tape.
  3. Curing Compound: Apply uniformly in continuous operation by power spray or roller according to manufacturer's written instructions. Recoat areas subjected to heavy rainfall within three hours after initial application. Maintain continuity of coating and repair damage during curing period.
    - a. Removal: After curing period has elapsed, remove curing compound without damaging concrete surfaces by method recommended by curing compound manufacturer unless manufacturer certifies curing compound will not interfere with bonding of floor covering used on Project.
  4. Moisture cure or use moisture-retaining covers to cure concrete surfaces to receive penetrating liquid floor treatments.
  5. Cure concrete surfaces to receive floor coverings with either a moisture cure, a moisture-retaining cover or a curing compound that the manufacturer certifies will not interfere with bonding of floor covering used on Project.

### 3.13 JOINT FILLING

- A. Prepare, clean, and install joint filler according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  1. Defer joint filling until concrete has aged at least one month(s). Do not fill joints until construction traffic has permanently ceased.
- B. Remove dirt, debris, saw cuttings, curing compounds, and sealers from joints; leave contact faces of joint clean and dry.

### 3.14 CONCRETE SURFACE REPAIRS

- A. Defective Concrete: Repair and patch defective areas when approved by Architect/Engineer. Remove and replace concrete that cannot be repaired and patched to Architect/Engineer's approval.
- B. Patching Mortar: Mix dry-pack patching mortar, consisting of one part portland cement to two and one-half parts fine aggregate passing a No. 16 (1.18-mm) sieve, using only enough water for handling and placing.
- C. Repairing Formed Surfaces: Surface defects include color and texture irregularities, cracks, spalls, air bubbles, honeycombs, rock pockets, fins and other projections on the surface, and stains and other discolorations that cannot be removed by cleaning.
  1. Immediately after form removal, cut out honeycombs, rock pockets, and voids more than 1/2 inch (13 mm) in any dimension to solid concrete. Limit cut depth to 3/4 inch (19 mm). Make edges of cuts perpendicular to concrete surface. Clean, dampen with water, and brush-coat holes and voids with bonding agent. Fill and compact with patching mortar before bonding agent has dried. Fill form-tie voids with patching mortar or cone plugs secured in place with bonding agent.

2. Repair defects on surfaces exposed to view by blending white portland cement and standard portland cement so that, when dry, patching mortar will match surrounding color. Patch a test area at inconspicuous locations to verify mixture and color match before proceeding with patching. Compact mortar in place and strike off slightly higher than surrounding surface.
  3. Repair defects on concealed formed surfaces that affect concrete's durability and structural performance as determined by Architect/Engineer.
- D. Repairing Unformed Surfaces: Test unformed surfaces, such as floors and slabs, for finish and verify surface tolerances specified for each surface. Correct low and high areas. Test surfaces sloped to drain for trueness of slope and smoothness; use a sloped template.
1. Repair finished surfaces containing defects. Surface defects include spalls, popouts, honeycombs, rock pockets, crazing and cracks in excess of 0.01 inch (0.25 mm) wide or that penetrate to reinforcement or completely through unreinforced sections regardless of width, and other objectionable conditions.
  2. After concrete has cured at least 14 days, correct high areas by grinding.
  3. Correct localized low areas during or immediately after completing surface finishing operations by cutting out low areas and replacing with patching mortar. Finish repaired areas to blend into adjacent concrete.
  4. Correct other low areas scheduled to receive floor coverings with a repair underlayment. Prepare, mix, and apply repair underlayment and primer according to manufacturer's written instructions to produce a smooth, uniform, plane, and level surface. Feather edges to match adjacent floor elevations.
  5. Correct other low areas scheduled to remain exposed with a repair topping. Cut out low areas to ensure a minimum repair topping depth of 1/4 inch (6 mm) to match adjacent floor elevations. Prepare, mix, and apply repair topping and primer according to manufacturer's written instructions to produce a smooth, uniform, plane, and level surface.
  6. Repair defective areas, except random cracks and single holes 1 inch (25 mm) or less in diameter, by cutting out and replacing with fresh concrete. Remove defective areas with clean, square cuts and expose steel reinforcement with at least a 3/4 inch (19 mm) clearance all around. Dampen concrete surfaces in contact with patching concrete and apply bonding agent. Mix patching concrete of same materials and mixture as original concrete except without coarse aggregate. Place, compact, and finish to blend with adjacent finished concrete. Cure in same manner as adjacent concrete.
  7. Repair random cracks and single holes 1 inch (25 mm) or less in diameter with patching mortar. Groove top of cracks and cut out holes to sound concrete and clean off dust, dirt, and loose particles. Dampen cleaned concrete surfaces and apply bonding agent. Place patching mortar before bonding agent has dried. Compact patching mortar and finish to match adjacent concrete. Keep patched area continuously moist for at least 72 hours.
- E. Perform structural repairs of concrete, subject to Architect/Engineer's approval, using epoxy adhesive and patching mortar.
- F. Repair materials and installation not specified above may be used, subject to Architect/Engineer's approval.

### 3.15 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing and Inspecting: Owner will engage a qualified testing and inspecting agency to perform field tests and inspections and prepare test reports.

B. Inspections:

1. Steel reinforcement placement.
2. Steel reinforcement welding.
3. Headed bolts and studs.
4. Verification of use of required design mixture.
5. Concrete placement, including conveying and depositing.
6. Curing procedures and maintenance of curing temperature.
7. Verification of concrete strength before removal of shores and forms from beams and slabs.

C. Concrete Tests: Testing of composite samples of fresh concrete obtained according to ASTM C172/C172M shall be performed according to the following requirements:

1. Testing Frequency: Obtain at least one composite sample for each 100 cu. yd. (76 cu. m) or fraction thereof of each concrete mixture placed each day.
  - a. When frequency of testing will provide fewer than five compressive-strength tests for each concrete mixture, testing shall be conducted from at least five randomly selected batches or from each batch if fewer than five are used.
2. Slump: ASTM C143/C143M; one test at point of placement for each composite sample, but not less than one test for each day's pour of each concrete mixture. Perform additional tests when concrete consistency appears to change.
3. Air Content: ASTM C231/C231M, pressure method, for normal-weight concrete; one test for each composite sample, but not less than one test for each day's pour of each concrete mixture.
4. Concrete Temperature: ASTM C1064/C1064M; one test hourly when air temperature is 40 deg F (4.4 deg C) and below and when 80 deg F (27 deg C) and above, and one test for each composite sample.
5. Compression Test Specimens: ASTM C31/C31M.
  - a. Cast and laboratory cure two sets of two standard 6 inch by 12 inch cylinder specimens for each composite sample or two sets of three standard 4 inch by 8 inch cylinder specimens for each composite sample.
6. Compressive-Strength Tests: ASTM C39/C39M; test one set of laboratory-cured specimens at 7 days and one set of specimens at 28 days.
  - a. A compressive-strength test shall be the average compressive strength from a set of two specimens for 6 in by 12 inch cylinders or three specimens for 4 inch by 8 inch cylinders obtained from same composite sample and tested at age indicated.
7. Strength of each concrete mixture will be satisfactory if every average of any three consecutive compressive-strength tests equals or exceeds specified compressive strength and no compressive-strength test value falls below specified compressive strength by more than 500 psi (3.4 MPa).

8. Test results shall be reported in writing to Architect/Engineer, concrete manufacturer, and Contractor within 48 hours of testing. Reports of compressive-strength tests shall contain Project identification name and number, date of concrete placement, name of concrete testing and inspecting agency, location of concrete batch in Work, design compressive strength at 28 days, concrete mixture proportions and materials, compressive breaking strength, and type of break for both 7- and 28-day tests.
  9. Nondestructive Testing: Impact hammer, sonoscope, or other nondestructive device may be permitted by Architect/Engineer but will not be used as sole basis for approval or rejection of concrete.
  10. Additional Tests: Testing and inspecting agency shall make additional tests of concrete when test results indicate that slump, air entrainment, compressive strengths, or other requirements have not been met, as directed by Architect/Engineer. Testing and inspecting agency may conduct tests to determine adequacy of concrete by cored cylinders complying with ASTM C42 (C42M) or by other methods as directed by Architect/Engineer.
  11. Additional testing and inspecting, at Contractor's expense, will be performed to determine compliance of replaced or additional work with specified requirements.
  12. Correct deficiencies in the Work that test reports and inspections indicate do not comply with the Contract Documents.
- D. Measure floor and slab flatness and levelness according to ASTM E1155 within 72 hours of finishing.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 06 1000  
ROUGH CARPENTRY**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Nonstructural dimension lumber framing.

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. PS 20 - American Softwood Lumber Standard; 2021.

1.3 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. General: Cover wood products to protect against moisture. Support stacked products to prevent deformation and to allow air circulation.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Dimension Lumber: Comply with PS 20 and requirements of specified grading agencies.
  - 1. If no species is specified, provide species graded by the agency specified; if no grading agency is specified, provide lumber graded by grading agency meeting the specified requirements.
  - 2. Grading Agency: Grading agency whose rules are approved by the Board of Review, American Lumber Standard Committee at [www.alsc.org](http://www.alsc.org), and who provides grading service for the species and grade specified; provide lumber stamped with grade mark unless otherwise indicated.

2.2 DIMENSION LUMBER FOR CONCEALED APPLICATIONS

- A. Sizes: Nominal sizes as indicated on drawings, S4S.
- B. Moisture Content: S-dry or MC19.
- C. Miscellaneous Framing, Blocking, Nailers, Grounds, and Furring:
  - 1. Lumber: S4S, No. 2 or Standard Grade.
  - 2. Boards: Standard or No. 3.

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

- A. Select material sizes to minimize waste.
- B. Reuse scrap to the greatest extent possible; clearly separate scrap for use on site as accessory components, including: shims, bracing, and blocking.

### 3.2 BLOCKING, NAILERS, AND SUPPORTS

- A. Provide framing and blocking members as indicated or as required to support finishes, fixtures, specialty items, and trim.
- B. In metal stud walls, provide continuous blocking around door and window openings for anchorage of frames, securely attached to stud framing.
- C. In walls, provide blocking attached to studs as backing and support for wall-mounted items, unless item can be securely fastened to two or more studs or other method of support is explicitly indicated.
- D. Where ceiling-mounting is indicated, provide blocking and supplementary supports above ceiling, unless other method of support is explicitly indicated.
- E. Provide the following specific nonstructural framing and blocking:
  - 1. Cabinets and shelf supports.
  - 2. Wall brackets.
  - 3. Handrails.
  - 4. Grab bars.
  - 5. Towel and bath accessories.
  - 6. Wall-mounted door stops.
  - 7. Chalkboards and marker boards.
  - 8. Wall paneling and trim.
  - 9. Joints of rigid wall coverings that occur between studs.

### 3.3 CLEANING

- A. Waste Disposal: See Section 01 7419 - Construction Waste Management and Disposal.
  - 1. Comply with applicable regulations.
  - 2. Do not burn scrap on project site.
  - 3. Do not burn scraps that have been pressure treated.
  - 4. Do not send materials treated with pentachlorophenol, CCA, or ACA to co-generation facilities or "waste-to-energy" facilities.
- B. Do not leave wood, shavings, sawdust, etc. on the ground or buried in fill.
- C. Prevent sawdust and wood shavings from entering the storm drainage system.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 07 8400  
FIRESTOPPING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Firestopping systems.
- B. Firestopping of joints and penetrations in fire-resistance-rated and smoke-resistant assemblies, whether indicated on drawings or not, and other openings indicated.

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM E814 - Standard Test Method for Fire Tests of Penetration Firestop Systems; 2023a.
- B. ASTM E2174 - Standard Practice for On-Site Inspection of Installed Firestop Systems; 2020a.
- C. ASTM E2393 - Standard Practice for On-Site Inspection of Installed Fire Resistive Joint Systems and Perimeter Fire Barriers; 2020a.
- D. ASTM E2307 - Standard Test Method for Determining Fire Resistance of Perimeter Fire Barriers Using Intermediate-Scale, Multi-story Test Apparatus; 2023b.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Schedule of Firestopping: List each type of penetration, fire rating of the penetrated assembly, and firestopping test or design number.
- C. Product Data: Provide data on product characteristics, performance ratings, and limitations.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Fire Testing: Provide firestopping assemblies of designs that provide the scheduled fire ratings when tested in accordance with methods indicated.

1.5 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Comply with firestopping manufacturer's recommendations for temperature and conditions during and after installation; maintain minimum temperature before, during, and for three days after installation of materials.
- B. Provide ventilation in areas where solvent-cured materials are being installed.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Firestopping Manufacturers:
  - 1. 3M Fire Protection Products: [www.3m.com/firestop/#sle](http://www.3m.com/firestop/#sle).
  - 2. Hilti, Inc: [www.hilti.com/#sle](http://www.hilti.com/#sle).
  - 3. Specified Technologies Inc: [www.stifirestop.com/#sle](http://www.stifirestop.com/#sle).
  - 4. Architect pre-approved equivalent.

## 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. Firestopping Materials: Any materials meeting requirements.
- B. Primers, Sleeves, Forms, Insulation, Packing, Stuffing, and Accessories: Provide type of materials as required for tested firestopping assembly.

## 2.3 FIRESTOPPING ASSEMBLY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Perimeter Fire Containment Firestopping: Use system that has been tested according to ASTM E2307 to have fire resistance F Rating equal to required fire rating of floor assembly.
- B. Through Penetration Firestopping: Use system that has been tested according to ASTM E814 to have fire resistance F Rating equal to required fire rating of penetrated assembly.

## 2.4 FIRESTOPPING SYSTEMS

- A. Firestopping: Any material meeting requirements.
  - 1. Fire Ratings: Use system that is listed by FM (AG), ITS (DIR), or UL (FRD) and tested in accordance with ASTM E814, ASTM E119, or UL 1479 with F Rating equal to fire rating of penetrated assembly and minimum T Rating Equal to F Rating and in compliance with other specified requirements.

# PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify openings are ready to receive the work of this section.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Clean substrate surfaces of dirt, dust, grease, oil, loose material, or other materials that could adversely affect bond of firestopping material.
- B. Remove incompatible materials that could adversely affect bond.
- C. Install backing materials to prevent liquid material from leakage.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install materials in manner described in fire test report and in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, completely closing openings.
- B. Do not cover installed firestopping until inspected by authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Install labeling required by code.

## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Independent Testing Agency: Inspection agency employed and paid by Owner, will examine penetration firestopping in accordance with ASTM E2174 and ASTM E2393.
- B. Repair or replace penetration firestopping and joints at locations where inspection results indicate firestopping or joints do not meet specified requirements.

3.5 CLEANING

- A. Clean adjacent surfaces of firestopping materials.

3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect adjacent surfaces from damage by material installation.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 07 9000  
JOINT SEALANTS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
1. Exterior and interior sealants.
  2. Joint accessories.

1.2 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM International Inc.
1. ASTM C 510 - Standard Test Method for Staining and Color Change of Single- or Multicomponent Joint Sealants.
  2. ASTM C 719 - Standard Test Method for Adhesion and Cohesion of Elastomeric Joint Sealants Under Cyclic Movement (Hockman Cycle).
  3. ASTM C 794 - Standard Test Method for Adhesion-in-Peel of Elastomeric Joint Sealants.
  4. ASTM C 920 - Standard Specification for Elastomeric Joint Sealants.
  5. ASTM C 1193 - Standard Guide for Use of Joint Sealants.
  6. ASTM C 1247 - Standard Test Method for Durability of Sealants Exposed to Continuous Immersion in Liquids.
  7. ASTM C 1248 - Standard Test Method for Staining of Porous Substrate by Joint Sealants.
  8. ASTM C 1311 - Standard Specification for Solvent Release Sealants.
  9. ASTM D 2203 - Standard Test Method for Staining from Sealants.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
1. Materials list of items proposed to be provided under this Section.
  2. Manufacturer's specifications and other data needed to prove compliance with the specified requirements.
- B. Samples:
1. Submit standard cured color samples for each sealant type illustrating selected colors.
  2. Include instructions for removing existing sealants and preparing joints for new sealant.
- C. Manufacturer's Certificate:
1. Certify products are suitable for intended use and products meet or exceed specified requirements.
  2. Certify applicator is approved by manufacturer.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Perform work in accordance with the following:
1. Building Joints: ASTM C 1193.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Accept materials on site in manufacturers unopened original packaging. Inspect for damage.
- B. Store primers and sealants in cool dry location with ambient temperature range of 60 to 80 degrees F (15 to 27 degrees C).

1.6 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Do not install primers or sealants when atmospheric temperatures or joint surface temperatures are less than 40 degrees F (4 degrees C).

1.7 SCHEDULING

- A. Ensure sealants are cured before covering with any other materials.

1.8 WARRANTY

- A. Submit signed copies of the following warranties against adhesive and cohesive failure of sealant and against infiltration of water and air through sealed joint for period of 1 year from date of completion.
- B. Manufacturer's standard warranty covering sealant materials.
- C. Applicator's standard warranty covering workmanship.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Tremco Sealant/Weatherproofing Division of RPM International, Inc.
- B. Dow Corning Corporation.
- C. Sonneborn Building Products Division, Rexnord Chemical Products, Inc. (Master Builders).
- D. Architect pre-approved alternate.

2.2 SILICONE SEALANTS

- A. Single Component Silicone: Dow Corning 795 Silicone Building Sealant (design basis) , color as selected, at exterior and interior perimeter of windows.

2.3 POLYURETHANE SEALANTS

- A. Single Component Non-Sag Polyurethane: Sonneborn Building Products Sonolastic NP 1 (MasterSeal NP 1) (design basis) , color as selected, at locations other than exterior and interior perimeter of windows.

2.4 ACCESSORIES

- A. Joint Cleaner: Non-corrosive and non-staining type, recommended by sealant manufacturer; compatible with joint forming materials.
- B. Primer: Non-staining type, recommended by sealant manufacturer to suit application.
- C. Joint Backing: Closed-cell round foam rod compatible with sealant; oversized 25 to 50 percent larger than joint width; recommended by sealant manufacturer to suit application

- D. Bond Breaker: Pressure sensitive tape recommended by sealant manufacturer to suit application.
- E. Masking tape: Non-staining, non-absorbent tape product compatible with joint sealants and adjacent joint surfaces.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify substrate surfaces and joint openings are ready to receive work.
  - 1. Verify joint surfaces are clean and dry.
  - 2. Ensure concrete surfaces are fully cured.
- B. Report unsatisfactory conditions in writing to the Architect.
- C. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions are corrected.

#### **3.2 PREPARATION**

- A. Prepare joints in accordance with ASTM C 1193 and manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Clean joint surfaces to remove dirt, dust, oils, wax, paints, and other contamination capable of affecting primer and sealant bond.
- C. Protect elements surrounding the Work of this section from damage or disfiguration. Apply masking tape to adjacent surfaces when required to prevent damage to finishes from sealant installation.

#### **3.3 EXISTING WORK**

- A. Mechanically remove existing sealant.
- B. Clean joint surfaces of residual sealant and other contaminants capable of affecting sealant bond to joint surface.
- C. Allow joint surfaces to dry before installing new sealants.

#### **3.4 SEALANT INSTALLATION**

- A. Install primer and sealants in accordance with ASTM C 1193 and manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Install joint backing to maintain the following joint ratios:
  - 1. Joints up to 1/2 inch (13 mm) Wide: 1:1 width to depth ratio.
  - 2. Joints Greater than 1/2 inch (13 mm) Wide: 2:1 width to depth ratio; maximum 1/2 inch joint depth.
- C. Install bond breaker where joint backing is not used.
- D. Apply primer where required for sealant adhesion.
- E. Install sealants immediately after joint preparation.
- F. Install sealant free of air pockets, foreign embedded matter, ridges, and sags.
- G. Joining Silicone and Polyurethane Sealants:

1. Install polyurethane sealants first.
  2. Join silicone sealant to polyurethane in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- H. Tool exposed joint surface concave.

3.5 CLEANING

- A. Remove masking tape.
- B. Clean adjacent surfaces soiled by sealant installation.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 08 3100  
ACCESS DOORS AND PANELS**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Wall-mounted access units.

1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 09 9123 - Interior Painting: Field paint finish.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide sizes, types, finishes, hardware, scheduled locations, and details of adjoining work.
- C. Shop Drawings: Indicate exact position of each access door and/or panel unit.
- D. Access Door and Frame Schedule: Provide complete access door and frame schedule, including types, locations, sizes, latching or locking provisions, and other data pertinent to installation.

1.4 COORDINATION

- A. Verification: Determine specific locations and sizes for access doors needed to gain access to concealed plumbing, mechanical, or other concealed work, and indicate in the schedule specified in "Submittals" Article.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 WALL- AND CEILING-MOUNTED ACCESS UNITS

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. Activar Construction Products Group, Inc. - JL Industries: [www.activarcpg.com/#sle](http://www.activarcpg.com/#sle).
  - 2. ACUDOR Products Inc: [www.acudor.com/#sle](http://www.acudor.com/#sle).
  - 3. Larsen's manufacturing Company; [www.larsenmfg.com](http://www.larsenmfg.com).
  - 4. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
- B. Wall- and Ceiling-Mounted Units: Factory-fabricated door and frame, fully assembled units with corner joints welded, filled and ground flush; square and without rack or warp; coordinate requirements with type of installation assembly being used for each unit.
  - 1. Flush Access Doors and Frames with Exposed Trim: Fabricated from steel sheet.
    - a. Locations: Wall and Ceiling surfaces.
    - b. Latch: Cam latch operated by screwdriver with interior release.
  - 2. Material: Steel.
  - 3. Door Style: Single thickness with rolled or turned in edges.

4. Steel Finish: Primed.
5. Primed and Factory Finish: Polyester powder coat; color as selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard colors.
6. Hardware:
  - a. Hinges for Non-Fire-Rated Units: Concealed, constant force closure spring type.
  - b. Latch/Lock: Tamperproof tool-operated cam latch.
  - c. Number of Locks/Latches Required: As recommended by manufacturer for size of unit.

## 2.2 FABRICATION

- A. General: Provide access door and frame assemblies manufactured as integral units ready for installation.
- B. Metal Surfaces: For metal surfaces exposed to view in the completed Work, provide materials with smooth, flat surfaces without blemishes. Do not use materials with exposed pitting, seam marks, roller marks, rolled trade names, or roughness.
- C. Doors and Frames: Grind exposed welds smooth and flush with adjacent surfaces. Furnish attachment devices and fasteners of type required to secure access panels to types of supports indicated.
- D. Latching Mechanisms: Furnish number required to hold doors in flush, smooth plane when closed.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that rough openings are correctly sized and located.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare surfaces using methods recommended by manufacturer for applicable substrates in accordance with project conditions.

### 3.3 INSTALLATION

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

### 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Adjust doors and hardware after installation for proper operation.
- B. Remove and replace doors and frames that are warped, bowed, or otherwise damaged.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 09 0561  
COMMON WORK RESULTS FOR FLOORING PREPARATION**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. This section applies to floors identified in Contract Documents that are receiving the following types of floor coverings:
  - 1. Thin-set ceramic tile and stone tile.
- B. Removal of existing floor coverings.
- C. Preparation of new and existing concrete floor slabs for installation of floor coverings.
- D. Testing of concrete floor slabs for moisture and alkalinity (pH).
- E. Patching compound.
- F. Remedial floor coatings.
- G. Remedial floor treatment.

**1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS**

- A. Section 03 3000 - Cast-in-Place Concrete: Moisture emission reducing curing and sealing compound for slabs to receive adhered flooring, to prevent moisture content-related flooring failures; to remain in place, not to be removed.
- B. Section 03 3000 - Cast-in-Place Concrete: Concrete admixture for slabs to receive adhered flooring, to prevent moisture content-related flooring failures.
- C. Section 03 3000 - Cast-in-Place Concrete: Limitations on curing requirements for new concrete floor slabs.

**1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS**

- A. ASTM C109/C109M - Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Hydraulic Cement Mortars (Using 50 mm [2 in.] Cube Specimens); 2023.
- B. ASTM C472 - Standard Test Methods for Physical Testing of Gypsum, Gypsum Plasters, and Gypsum Concrete; 2020.
- C. ASTM F710 - Standard Practice for Preparing Concrete Floors to Receive Resilient Flooring; 2022.
- D. ASTM F1869 - Standard Test Method for Measuring Moisture Vapor Emission Rate of Concrete Subfloor Using Anhydrous Calcium Chloride; 2023.
- E. ASTM F2170 - Standard Test Method for Determining Relative Humidity in Concrete Floor Slabs Using in situ Probes; 2019a.
- F. RFCI (RWP) - Recommended Work Practices for Removal of Resilient Floor Coverings; 2018.

**1.4 ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS**

- A. Coordinate scheduling of cleaning and testing, so that preliminary cleaning has been completed for at least 24 hours prior to testing.

## 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Visual Observation Report: For existing floor coverings to be removed.
- B. Floor Covering and Adhesive Manufacturers' Product Literature: For each specific combination of substrate, floor covering, and adhesive to be used; showing:
  - 1. Moisture and alkalinity (pH) limits and test methods.
  - 2. Manufacturer's required bond/compatibility test procedure.
- C. Testing Agency's Report:
  - 1. Description of areas tested; include floor plans and photographs if helpful.
  - 2. Summary of conditions encountered.
  - 3. Moisture and alkalinity (pH) test reports.
  - 4. Copies of specified test methods.
  - 5. Recommendations for remediation of unsatisfactory surfaces.
  - 6. Product data for recommended remedial coating.
  - 7. Submit report to Architect/Engineer.
  - 8. Submit report not more than two business days after conclusion of testing.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Moisture and alkalinity (pH) testing shall be performed by an independent testing agency employed and paid by Contractor.
- B. Contractor may perform adhesive and bond test with Contractor's own personnel or hire a testing agency.
- C. Additional Contractor Responsibilities Relating to Independent Agency Testing:
  - 1. Provide access for and cooperate with testing agency.
  - 2. Confirm date of start of testing at least 10 days prior to actual start.
  - 3. Allow at least 4 business days on site for testing agency activities.
  - 4. Achieve and maintain specified ambient conditions.
  - 5. Notify Architect/Engineer when specified ambient conditions have been achieved and when testing will start.

## 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver, store, handle, and protect products in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
- B. Deliver materials in manufacturer's packaging; include installation instructions.
- C. Keep materials from freezing.

## 1.8 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Maintain ambient temperature in spaces where concrete testing is being performed, and for at least 48 hours prior to testing, at not less than 65 degrees F (18 degrees C) or more than 85 degrees F (30 degrees C).

- B. Maintain relative humidity in spaces where concrete testing is being performed, and for at least 48 hours prior to testing, at not less than 40 percent and not more than 60 percent.

## **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 MATERIALS**

- A. Patching Compound: Floor covering manufacturer's recommended product, suitable for conditions, and compatible with adhesive and floor covering. In the absence of any recommendation from flooring manufacturer, provide a product with the following characteristics:
  - 1. Cementitious moisture-, mildew-, and alkali-resistant compound, compatible with floor, floor covering, and floor covering adhesive, and capable of being feathered to nothing at edges.
  - 2. Compressive Strength: 3000 psi, minimum, after 28 days, when tested in accordance with ASTM C109/C109M or ASTM C472, whichever is appropriate.
- B. Remedial Floor Coating: Single- or multi-layer coating or coating/overlay combination intended by its manufacturer to resist water vapor transmission to degree sufficient to meet flooring manufacturer's emission limits, resistant to the level of alkalinity (pH) found, and suitable for adhesion of flooring without further treatment.
  - 1. Thickness: As required for application and in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions.
  - 2. Use product recommended by testing agency.
- C. Remedial Floor Treatment: Penetrating, spray-applied, silicate-based product intended by its manufacturer to resist water vapor transmission to degree sufficient to meet flooring manufacturer's emission limits, resistant to the level of alkalinity (pH) found, and suitable for adhesion of flooring without further treatment.
  - 1. Use product recommended by testing agency.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 CONCRETE SLAB PREPARATION**

- A. Follow recommendations of testing agency.
- B. Perform following operations in the order indicated:
  - 1. Existing concrete slabs (on-grade and elevated) with existing floor coverings:
    - a. Visual observation of existing floor covering, for adhesion, water damage, alkaline deposits, and other defects.
    - b. Removal of existing floor covering.
  - 2. Preliminary cleaning.
  - 3. Moisture vapor emission tests; 3 tests in the first 1000 square feet (100 square meters) and one test in each additional 1000 square feet (100 square meters), unless otherwise indicated or required by flooring manufacturer.

4. Internal relative humidity tests; in same locations as moisture vapor emission tests, unless otherwise indicated.
  5. Alkalinity (pH) tests; in same locations as moisture vapor emission tests, unless otherwise indicated.
  6. Specified remediation, if required.
  7. Patching, smoothing, and leveling, as required.
  8. Other preparation specified.
  9. Adhesive bond and compatibility test.
  10. Protection.
- C. Remediations:
1. Active Water Leaks or Continuing Moisture Migration to Surface of Slab: Correct this condition before doing any other remediation; re-test after correction.
  2. Excessive Moisture Emission or Relative Humidity: If an adhesive that is resistant to the level of moisture present is available and acceptable to flooring manufacturer, use that adhesive for installation of the flooring; if not, apply remedial floor coating or remedial sheet membrane over entire suspect floor area.
  3. Excessive Alkalinity (pH): If remedial floor coating is necessary to address excessive moisture, no additional remediation is required; if not, if an adhesive that is resistant to the level present is available and acceptable to the flooring manufacturer, use that adhesive for installation of the flooring; otherwise, apply a skim coat of specified patching compound over entire suspect floor area.

### 3.2 REMOVAL OF EXISTING FLOOR COVERINGS

- A. Comply with State and federal regulations and recommendations of RFCI (RWP), as applicable to floor covering being removed.
- B. Dispose of removed materials in accordance with State and federal regulations and as specified.

### 3.3 PRELIMINARY CLEANING

- A. Clean floors of dust, solvents, paint, wax, oil, grease, asphalt, residual adhesive, adhesive removers, film-forming curing compounds, sealing compounds, alkaline salts, excessive laitance, mold, mildew, and other materials that might prevent adhesive bond.
- B. Do not use solvents or other chemicals for cleaning.

### 3.4 MOISTURE VAPOR EMISSION TESTING

- A. Where the floor covering manufacturer's requirements conflict with either the referenced test method or this specification, comply with the manufacturer's requirements.
- B. Where this specification conflicts with the referenced test method, comply with the requirements of this section.
- C. Test in accordance with ASTM F1869 and as follows.
- D. Plastic sheet test and mat bond test may not be substituted for the specified ASTM test method, as those methods do not quantify the moisture content sufficiently.

- E. In the event that test values exceed floor covering manufacturer's limits, perform remediation as indicated. In the absence of manufacturer limits, perform remediation if test values exceed 3 pounds per 1000 square feet (1.4 kg per 93 square meters) per 24 hours.
- F. Report: Report the information required by the test method.

### 3.5 INTERNAL RELATIVE HUMIDITY TESTING

- A. Where the floor covering manufacturer's requirements conflict with either the referenced test method or this specification, comply with the manufacturer's requirements.
- B. Where this specification conflicts with the referenced test method, comply with the requirements of this section.
- C. Test in accordance with ASTM F2170 Procedure A and as follows.
- D. Testing with electrical impedance or resistance apparatus may not be substituted for the specified ASTM test method, as the values determined are not comparable to the ASTM test values and do not quantify the moisture content sufficiently.
- E. In the event that test values exceed floor covering manufacturer's limits, perform remediation as indicated. In the absence of manufacturer limits, perform remediation if any test value exceeds 75 percent relative humidity.
- F. Report: Report the information required by the test method.

### 3.6 ALKALINITY TESTING

- A. Where the floor covering manufacturer's requirements conflict with either the referenced test method or this specification, comply with the manufacturer's requirements.
- B. The following procedure is the equivalent of that described in ASTM F710, repeated here for the Contractor's convenience.
  - 1. Use a wide range alkalinity (pH) test paper, its associated chart, and distilled or deionized water.
  - 2. Place several drops of water on a clean surface of concrete, forming a puddle approximately 1 inch (25 mm) in diameter. Allow the puddle to set for approximately 60 seconds, then dip the alkalinity (pH) test paper into the water, remove it, and compare immediately to chart to determine alkalinity (pH) reading.
  - 3. Use of a digital pH meter with probe is acceptable; follow meter manufacturer's instructions.
- C. In the event that test values exceed floor covering manufacturer's limits, perform remediation as indicated. In the absence of manufacturer limits, perform remediation if alkalinity (pH) test value is over 10.

### 3.7 PREPARATION

- A. See individual floor covering section(s) for additional requirements.
- B. Comply with recommendations of testing agency.
- C. Comply with requirements and recommendations of floor covering manufacturer.
- D. Fill and smooth surface cracks, grooves, depressions, control joints and other non-moving joints, and other irregularities with patching compound.
- E. Do not fill expansion joints, isolation joints, or other moving joints.

3.8 ADHESIVE BOND AND COMPATIBILITY TESTING

- A. Comply with requirements and recommendations of floor covering manufacturer.

3.9 APPLICATION OF REMEDIAL FLOOR COATING

- A. Comply with requirements and recommendations of coating manufacturer.

3.10 APPLICATION OF REMEDIAL FLOOR TREATMENT

- A. Comply with requirements and recommendations of treatment manufacturer.

3.11 PROTECTION

- A. Cover prepared floors with building paper or other durable covering.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 09 2116  
GYPSUM BOARD ASSEMBLIES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Performance criteria for gypsum board assemblies.
- B. Metal stud wall framing.
- C. Metal channel ceiling framing.
- D. Gypsum wallboard.
- E. Joint treatment and accessories.

1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 06 1000 - Rough Carpentry: Wood blocking product and execution requirements.
- B. Section 07 8400 - Firestopping: Top-of-wall assemblies at fire-resistance-rated walls.

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. AISI S220 - North American Standard for Cold-Formed Steel Nonstructural Framing; 2020.
- B. AISI S240 - North American Standard for Cold-Formed Steel Structural Framing; 2015, with Errata (2020).
- C. ASTM A1003/A1003M - Standard Specification for Steel Sheet, Carbon, Metallic- and Nonmetallic-Coated for Cold-Formed Framing Members; 2015.
- D. ASTM C1007 - Standard Specification for Installation of Load Bearing (Transverse and Axial) Steel Studs and Related Accessories; 2020.
- E. ASTM C475/C475M - Standard Specification for Joint Compound and Joint Tape for Finishing Gypsum Board; 2017 (Reapproved 2022).
- F. ASTM C754 - Standard Specification for Installation of Steel Framing Members to Receive Screw-Attached Gypsum Panel Products; 2020.
- G. ASTM C840 - Standard Specification for Application and Finishing of Gypsum Board; 2023.
- H. ASTM C1002 - Standard Specification for Steel Self-Piercing Tapping Screws for Application of Gypsum Panel Products or Metal Plaster Bases to Wood Studs or Steel Studs; 2022.
- I. ASTM C1047 - Standard Specification for Accessories for Gypsum Wallboard and Gypsum Veneer Base; 2019.
- J. ASTM C1178/C1178M - Standard Specification for Coated Glass Mat Water-Resistant Gypsum Backing Panel; 2018.
- K. ASTM C1396/C1396M - Standard Specification for Gypsum Board; 2017.
- L. ASTM C1658/C1658M - Standard Specification for Glass Mat Gypsum Panels; 2019, with Editorial Revision (2020).
- M. ASTM D3273 - Standard Test Method for Resistance to Growth of Mold on the Surface of Interior Coatings in an Environmental Chamber; 2021.
- N. GA-216 - Application and Finishing of Gypsum Panel Products; 2024.

- O. UL 2079 - Standard for Tests for Fire Resistance of Building Joint Systems; Current Edition, Including All Revisions.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data:
  - 1. Provide data on metal framing, gypsum board, accessories, and joint finishing system.
  - 2. Provide manufacturer's data on partition head to structure connectors, showing compliance with requirements.
- C. Steel Framing Industry Association (SFIA) Certification:
  - 1. Submit documentation that metal studs and connectors used on project meet or exceed requirements of International Building Code.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. SFIA Code Compliance Certification Program: [www.CFSteel.org/#sle](http://www.CFSteel.org/#sle): Use metal studs and connectors certified for compliance with International Building Code.

#### 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Store gypsum products and accessories indoors and keep above freezing. Elevate boards above floor, on nonwicking supports, in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- B. Store metal products to prevent corrosion.

### **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 GYPSUM BOARD ASSEMBLIES

- A. Provide completed assemblies complying with ASTM C840 and GA-216.
  - 1. See PART 3 for finishing requirements.

#### 2.2 METAL FRAMING MATERIALS

- A. Steel Sheet: ASTM A1003/A1003M, subject to the ductility limitations indicated in AISI S220 or equivalent.
- B. Manufacturers - Metal Framing, Connectors, and Accessories:
  - 1. ClarkDietrich: [www.clarkdietrich.com/#sle](http://www.clarkdietrich.com/#sle).
  - 2. MarinoWARE: [www.marinoware.com/#sle](http://www.marinoware.com/#sle).
  - 3. Phillips Manufacturing Co: [www.phillipsmfg.com/#sle](http://www.phillipsmfg.com/#sle).
  - 4. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
- C. Nonstructural Framing System Components: AISI S220; galvanized sheet steel, of size and properties necessary to comply with ASTM C754 for the spacing indicated, with maximum deflection of wall framing of L/120 at 5 psf (L/120 at 240 Pa).
  - 1. Studs: C-shaped with knurled or embossed faces.
  - 2. Runners: U shaped, sized to match studs.

3. Ceiling Channels: C-shaped.
- D. Ceiling Hangers: Type and size as specified in ASTM C754 for spacing required.
- E. Partition Head To Structure Connections: Provide track fastened to structure with legs of sufficient length to accommodate deflection, for friction fit of studs cut short and fastened as indicated on drawings.
- F. Non-structural Framing Accessories:
  1. Ceiling Hangers: Type and size as specified in ASTM C754 for spacing required.
  2. Partial Height Wall Framing Support: Provides stud reinforcement and anchored connection to floor.

## 2.3 BOARD MATERIALS

- A. Abuse Resistant Wallboard:
  1. Application: All new wall locations..
  2. Mold Resistance: Score of 10, when tested in accordance with ASTM D3273.
  3. Glass Mat-Faced Type: Gypsum wallboard, as defined in ASTM C1658/C1658M.
  4. Type: Fire-resistance-rated Type X, UL or WH listed.
  5. Thickness: 5/8 inch (16 mm).
  6. Edges: Tapered.
  7. Glass Mat Faced Products:
    - a. Gold Bond Building Products, LLC provided by National Gypsum Company; Gold Bond eXP Interior Extreme AR Gypsum Panel: [www.goldbondbuilding.com/#sle](http://www.goldbondbuilding.com/#sle).
    - b. USG Corporation; Sheetrock Brand Glass-Mat Panels Mold Tough AR Firecode X 5/8 in. (15.9 mm): [www.usg.com/#sle](http://www.usg.com/#sle).
    - c. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
- B. Backing Board For Wet Areas: One of the following products:
  1. Application: Surfaces behind tile in wet areas, including manufactured housing, tub and shower surrounds, and shower ceilings.
  2. Mold Resistance: Score of 10, when tested in accordance with ASTM D3273.
  3. Glass Mat Faced Board: Coated glass mat water-resistant gypsum backing panel as defined in ASTM C1178/C1178M.
- C. Ceiling Board: Special sag resistant gypsum ceiling board as defined in ASTM C1396/C1396M; sizes to minimize joints in place; ends square cut.
  1. Application: Ceilings, unless otherwise indicated.
  2. Thickness: 1/2 inch (13 mm).
  3. Edges: Tapered.
  4. Products:
    - a. Gold Bond Building Products, LLC provided by National Gypsum Company; Gold Bond High Strength LITE Gypsum Board: [www.goldbondbuilding.com/#sle](http://www.goldbondbuilding.com/#sle).

- b. USG Corporation; Sheetrock Brand UltraLight Panels 1/2 in. (12.7 mm): [www.usg.com/#sle](http://www.usg.com/#sle).
- c. Architect pre-approved equivalent.

#### 2.4 GYPSUM BOARD ACCESSORIES

- A. Finishing Accessories: ASTM C1047, extruded aluminum alloy (6063 T5) or galvanized steel sheet ASTM A924/A924M G90, unless noted otherwise.
  - 1. Types: As detailed or required for finished appearance.
  - 2. Special Shapes: In addition to conventional corner bead and control joints, provide U-bead at exposed panel edges.
- B. Beads, Joint Accessories, and Other Trim: ASTM C1047, rigid plastic, galvanized steel, or rolled zinc, unless noted otherwise.
  - 1. Corner Beads: Low profile, for 90 degree outside corners.
  - 2. Expansion Joints:
    - a. Fire-Resistance Rated: 1 hour when joint system tested in accordance with UL 2079.
    - b. Type: V-shaped PVC with tear away fins.
- C. Moisture Guard Trim: ASTM C1047, rigid plastic, 48 inch (1219.2 mm) length, applied to bottom edge of gypsum board.
  - 1. Height: 1/2 inch (13 mm).
  - 2. Depth: 1/2 inch (13 mm).
  - 3. Products:
    - a. Waterguard USA; Waterguard: [www.waterguard-usa.com/#sle](http://www.waterguard-usa.com/#sle).
    - b. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
- D. Joint Materials: ASTM C475/C475M and as recommended by gypsum board manufacturer for project conditions.
  - 1. Paper Tape: 2 inch (50 mm) wide, creased paper tape for joints and corners, except as otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Joint Compound: Drying type, vinyl-based, ready-mixed.
- E. Finishing Compound: Surface coat and primer, takes the place of skim coating.
- F. Screws for Fastening of Gypsum Panel Products to Cold-Formed Steel Studs Less than 0.033 inches (0.84 mm) in Thickness and Wood Members: ASTM C1002; self-piercing tapping screws, corrosion-resistant.
- G. Anchorage to Substrate: Tie wire, nails, screws, and other metal supports, of type and size to suit application; to rigidly secure materials in place.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 EXAMINATION**

- A. Verify that project conditions are appropriate for work of this section to commence.

### **3.2 FRAMING INSTALLATION**

- A. Metal Framing: Install in accordance with ASTM C1007/AISI S220 and manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Suspended Ceilings and Soffits: Space framing and furring members as indicated.
  - 1. Level ceiling system to a tolerance of 1/600.
- C. Studs: Space studs at 16 inches on center (at 406 mm on center).
  - 1. Extend partition framing to structure where indicated and to ceiling in other locations.
  - 2. Partitions Terminating at Ceiling: Attach ceiling runner securely to ceiling track in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
  - 3. Partitions Terminating at Structure: Attach extended leg top runner to structure, maintain clearance between top of studs and structure, and brace both flanges of studs with continuous bridging.
- D. Openings: Reinforce openings as required for weight of doors or operable panels, using not less than double studs at jambs.
- E. Blocking: Install wood blocking for support of:
  - 1. Framed openings.
  - 2. Wall-mounted cabinets.
  - 3. Plumbing fixtures.
  - 4. Toilet accessories.
  - 5. Wall-mounted door hardware.

### **3.3 BOARD INSTALLATION**

- A. Comply with ASTM C840, GA-216, and manufacturer's instructions. Install to minimize butt end joints, especially in highly visible locations.
- B. Single-Layer Nonrated: Install gypsum board in most economical direction, with ends and edges occurring over firm bearing.
- C. Fire-Resistance-Rated Construction: Install gypsum board in strict compliance with requirements of assembly listing.
- D. Exposed Gypsum Board in Interior Wet Areas: Seal joints, cut edges, and holes with water-resistant sealant.
- E. Installation on Metal Framing: Use screws for attachment of gypsum board except face layer of nonrated double-layer assemblies, which may be installed by means of adhesive lamination.

### **3.4 INSTALLATION OF TRIM AND ACCESSORIES**

- A. Control Joints: Place control joints consistent with lines of building spaces and as indicated.
  - 1. Space control joints in accordance with ASTM C840 at specific locations indicated on drawings or approved by Architect.

- B. Corner Beads: Install at external corners, using longest practical lengths.
- C. Edge Trim: Install at locations where gypsum board abuts dissimilar materials.
- D. Moisture Guard Trim: Install on bottom edge of gypsum board according to manufacturer's instructions and in locations indicated on drawings.

### 3.5 JOINT TREATMENT

- A. Glass Mat Faced Gypsum Board and Exterior Glass Mat Faced Sheathing: Use fiberglass joint tape, embed and finish with setting type joint compound.
- B. Finish gypsum board in accordance with levels defined in ASTM C840, as follows:
  - 1. Level 4: Walls and ceilings to receive paint finish or wall coverings, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Level 2: In utility areas, behind cabinetry, and on backing board to receive tile finish.
  - 3. Level 1: Fire-resistance-rated wall areas above finished ceilings, whether or not accessible in the completed construction.
- C. Tape, fill, and sand exposed joints, edges, and corners to produce smooth surface ready to receive finishes.
  - 1. Feather coats of joint compound so that camber is maximum 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).
  - 2. Taping, filling, and sanding are not required at surfaces behind adhesive applied ceramic tile and fixed cabinetry.

### 3.6 TOLERANCES

- A. Maximum Variation of Finished Gypsum Board Surface from True Flatness: 1/8 inch in 10 feet (3 mm in 3 m) in any direction.

### 3.7 CLEANING

- A. See Sections 01 7300 - Execution and 01 7000 - Closeout Procedures for additional requirements.
- B. Clean and prepare to receive finish.

### 3.8 PROTECTION

- A. Protect installed gypsum board assemblies from subsequent construction operations.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 09 3000  
TILING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Tile for floor applications.
- B. Non-ceramic trim.

1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 07 9200 - Joint Sealants: Sealing joints between tile work and adjacent construction and fixtures.
- B. Section 09 0561 - Common Work Results for Flooring Preparation: Concrete slab moisture and alkalinity testing and remediation procedures.
- C. Section 22 4000 - Plumbing Fixtures: Shower receptor.

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ANSI A108/A118/A136 - American National Standard Specifications for the Installation of Ceramic Tile (Compendium); 2019.
- B. ANSI A108.1a - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile in the Wet-Set Method, with Portland Cement Mortar; 2023.
- C. ANSI A108.1b - Installation of Ceramic Tile on a Cured Portland Cement Mortar Setting Bed with Dry-Set, Modified Dry-Set, or Improved Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar; 2023.
- D. ANSI A108.1c - Contractor's Option: Installation of Ceramic Tile in the Wet-Set Method with Portland Cement Mortar or Installation of Ceramic Tile on a Cured Portland Cement Mortar Setting Bed with Dry-Set, Modified Dry-Set, or Improved Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar; 2023.
- E. ANSI A108.4 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Organic Adhesive or Water Cleanable Tile-Setting Epoxy Adhesive; 2023.
- F. ANSI A108.5 - Setting of Ceramic Tile with Dry-Set Cement Mortar, Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar, EGP (Exterior Glue Plywood) Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar, or Improved Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar; 2023.
- G. ANSI A108.6 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Chemical Resistant, Water Cleanable Tile-Setting and -Grout Epoxy; 2023.
- H. ANSI A108.8 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Chemical Resistant Furan Resin Mortar and Grout; 1999 (Reaffirmed 2024).
- I. ANSI A108.9 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile with Modified Epoxy Emulsion Mortar/Grout; 2023.
- J. ANSI A108.10 - American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Grout in Tilework; 2017 (Reaffirmed 2022).
- K. ANSI A108.12 - Installation of Ceramic Tile with EGP (Exterior Glue Plywood) Modified Dry-Set Mortar; 2023.

- L. ANSI A108.13 - American National Standard for Installation of Load Bearing, Bonded, Waterproof Membranes for Thin-Set Ceramic Tile and Dimension Stone; 2005 (Reaffirmed 2021).
- M. ANSI A108.19 - American National Standard Specifications for Interior Installation of Gauged Porcelain Tiles and Gauged Porcelain Tile Panels/Slabs by the Thin-Bed Method Bonded with Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar or Improved Modified Dry-Set Cement Mortar; 2020.
- N. ANSI A108.20 - American National Standard Specifications for Exterior Installation of Gauged Porcelain Tiles and Gauged Porcelain Tile Panels/Slabs; 2020.
- O. ANSI A137.1 - American National Standard Specifications for Ceramic Tile; 2022.
- P. TCNA (HB) - Handbook for Ceramic, Glass, and Stone Tile Installation; 2024.
- Q. TCNA (HB-GP) - Handbook for Gauged Porcelain Tiles and Gauged Porcelain Tile Panels/Slabs Installation; 2023.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide manufacturers' data sheets on tile, mortar, grout, and accessories. Include instructions for using grouts and adhesives.
- C. Samples: Two full size tiles with proposed grout samples.
- D. Maintenance Data: Include recommended cleaning methods, cleaning materials, and stain removal methods.
- E. Maintenance Materials: Furnish the following for Owner's use in maintenance of project.
  - 1. See Section 01 6000 - Product Requirements, for additional provisions.
  - 2. Extra Tile: 1 percent of each size, color, and surface finish combination, but not less than 10 tiles of each type.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Maintain one copy of ANSI A108/A118/A136, TCNA (HB), and TCNA (HB-GP) on-site.

#### 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

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

#### 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Do not install solvent-based products in an unventilated environment.
- B. Maintain ambient and substrate temperature above 50 degrees F (10 degrees C) and below 100 degrees F (38 degrees C) during installation and curing of setting materials.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.1 TILE

- A. Manufacturers: All products by the same manufacturer.
  - 1. American Olean Corporation: [www.americanolean.com/#sle](http://www.americanolean.com/#sle).

2. Dal-Tile Corporation: [www.daltile.com/#sle](http://www.daltile.com/#sle).
  3. Architect preapproved equivalent.
- B. Quarry Tile: ANSI A137.1 standard grade.
1. Size: 6 by 6 inch (152 by 152 mm), nominal.
  2. Thickness: 1/2 inch (12.7 mm), nominal.
  3. Edges: Square.
  4. Surface Finish: Non-slip.
  5. Color(s): To be selected by Architect/Engineer from manufacturer's standard range.
  6. Pattern: to match existing.
  7. Products:
    - a. As indicated on drawings.
    - b. Dal-Tile Corporation: [www.daltile.com/#sle](http://www.daltile.com/#sle).
    - c. American Olean Corporation: [www.americanolean.com/#sle](http://www.americanolean.com/#sle).
    - d. Architect preapproved equivalent.

## 2.2 TRIM AND ACCESSORIES

- A. Non-Ceramic Trim: Satin natural anodized extruded aluminum, style and dimensions to suit application, set with tile mortar.
1. Applications:
    - a. Floor expansion and control joints.
    - b. Floor isolation joints.
  2. Products:
    - a. Schluter-Systems; DILEX-EDP: [www.schluter.com/#sle](http://www.schluter.com/#sle).
    - b. Architect preapproved equivalent.

## 2.3 SETTING MATERIALS

- A. Provide setting and grout materials from same manufacturer.
- B. Manufacturers:
1. Bostik Inc: [www.bostik-us.com/#sle](http://www.bostik-us.com/#sle).
  2. LATICRETE International, Inc: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
  3. Mapei Corporation: [www.mapei.com/#sle](http://www.mapei.com/#sle).
  4. Verify setting material used and match existing. .
  5. Architect preapproved equivalent.

## 2.4 GROUTS

- A. Provide setting and grout materials from same manufacturer.
- B. Manufacturers:

1. Bostik Inc: [www.bostik-us.com/#sle](http://www.bostik-us.com/#sle).
2. LATICRETE International, Inc: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
3. Mapei Corporation: [www.mapei.com/#sle](http://www.mapei.com/#sle).
4. Verify grout used and match existing..
5. Architect preapproved

## 2.5 MAINTENANCE MATERIALS

- A. Tile Sealant: Gunnable, silicone, siliconized acrylic, or urethane sealant; moisture and mildew resistant type.
  1. Applications: Between tile and plumbing fixtures.
  2. Color(s): As selected by Architect/Engineer from manufacturer's full line.
  3. Products:
    - a. LATICRETE International, Inc; LATICRETE LATASIL: [www.laticrete.com/#sle](http://www.laticrete.com/#sle).
    - b. Mapei Corporation; Mapesil T Plus: [www.mapei.com/#sle](http://www.mapei.com/#sle).
    - c. Verify existing sealant and match existing.
    - d. Architect preapproved equivalent.

## 2.6 ACCESSORY MATERIALS

# PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that subfloor surfaces are smooth and flat within the tolerances specified for that type of work and are ready to receive tile.
- B. Verify that subfloor surfaces are dust free and free of substances that could impair bonding of setting materials to subfloor surfaces.
- C. Cementitious Subfloor Surfaces: Verify that substrates are ready for tiling installation by testing for moisture and alkalinity (pH).
  1. Test in accordance with Section 09 0561.
  2. Obtain instructions if test results are not within limits recommended by tiling material manufacturer and setting material manufacturer.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Protect surrounding work from damage.
- B. Vacuum clean surfaces and damp clean.
- C. Seal substrate surface cracks with filler. Level existing substrate surfaces to acceptable flatness tolerances.

### 3.3 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

- A. Install tile and grout in accordance with applicable requirements of ANSI A108.1a through ANSI A108.20, manufacturer's instructions, and TCNA (HB) or TCNA (HB-GP) recommendations, as applicable.
- B. Lay tile to pattern indicated. Do not interrupt tile pattern through openings.
- C. Cut and fit tile to penetrations through tile, leaving sealant joint space. Form corners and bases neatly. Align floor joints.
- D. Place tile joints uniform in width, subject to variance in tolerance allowed in tile size. Make grout joints without voids, cracks, excess mortar or excess grout, or too little grout.
- E. Install tile withas recommended by tile manufacturer joints unless otherwise indicated. Field verify existing joint spacing.
- F. Use joint spacers, in size indicated above, for individual tiles and between sheets of sheet-mounted mosaic tiles.
- G. Form internal angles square and external angles bullnosed.
- H. Install non-ceramic trim in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- I. Sound tile after setting. Replace hollow sounding units.
- J. Keep control and expansion joints free of mortar, grout, and adhesive.
- K. Prior to grouting, allow installation to completely cure; minimum of 48 hours.
- L. Grout tile joints unless otherwise indicated.
- M. At changes in plane and tile-to-tile control joints, use tile sealant instead of grout, with either bond breaker tape or backer rod as appropriate to prevent three-sided bonding.

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

- A. Over interior concrete substrates, install in accordance with TCNA (HB) Method F113, dry-set or latex-Portland cement bond coat, with standard grout.

### 3.5 CLEANING

- A. Clean tile and grout surfaces.

### 3.6 PROTECTION

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

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 09 6500  
RESILIENT FLOORING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Resilient tile flooring.
- B. Resilient base.
- C. Installation accessories.

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM F1066 - Standard Specification for Vinyl Composition Floor Tile; 2023.
- B. ASTM F1861 - Standard Specification for Resilient Wall Base; 2021.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide data on specified products, describing physical and performance characteristics; including sizes, patterns and colors available; and installation instructions.
- C. Selection Samples: Submit manufacturer's complete set of color samples for Architect/Engineer's initial selection.
- D. Maintenance Data: Include maintenance procedures, recommended maintenance materials, and suggested schedule for cleaning, stripping, and re-waxing.

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Upon receipt, immediately remove any shrink-wrap and check materials for damage and the correct style, color, quantity and run numbers.
- B. Store all materials off of the floor in an acclimatized, weather-tight space.
- C. Maintain temperature in storage area between 55 degrees F (13 degrees C) and 90 degrees F (72 degrees C).
- D. Do not double stack pallets.

1.5 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Store materials for not less than 48 hours prior to installation in area of installation at a temperature of 70 degrees F (21 degrees C) to achieve temperature stability. Thereafter, maintain conditions above 55 degrees F (13 degrees C).

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 TILE FLOORING

- A. Vinyl Composition Tile: Homogeneous, with color extending throughout thickness.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Armstrong Flooring; Excelon SDT: [www.armstrongflooring.com/#sle](http://www.armstrongflooring.com/#sle).

- b. Johnsonite, a Tarkett Company: [www.johnsonite.com/#sle](http://www.johnsonite.com/#sle).
  - c. Architect preapproved equivalent. .
- 2. Minimum Requirements: Comply with ASTM F1066, of Class corresponding to type specified.
  - 3. Size: 12 by 12 inch (305 by 305 mm).
  - 4. Thickness: 0.125 inch (3.2 mm).
  - 5. Pattern: Match existing.
  - 6. Color: Match existing.

## 2.2 RESILIENT BASE

- A. Resilient Base: ASTM F1861, Type TS, rubber, vulcanized thermoset; style as scheduled.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Johnsonite, a Tarkett Company: [www.johnsonite.com/#sle](http://www.johnsonite.com/#sle).
    - b. Mannington Commercial: [www.manningtoncommercial.com/#sle](http://www.manningtoncommercial.com/#sle).
    - c. Roppe Corporation; Contours Profiled Wall Base System: [www.roppe.com/#sle](http://www.roppe.com/#sle).
    - d. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
  - 2. Height: 4 inches (100 mm).
  - 3. Thickness: 0.125 inch (3.2 mm).
  - 4. Finish: Satin.
  - 5. Length: Roll.

## 2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Subfloor Filler: White premix latex; type recommended by adhesive material manufacturer.
- B. Primers, Adhesives, and Seam Sealer: Waterproof; types recommended by flooring manufacturer.
- C. Moldings, Transition and Edge Strips: Same material as flooring.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that surfaces are flat to tolerances acceptable to flooring manufacturer, free of cracks that might telegraph through flooring, clean, dry, and free of curing compounds, surface hardeners, and other chemicals that might interfere with bonding of flooring to substrate.
- B. Verify that wall surfaces are smooth and flat within the tolerances specified for that type of work, are dust-free, and are ready to receive resilient base.
- C. Cementitious Subfloor Surfaces: Verify that substrates are ready for resilient flooring installation by testing for moisture and alkalinity (pH).
  - 1. Obtain instructions if test results are not within limits recommended by resilient flooring manufacturer and adhesive materials manufacturer.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

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

### 3.3 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

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

### 3.4 INSTALLATION - TILE FLOORING

- A. Mix tile from container to ensure shade variations are consistent when tile is placed, unless otherwise indicated in manufacturer's installation instructions.
- B. Lay flooring with joints and seams parallel to building lines to produce symmetrical pattern.

### 3.5 INSTALLATION - RESILIENT BASE

- A. Fit joints tightly and make vertical. Maintain minimum dimension of 18 inches (45 mm) between joints.
- B. Miter internal corners. At external corners, "V" cut back of base strip to 2/3 of its thickness and fold. At exposed ends, use premolded units.
- C. Install base on solid backing. Bond tightly to wall and floor surfaces.

### 3.6 CLEANING

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

### 3.7 PROTECTION

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

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 09 9123  
INTERIOR PAINTING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Surface preparation.
- B. Field application of paints.
- C. Scope: Finish interior surfaces exposed to view, unless fully factory-finished and unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Mechanical and Electrical:
    - a. In finished areas, paint insulated and exposed pipes, conduit, boxes, insulated and exposed ducts, hangers, brackets, collars and supports, mechanical equipment, and electrical equipment, unless otherwise indicated.
    - b. In finished areas, paint shop-primed items.
- D. Do Not Paint or Finish the Following Items:
  - 1. Items factory-finished unless otherwise indicated; materials and products having factory-applied primers are not considered factory finished.
  - 2. Items indicated to receive other finishes.
  - 3. Items indicated to remain unfinished.
  - 4. Fire rating labels, equipment serial number and capacity labels, bar code labels, and operating parts of equipment.
  - 5. Floors, unless specifically indicated.
  - 6. Ceramic and other tiles.
  - 7. Glass.
  - 8. Concealed pipes, ducts, and conduits.

1.2 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 01 6116 - Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Content Restrictions.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Comply with ASTM D16 for interpretation of terms used in this section.

1.4 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. 40 CFR 59, Subpart D - National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Architectural Coatings; U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; Current Edition.
- B. ASTM D16 - Standard Terminology for Paint, Related Coatings, Materials, and Applications; 2024.
- C. ASTM D4442 - Standard Test Methods for Direct Moisture Content Measurement of Wood and Wood-Based Materials; 2020.

- D. MPI (APL) - Master Painters Institute Approved Products List; Master Painters and Decorators Association; Current Edition.
- E. MPI (APSM) - Master Painters Institute Architectural Painting Specification Manual; Current Edition.
- F. SSPC-SP 1 - Solvent Cleaning; 2015, with Editorial Revision (2016).
- G. SSPC-SP 6/NACE No.3 - Commercial Blast Cleaning; 2006.

#### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Section 01 3300 - Administrative Requirements, for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide complete list of products to be used, with the following information for each:
  - 1. Manufacturer's name, product name and/or catalog number, and general product category (e.g., "alkyd enamel").
  - 2. MPI product number (e.g., MPI #47).
  - 3. Cross-reference to specified paint system products to be used in project; include description of each system.
- C. Samples: Submit three paper "draw down" samples, 8-1/2 by 11 inches (216 by 279 mm) in size, illustrating range of colors available for each finishing product specified.
  - 1. Where sheen is specified, submit samples in only that sheen.
- D. Certification: By manufacturer that paints and finishes comply with VOC limits specified.
- E. Maintenance Materials: Furnish the following for Owner's use in maintenance of project.
  - 1. See Section 01 6000 - Product Requirements, for additional provisions.
  - 2. Extra Paint and Finish Materials: 1 gal (4 L) of each color; from the same product run, store where directed.
  - 3. Label each container with color in addition to the manufacturer's label.

#### 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to site in sealed and labeled containers; inspect to verify acceptability.
- B. Container Label: Include manufacturer's name, type of paint, brand name, lot number, brand code, coverage, surface preparation, drying time, cleanup requirements, color designation, and instructions for mixing and reducing.
- C. Paint Materials: Store at minimum ambient temperature of 45 degrees F (7 degrees C) and a maximum of 90 degrees F (32 degrees C), in ventilated area, and as required by manufacturer's instructions.

#### 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Do not apply materials when surface and ambient temperatures are outside the temperature ranges required by the paint product manufacturer.
- B. Follow manufacturer's recommended procedures for producing best results, including testing of substrates, moisture in substrates, and humidity and temperature limitations.

- C. Do not apply materials when relative humidity exceeds 85 percent, at temperatures less than 5 degrees F (3 degrees C) above the dew point, or to damp or wet surfaces.
- D. Minimum Application Temperatures for Paints: 50 degrees F (10 degrees C) for interiors unless required otherwise by manufacturer's instructions.
- E. Provide lighting level of 80 fc (860 lux) measured mid-height at substrate surface.

## **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 MANUFACTURERS**

- A. Provide paints and finishes from the same manufacturer to the greatest extent possible.
  - 1. If a single manufacturer cannot provide specified products; minor exceptions will be permitted provided approval by Architect/Engineer is obtained using the specified procedures for substitutions.
- B. Paints:
  - 1. Sherwin-Williams Company: [www.sherwin-williams.com/#sle](http://www.sherwin-williams.com/#sle).
  - 2. Architect pre-approved equivalent.
- C. Primer Sealers: Same manufacturer as top coats.
- D. Substitutions: See Section 01 6000 - Product Requirements.

### **2.2 PAINTS AND FINISHES - GENERAL**

- A. Paints and Finishes: Ready-mixed, unless intended to be a field-catalyzed paint.
  - 1. Where MPI paint numbers are specified, provide products listed in Master Painters Institute Approved Product List, current edition available at [www.paintinfo.com](http://www.paintinfo.com), for specified MPI categories, except as otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Provide paints and finishes of a soft paste consistency, capable of being readily and uniformly dispersed to a homogeneous coating, with good flow and brushing properties, and capable of drying or curing free of streaks or sags.
  - 3. Provide materials that are compatible with one another and the substrates indicated under conditions of service and application, as demonstrated by manufacturer based on testing and field experience.
  - 4. Supply each paint material in quantity required to complete entire project's work from a single production run.
  - 5. Do not reduce, thin, or dilute paint or finishes or add materials unless such procedure is specifically described in manufacturer's product instructions.
- B. Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Content:
  - 1. Provide paints and finishes that comply with the most stringent requirements specified in the following:
    - a. 40 CFR 59, Subpart D--National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Architectural Coatings.
  - 2. Determination of VOC Content: Testing and calculation in accordance with 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24), exclusive of colorants added to a tint base and water added at project site; or other method acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.

- C. Sheens: Provide the sheens specified; where sheen is not specified, sheen will be selected later by Architect/Engineer from the manufacturer's full line.
- D. Colors: As indicated on drawings.
  - 1. In finished areas, finish pipes, ducts, conduit, and equipment the same color as the wall/ceiling under which they are mounted.

### 2.3 PAINT SYSTEMS - INTERIOR

- A. Paint I-OP - Interior Surfaces to be Painted, Unless Otherwise Indicated: Including gypsum board, concrete, concrete masonry units, brick, wood, plaster, uncoated steel, shop primed steel, galvanized steel, aluminum, and acoustical ceilings.
  - 1. Two top coats and one coat primer.
  - 2. Top Coat(s): Institutional Low Odor/VOC Interior Latex; MPI #143, 144, 145, 146, 147, or 148.
    - a. Products:
      - 1) Sherwin-Williams ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex, Flat.
      - 2) Sherwin-Williams ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex, Low Sheen. (MPI #144)
      - 3) Sherwin-Williams ProMar 200 Zero VOC Interior Latex, Semi-Gloss.
  - 3. Primer: As recommended by top coat manufacturer for specific substrate.

### 2.4 ACCESSORY MATERIALS

- A. Accessory Materials: Provide primers, sealers, cleaning agents, cleaning cloths, sanding materials, and clean-up materials as required for final completion of painted surfaces.
- B. Patching Material: Latex filler.
- C. Fastener Head Cover Material: Latex filler.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Do not begin application of paints and finishes until substrates have been adequately prepared.
- B. Verify that surfaces are ready to receive work as instructed by the product manufacturer.
- C. Examine surfaces scheduled to be finished prior to commencement of work. Report any condition that may potentially affect proper application.
- D. Test shop-applied primer for compatibility with subsequent cover materials.
- E. Measure moisture content of surfaces using an electronic moisture meter. Do not apply finishes unless moisture content of surfaces is below the following maximums:
  - 1. Gypsum Wallboard: 12 percent.
  - 2. Plaster and Stucco: 12 percent.
  - 3. Masonry, Concrete, and Concrete Masonry Units: 12 percent.
  - 4. Interior Wood: 15 percent, measured in accordance with ASTM D4442.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Clean surfaces thoroughly and correct defects prior to application.
- B. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.
- C. Remove or repair existing paints or finishes that exhibit surface defects.
- D. Remove or mask surface appurtenances, including electrical plates, hardware, light fixture trim, escutcheons, and fittings, prior to preparing surfaces or finishing.
- E. Seal surfaces that might cause bleed through or staining of topcoat.
- F. Remove mildew from impervious surfaces by scrubbing with solution of tetra-sodium phosphate and bleach. Rinse with clean water and allow surface to dry.
- G. Masonry:
  - 1. Remove efflorescence and chalk. Do not coat surfaces if moisture content, alkalinity of surfaces, or if alkalinity of mortar joints exceed that permitted in manufacturer's written instructions. Allow to dry.
- H. Gypsum Board: Fill minor defects with filler compound. Spot prime defects after repair.
- I. Plaster: Fill hairline cracks, small holes, and imperfections with latex patching plaster. Make smooth and flush with adjacent surfaces. Wash and neutralize high-alkali surfaces.
- J. Insulated Coverings: Remove dirt, grease, and oil from canvas and cotton.
- K. Aluminum: Remove surface contamination and oils and wash with solvent according to SSPC-SP 1.
- L. Galvanized Surfaces:
  - 1. Remove surface contamination and oils and wash with solvent according to SSPC-SP 1.
- M. Ferrous Metal:
  - 1. Solvent clean according to SSPC-SP 1.
  - 2. Shop-Primed Surfaces: Sand and scrape to remove loose primer and rust. Feather edges to make touch-up patches inconspicuous. Clean surfaces with solvent. Prime bare steel surfaces. Re-prime entire shop-primed item.
  - 3. Remove rust, loose mill scale, and other foreign substances using methods recommended in writing by paint manufacturer and blast cleaning in accordance with SSPC-SP 6/NACE No.3. Protect from corrosion until coated.
- N. Wood Surfaces to Receive Opaque Finish: Wipe off dust and grit prior to priming. Seal knots, pitch streaks, and sappy sections with sealer. Fill nail holes and cracks after primer has dried; sand between coats. Back prime concealed surfaces before installation.

### 3.3 APPLICATION

- A. Remove unfinished louvers, grilles, covers, and access panels on mechanical and electrical components and paint separately.
- B. Apply products in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions and recommendations in "MPI Architectural Painting Specification Manual".
- C. Where adjacent sealant is to be painted, do not apply finish coats until sealant is applied.
- D. Do not apply finishes to surfaces that are not dry. Allow applied coats to dry before next coat is applied.

- E. Apply each coat to uniform appearance in thicknesses specified by manufacturer.
- F. Sand wood and metal surfaces lightly between coats to achieve required finish.
- G. Vacuum clean surfaces of loose particles. Use tack cloth to remove dust and particles just prior to applying next coat.
- H. Reinstall electrical cover plates, hardware, light fixture trim, escutcheons, and fittings removed prior to finishing.

#### 3.4 CLEANING

- A. Collect waste material that could constitute a fire hazard, place in closed metal containers, and remove daily from site.

#### 3.5 PROTECTION

- A. Protect finishes until completion of project.
- B. Touch-up damaged finishes after Substantial Completion.

**END OF SECTION**



1. ICC (IBC) - International Building Code 2015
  2. ICC (IECC) - International Energy Conservation Code 2012
  3. State Plumbing, Mechanical and Building Codes
  4. Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA)
  5. Uniform Plumbing Code 2021
- C. Any product used for dispensing potable water shall meet NSF 61 and NSF 372 testing standards. Third party testing shall be required.
- D. If any work indicated on the drawings or specified herein conflicts in any way with any of the rules and regulations of the above Authorities, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Architect/Engineer in writing and do so no less than 72 hours before bids are opened. In the event the Contractor fails to notify the Architect/Engineer and changes are required by said conflicts, the Contractor shall make such changes as are required without additional cost to this Owner.
- E. Installations must be safe in every respect, and must not create a condition which will be harmful to building occupants; to operating, installing or testing personnel; to workmen; or to the public. The contractor for each installation shall be solely responsible for providing installations which will meet these conditions. If the Contractor believes that the installation will not be safe for all parties, report these beliefs in writing to the Architect/Engineer before any equipment is purchased or work is installed, giving recommendations. The Architect/Engineer will work out required changes and adjustments in contract price where adjustments are warranted.

## 1.5 DRAWINGS

- A. A complete set of up-to-date Project Drawings and Specifications shall be kept on the site at all times. Prior to installing any of the work, check the drawings for dimensions and see that the work does not interfere with clearance required for ceilings, beams, foundations, finished columns, pilasters, partitions and electrical equipment as shown on the drawings and details. After work is installed and it develops that interferences occur which have not been called to the Architect/Engineer's attention before the installation, the Contractor shall, at his own expense, make such changes in his work as directed by the Architect/Engineer.
- B. The contract drawings for plumbing work are in part diagrammatic, intended to convey the scope of work and indicate general arrangement and approximate sizes and locations of equipment and materials. Where job conditions require reasonable changes in indicated locations and arrangement, the Contractor shall make such changes as directed by the Architect/Engineer, without additional cost to the Owner.
- C. Because of the scale of the drawings, certain basic items such as pipe fittings, access panels, and sleeves may not be shown; but where such items are required by other sections of these specifications or where they are required by the nature of the work, they shall be furnished and installed. Rough-in dimensions and locations shall be verified with the supplier of equipment furnished by other trades, or by the Owner, prior to the time of roughing-in.
- D. Equipment specification may not deal individually with minute items required such as components, parts, controls and devices which may be required to produce the equipment performance specified, or as required to meet the equipment warranties. Where such items are required, they shall be included by the supplier of the equipment, whether or not specifically called for.

- E. The drawings and the specifications are cooperative and supplementary. It is the intent of both said drawings and specifications to cover all mechanical requirements in their entirety as nearly as possible. The Contractor shall closely check the drawings and specifications for any obvious errors or omissions and bring any such condition to the attention of the Architect/Engineer prior to the receipt of bids, in order to permit clarification by means of a mailed Addendum. If there is no question prior to the bid proposal date, the Architect/Engineer shall assume that the drawings and specifications are complete and correct and will expect the intent of said documents to be complied with, and the installation to be complete in all respects, according to said intent.
- F. Locate equipment which must be serviced, operated or maintained in fully accessible positions. Minor deviations from the contract drawings may be made to allow for better accessibility, but changes of magnitude, or which involve extra cost, shall not be made without prior approval. Ample space shall be allowed for removal of parts that may require replacement or service in the future.
- G. All valves, pumps, etc. shall be accessible for maintenance purposes. Locate items carefully and coordinate with other trades so that each valve and piece of equipment is accessible and functional. Items located above a non-accessible ceiling, chase, or soffit shall be accessible through an access door. Coordinate location of access doors with the general contractor.

#### 1.6 RESPONSIBILITY

- A. The Contractor's responsibility shall not end with the installation and connecting of the various apparatus. It shall include the services of an experienced superintendent, who shall be constantly in charge of the work, together with the qualified journeymen, helpers and laborers required to properly unload, install, connect, adjust, start, operate and test the work involved, including equipment and materials furnished by other trades or by the Owner, until such time as the entire plumbing installation functions properly in every detail.

#### 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate the work with other trades prior to installation.
- B. No piping or equipment, which is foreign to the electrical equipment, or architectural appurtenances shall be run over the top of any electrical panels or electrical equipment, in accordance with NEC 110.26. This does not prohibit sprinkler protection for the installation.
- C. The determination of quantities of material and equipment required shall be made from the drawings. Schedules on the drawings and in the specifications are completed as an aid, but where discrepancies arise, it shall be the Contractor's responsibility to provide the required quantity.
- D. Where the specifications state that equipment shall be furnished, installed or provided, it shall be understood to mean this Contractor shall furnish and install completely, unless it is specifically stated that the equipment is to be furnished and installed by others.
- E. The Architect/Engineer reserves the right to determine space priority of the contractors in the event of interference between the piping and equipment of the various contractors. Conflicts between the drawings and specifications, or between requirements set forth for the various trades, shall be called to the attention of the Architect/Engineer. If clarification is not asked for prior to the taking of bids, it will be assumed that none is required, and that the Contractor has submitted his bid in conformance with plans and specifications as issued and that no interference exists.

- F. No piping or equipment foreign to an elevator hoistway and machine room shall be run inside the hoistway or machine room in accordance with NEC 620.37 and ASME A17.1 Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators.

#### 1.8 GUARANTEE AND MAINTENANCE

- A. Materials and equipment shall be guaranteed to be free from defects and to be new equipment; no secondhand, used or salvaged equipment will be allowed. The Owner's existing equipment which is to be relocated or reinstalled under this contract shall be refurbished, cleaned and repaired, and made subject to the guarantee and maintenance as herein specified, unless specifically noted otherwise.
- B. Keep the entire portion of the work in repair, without additional cost to the Owner, so far as defects in workmanship, apparatus, material or construction are concerned for one (1) year from the date of final acceptance, except as otherwise specified herein.
- C. Equipment which fails to meet performance ratings as specified and shown on the drawings shall be removed and replaced by new equipment that meets the specified requirements, without additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Materials and workmanship shall be subject to the review of the Architect/Engineer, in whose presence various tests shall be made as required by these specifications.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and catalog data for plumbing equipment as called for in Division 01 - General Requirements.
- B. Submittal data for plumbing equipment shall consist of shop drawings and/or catalog cuts showing technical data necessary to evaluate the material or equipment to include dimensions, wiring diagrams, performance curves, rating, and other descriptive data necessary to describe fully the item proposed and its operating characteristics. Shop drawings shall be submitted on equipment and materials as required by the specifications.
- C. Approval of materials, including alternate or substitute items, shall be obtained in writing from the Architect/Engineer, verbal approval will not be considered binding.
- D. Shop drawings shall be submitted and shall have been signed, checked, approved, and initialed by the Contractor prior to submittal to the Architect/Engineer. The Architect/Engineer will review shop drawings to aid in interpreting the plans and specifications, and will in so doing assume that the shop drawings conform to specified requirements set forth in this specification. The approval of the shop drawing by the Architect/Engineer does not relieve the Contractor of the responsibility of complying with elements of the specification. The name of the job, Architect/Engineer, location, and specification section shall appear on all pages of shop drawings. Equipment marks (such as S-1, WH-1) shall be indicated for each item.
- E. Near completion of project, before conducting Owner orientation and training sessions and before authorization of final payment, submit to the Owner or their designated Representative for review: two (2) hard copy and one digital sets of installation and operational information, parts lists, and maintenance instructional manuals. These OMMs shall be organized, formatted and bound in accordance with Division 01 - General Requirements.

- F. At the completion of the project, prepare and submit to the Owner record drawings showing the location of piping and valves. Drawing shall give accurate dimensions of such equipment for future use by the Owner. This drawing shall be submitted as soon as work is completed and before authorization of final payment.

## 2.2 STANDARDS OF MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP

- A. Materials shall be new, complete with manufacturer's guarantee or warranty, and shall be as listed by Underwriters Laboratories (UL), Inc., American Water Works Association (AWWA), American Gas Association (AGA), etc., if a standard has been established by that agency for the type of material.
- B. Materials shall also comply with applicable standards of the National Electrical Manufacturer's Association, National Board of Fire Underwriters, National Fire Protection Association, National Safety Council, National Bureau of Standards, the National Electrical Code and the Williams-Steiger Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. Such standards are hereby made a part of these specifications.
- C. Work shall be performed by workmen skilled in the particular craft, shall be executed in a workmanlike manner, and shall present a neat mechanical appearance when completed. Align, level and adjust equipment for satisfactory operation, and install so that connecting and disconnecting of piping and accessories can be made readily and so that parts are easily accessible for inspection, operation and maintenance. Methods and techniques of installation shall be subject to the review of the Architect/Engineer.
- D. Materials shall be the standard product of a reputable manufacturer regularly engaged in the manufacture of the specific product. Materials of the same type of class shall be the products of one manufacturer. For example, faucets shall be from the same manufacturer.
- E. Materials shall be protected from damage, and stored indoors or protected from the weather at all times, unless other storage arrangements are approved by the Architect/Engineer.
- F. Bearing lubrication fittings shall be as recommended by the manufacturer and shall be extended, where necessary, to an accessible location.
- G. Material and equipment shall be installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

## 2.3 MATERIAL SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. Proposals as submitted shall be based on the products specifically named in the specification or on the drawings. Material or equipment by manufacturers other than those specified may be used only by permission of the Architect/Engineer. Such permission for substitution must be requested, in writing and in accordance with Division 01 - General Requirements.
- B. The Architect/Engineer reserves the sole right for the approval of proposed material or equipment, and the phrase, "or approved equivalent", used in these specifications, or on the drawings, shall be interpreted to mean an equivalent approved by the Architect/Engineer.
- C. Changes required by alternate equipment shall be made at no additional cost to the Owner; and costs incurred by other trades, public utilities or the Owner, as a result of the use of such equipment, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor.
- D. Furnish to the Architect/Engineer, when requested, samples of proposed material or equipment substitutions. These samples shall remain with the Architect/Engineer as long as needed.
- E. Identify the differences in alternate material or equipment as compared to that specified, and indicate the benefits to the project as a result of selecting the alternative.

- F. The Architect/Engineer reserves the right to refuse approval of equipment which does not meet the specification, in their opinion, or of equipment for which no local experience of satisfactory service is available. The Architect/Engineer further reserves the right to reject equipment for which maintenance service and the availability of replacement parts is questionable.

## 2.4 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Refer to individual Division 22 piping sections for special joining materials not listed below.
- B. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos-free, 1/8-inch (3.2-mm) maximum thickness unless thickness or specific material is indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
      - 1) AWWA C110, rubber, flat face, 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) thick, unless otherwise indicated; and full-face or ring type, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Plastic, Pipe-Flange Gasket, Bolts, and Nuts: Type and material recommended by piping system manufacturer, unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- F. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for general-duty brazing, unless otherwise indicated; and AWS A5.8, BAg1, silver alloy for refrigerant piping, unless otherwise indicated.
- G. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.
- H. Solvent Cements for Joining Plastic Piping:
1. ABS Piping: ASTM D 2235.
  2. CPVC Piping: ASTM F 493.
  3. PVC Piping: ASTM D 2564. Include primer according to ASTM F 656.
  4. PVC to ABS Piping Transition: ASTM D 3138.
  5. Fiberglass Pipe Adhesive: As furnished or recommended by pipe manufacturer.

## 2.5 TRANSITION FITTINGS

- A. AWWA Transition Couplings: Same size as, and with pressure rating at least equal to and with ends compatible with piping to be joined.
1. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - a. Cascade Waterworks Mfg. Co.
    - b. Dresser Industries, Inc.; DMD Div.
    - c. Ford Meter Box Company, Incorporated (The); Pipe Products Div.
    - d. JCM Industries.

- e. Smith-Blair, Inc.
- f. Viking Johnson.
- 2. Underground Piping NPS 1-1/2 (DN 40) and Smaller: Manufactured fitting or coupling.
- 3. Underground Piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and larger: AWWA C219, metal sleeve-type coupling.
- 4. Aboveground Pressure Piping: Pipe fitting.
- 5. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Fittings: CPVC one-piece fitting with manufacturer's Schedule 80 equivalent dimensions; one end with threaded brass insert, and one solvent-cement-joint end.
  - a. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - 1) Eslon Thermoplastics.
- 6. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Adaptors: One-piece fitting with manufacturer's SDR 11 equivalent dimensions; one end with threaded brass insert, and one solvent-cement-joint end.
  - a. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - 1) Thompson Plastics, Inc.
- 7. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Unions: MSS SP-107, CPVC four-part union. Include brass end, solvent-cement-joint end, rubber O-ring, and union nut.
  - a. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - 1) NIBCO INC.
    - 2) NIBCO, Inc.; Chemtrol Div.
- 8. Flexible Transition Couplings for Underground Nonpressure Drainage Piping: ASTM C 1173 with elastomeric sleeve, ends same size as piping to be joined, and corrosion-resistant metal band on each end.
  - a. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - 1) Cascade Waterworks Mfg. Co.
    - 2) Fernco, Inc.
    - 3) Mission Rubber Company.
    - 4) Plastic Oddities, Inc.

## 2.6 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. Description: Combination fitting of copper alloy and ferrous materials with threaded, solder-joint, plain, or weld-neck end connections that match piping system materials.
- B. Insulating Material: Suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- C. Dielectric Unions: Factory-fabricated, union assembly, for 250-psig (1725-kPa) minimum working pressure at 180 deg F (82 deg C).
  - 1. Available Manufacturers or pre-approved alternate:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Co.
    - b. Central Plastics Company.
    - c. Eclipse, Inc.

- d. Epco Sales, Inc.
- e. Hart Industries, International, Inc.
- f. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
- g. Zurn Industries, Inc.; Wilkins Div.

## 2.7 GROUT

- A. Description: ASTM C 1107, Grade B, nonshrink and nonmetallic, dry hydraulic-cement grout.
- B. Characteristics: Post-hardening, volume-adjusting, nonstaining, noncorrosive, nongaseous, and recommended for interior and exterior applications.
  - 1. Design Mix: 5000-psi (34.5-MPa), 28-day compressive strength.
  - 2. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. Examine the existing buildings and grounds or site and become familiar with the conditions as they exist, or that will in any manner affect the work under this contract. No allowance will be made subsequently, in this connection, on behalf of the Contractor for any error or negligence by the Contractor.
- B. Existing equipment, such as duct or pipe, in or on the existing building and grounds which is to be replaced, or which interferes in any way with the remodeling of the existing facilities and/or installation of new equipment, shall be removed from the premises or relocated by this Contractor, as directed by the Architect/Engineer. Do not remove from the premises any equipment that may have maintenance value to the Owner without permission of the Owner. Equipment, duct or pipe not to be reused shall be removed from the premises, unless otherwise noted herein or shown on the drawings.
- C. Where existing equipment is removed or changed, all piping no longer in service shall be removed and stubs plugged as directed by the Architect/Engineer. Building surfaces damaged and openings left by removal of equipment shall be repaired by the proper trades and paid for by this Contractor, unless otherwise noted on the drawings. The cutting and fitting shall be done by this Contractor. The cutting of floor, ceiling or wall surfaces shall be done by this Contractor with extreme care, in order to avoid any disrupting or damage of existing utility services which may be encountered. Coordinate with other trades and with the General Contractor or Construction Manager to minimize the damage to the building in order to reduce the amount of patching required.
- D. Where new openings are cut and concealed piping is encountered, such items shall be removed or relocated as required. Where systems to be removed stub through floors, walls or ceilings, openings shall be patched so that no evidence of the former installation remains.
- E. Existing active services (water, gas, sewer, electric), when encountered, shall be protected against damage. Do not prevent or disturb operation of active services that are to remain. If active services are encountered which require relocation, make request to authorities with jurisdiction for determination of procedures. Where existing services are to be abandoned, they shall be terminated in conformance with requirements of the utility or municipality having jurisdiction.

- F. The location, size and elevation of underground utilities shown on the drawings are in accordance with data supplied by the Owner and/or the various utility companies. The Contractor shall verify this data and shall report any discrepancies to the Architect/Engineer, in writing, before submitting his bid.

### 3.2 INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE

- A. Changes in service shall be made so as to provide a minimum of interference with the operation of services in the building. When changes require shutdown of building services, notify the proper building authorities no less than 48 hours in advance and obtain approval from these authorities before making changes. Such notices shall give duration and nature of shutdown. Temporary arrangements shall be approved by the Architect/Engineer and/or Owner.
- B. Any and all interruptions to building services shall be in accordance with Division 01 - General Requirements.

### 3.3 PIPING SYSTEMS - COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Indicated locations and arrangements were used to size pipe and calculate friction loss, expansion, pump sizing, and other design considerations. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install piping in concealed locations, unless otherwise indicated and except in equipment rooms and service areas.
- C. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.
- D. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal.
- E. Install piping at indicated slopes.
- F. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- G. Install piping to allow application of insulation.
- H. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.

### 3.4 OPENINGS, CUTTING, AND PATCHING

- A. The Prime Mechanical Contractor shall coordinate the placing of openings in the new structure, as required for the installation of the plumbing work.
- B. Furnish to the Prime Mechanical Contractor the accurate locations and sizes for required openings. This shall not relieve this Contractor of the responsibility of checking to assure that proper size openings are provided. When additional patching is required due to this Contractor's failure to inspect this work, this Contractor shall make arrangements for the patching required to properly close the opening, to include patch painting. This Contractor shall pay any additional cost incurred in this respect.

- C. When cutting and patching of the structure is made necessary due to this Contractor's failure to install piping, sleeves or equipment on schedule, or due to this Contractor's failure to furnish, on schedule, the information required for the leaving of openings, it shall be this Contractor's responsibility to make arrangements for this cutting and patching. This Contractor shall pay any additional cost incurred in this respect.
- D. Provide cutting and patching and patch painting in the existing structure, as required for the installation of the work. Furnish lintels and supports as required for openings. Cutting of structural support members will not be permitted without prior approval of the Architect/Engineer. Extent of cutting shall be minimized. Use core drills, power saws or other machines which will provide neat, minimum openings. Patching shall match adjacent materials and textures and shall be performed by craftsmen skilled in the respective craft required.
- E. Underfloor Plumbing Work:
  - 1. Contractor shall coordinate all related activity with Prime MechContractor at least 24 hours before beginning construction activity.
  - 2. Contractor, before saw-cutting floor, must first field verify all existing piping service, sizes, locations, depths, flow directions as well as coordinate with any other trades who may have utilities such as wires or conduits concealed beneath floor and which may be subject to damage and subsequent service interruptions. The cost to repair any damaged utilities shall be borne by The Contractor.
  - 3. Contractor shall be responsible for erecting and maintaining suitable temporary construction barriers and enclosures for containment of all construction dust and debris. Enclosures and barriers shall be maintained under negative pressure and fans and filters as needed to assist with containment.

### 3.5 EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL

- A. Contractor shall coordinate all related activity with General Contractor at least 24 hours before beginning construction activity.
- B. The Contractor shall be responsible for erecting and monitoring of all safety barricades and related protection around excavation and work areas.
- C. Trenches and excavations may be backfilled by the Contractor only after required testing has been satisfactorily performed and locations of connections and appurtenances which will be concealed have been recorded by the Contractor in the construction record documents.
- D. Bedding:
  - 1. Gravity Storm Sewer or Sanitary Sewer Pipe Bedding Material:
    - a. Rigid Pipe:
      - 1) Rigid gravity storm or sanitary sewer pipe shall be provided with compacted granular bedding having a minimum thickness of 4" (100 mm) or 1/8th of the outside pipe diameter, whichever is greater.
      - 2) Clean gravel or crushed rock shall meet the following gradation for rigid sewer pipe. (RCP, DIP, VCP):
    - b. Non-Rigid Pipe:
      - 1) Non-rigid gravity storm or sanitary sewer pipe shall be provided with compacted granular bedding having a minimum thickness of 4" (100 mm) or 1/4th of the outside pipe diameter, whichever is greater.

- 2) Gravel or crushed rock shall meet the following gradation for non-rigid sewer pipe: 100% passing a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " (19 mm) sieve, 50-80% passing a No. 4 (4.75 mm) sieve, and 25-60% passing a No. 8 (2.36 mm) sieve. (IADOT Gradation No. 10).
  2. Water mains or sanitary sewer force mains may be installed with undisturbed or compacted soil bedding provided the subgrade is consistent and the Contractor provides hand excavation for bells such that the pipe barrel bears evenly on the subgrade.
  3. Contractor shall be responsible for prompt cleanup and disposal of all unsuitable or excess bedding materials.
- E. Backfill:
1. Suitable excavated material: Free of cinders, ashes, refuse, rocks, pavement fragments, vegetative or organic matter. Unless noted otherwise on the plans, sand shall not be used.
  2. Granular backfill shall be crushed limestone or gravel with 100% passing a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " (19 mm) sieve, 50-80% passing a No. 4 (4.75 mm) sieve, and 25-60% passing a No. 8 (2.36 mm) sieve. (IADOT Gradation No. 10)
  3. Place backfill simultaneously on both sides of pipe to prevent displacement and place at an angle so that impact on installed pipe is minimized.
  4. Backfill in the pipe envelope (top of bedding to a point 12" (300 mm) above the pipe) shall be hand placed. Material shall be of even consistency and free of clumps and boulders, finely divided, and shall be compacted to 90% maximum Standard Proctor Density. Material within the pipe envelope shall be the same as specified for trench backfill, unless noted otherwise on the Plans
  5. Contractor shall be responsible for prompt cleanup and disposal of all unsuitable or excess backfill materials.

### 3.6 CONCRETE AND MASONRY WORK

- A. Concrete work included herein or shown on the drawings shall be in conformance with Division 3 - Concrete.
- B. Concrete work included herein or shown on the drawings shall be done only by experienced cement finishers. Brickwork, where included, shall be laid only by experienced brick masons. Brick shall be of uniform size, hard burned, and shall be laid in cement mortar, except for patch work at a location where cement and lime mortar has previously been used. Exposed, finish brickwork shall match existing brickwork as closely as practical and shall be to the satisfaction of the Architect/Engineer and Owner.
- C. Concrete bases and pads for mechanical equipment will be furnished by General Contractor. This Contractor shall coordinate size and location.
- D. Concrete bases and pads for mechanical equipment shall be furnished by this Contractor. Size bases to extend minimum of 4" beyond equipment base in any direction, and 4" above finished floor elevation. Construct of reinforced concrete, roughen floor slab beneath base for bond, and provide steel rod anchors between floor and base. Locate anchor bolts using equipment manufacturer's templates. Chamfer top and edge corners.
- E. Locate, furnish and install all support, hanger and equipment anchor bolts and related hardware.

F. Underfloor Plumbing Work:

1. Contractor shall coordinate all related activity with General Contractor at least 24 hours before beginning construction activity.
2. Contractor shall saw cut, remove and properly dispose of concrete and related debris as required to accommodate new underfloor piping and fixtures.
3. Patch floor to match adjacent floor textures and reinforce with #3 rebar, 18" O.C. (drill and grout 3" imbed).
4. Unless noted otherwise, concrete shall be commercial grade with a minimum 28-day compressive strength of 3,000 PSI. Do not allow air content of troweled finished floors to exceed 3%

3.7 ROOF OPENINGS

- A. Roof openings required by this Contractor that are not shown on the Structural or Architectural Drawings shall be cut and adequately reinforced by an experienced roofing contractor.
- B. Roof penetrations for piping shall be through curbed roof openings. Equipment supports shall be by curbed and flashed runners meeting current National Roofing Contractor Association (NRCA) standards and details. Pitch pockets, pitch pans, and wood blocking are not acceptable.
- C. All roof work shall be completed such that it does not void any existing roof warranty.

3.8 PAINTING

- A. The finish of any item that has been marred, scratched or damaged in any way by this Contractor shall be repainted at the expense of this Contractor, and to the satisfaction of the Architect/Engineer and the Owner.
- B. Painting and finishing of exposed mechanical systems including piping and duct shall be as shown on the drawings and per Division 9 - Finishes.

3.9 CLEANING

- A. Keep the premises clean of all dirt and debris, caused by the work in accordance with Division 1 - General Requirements.
- B. Keep the premises clean of all debris caused by the work at all times, and keep materials stored, in areas designated by the Owner, in such a manner as not to interfere with the progress of the work of other Contractors or with the operation of existing facilities.
- C. At the conclusion of the construction, the site shall be thoroughly cleaned of all rubble, debris and unused material and shall be left in good order. Closed off spaces shall be cleaned of waste such as material, cartons, and wood frame members used in the construction.

3.10 SUSPENSION FROM WOOD STRUCTURAL MEMBERS

- A. In general, concentrated or other loads shall not be suspended directly from the bottom of wood structural members, unless approved by the Architect/Engineer. Loads suspended from open web joists or trusses may be transferred to the bottom chord of the structural member at the panel points. Loads suspended from solid web joists shall be transferred to the joists only through the top flange or web. Suspension systems shall be reviewed by the Architect/Engineer.

### 3.11 WIRING FOR PLUMBING EQUIPMENT

- A. The Division 26 Contractor shall provide power including connection to all electrically powered equipment furnished by the Division 22 Contractor. Where electrical disconnect switches are not explicitly specified to be furnished as part of Division 22 equipment, the Electrical Contractor shall furnish suitable type(s) and properly rated electrical disconnect switches for all said mechanical equipment.
- B. Provide integral wiring, alarm wiring, control wiring, temperature control wiring and interlock wiring for equipment furnished, whether or not such wiring is furnished by the equipment vendor.
- C. Except as noted otherwise or where other sections call for motor starters to be furnished by manufacturers as part of their equipment, the Division 26 Electrical Contractor shall furnish motor starters as required for motors furnished by this Division 22 Contractor.
- D. Furnish shop drawings including but not limited to detailed schedules and wiring diagrams to other interested trades including Division 26 electrical contractor for all electrically powered equipment furnished. Schedules shall include: electrical loads and characteristics, max. overcurrent fuse protection / circuit breaker needs, disconnect requirements, motor starter requirements and motor horsepower(s). Include drawings as needed to depict locations of electrical and control panels, service clearances, disconnects as well as wiring connection points.
- E. The Division 22 Contractor shall be responsible to pay for all additional costs incurred due to equipment substitutions by Division 22 Contractor, which require either larger electrical service or service of a different electrical characteristic than scheduled on the Drawings.
- F. Prior to bid submission, this Division 22 Contractor shall review the Electrical Drawings and promptly bring to the attention of the Architect/Engineer, any omissions or errors in the electrical services required for equipment proposed to be furnished.

### 3.12 PROTECTION

- A. Special steps shall be taken as necessary for the protection of equipment and materials furnished under Division 22. Equipment and materials shall be protected by Contractor from any physical damage due to weather elements, dirt, dents, sheet rock installation, and painting until the project is completed. Damage, if incurred, shall be promptly repaired at no additional cost to Owner, as-needed to restore equipment and materials to original as-new condition.
- B. Protection of equipment during the finishing (sheet rock, plastering and painting) of the building interior shall be the responsibility of the contractor or contractors performing that work. This shall not relieve this Division 22 Contractor of the ultimate responsibility of checking and ensuring that adequate protection is provided and maintained at all times.
- C. Where the installation or connection of equipment requires Division 22 Contractor to work in areas previously finished by other Contractors, the Division 22 Contractor shall be responsible to ensure that such finished areas are adequately protected and are not marred, soiled or otherwise damaged during the course of their said work. If damage occurs this Division 22 Contractor shall be responsible to arrange for the other Contractors to repair and refinish any damaged areas and shall pay for all repair, rework and refinishing required.
- D. When heavy materials must be placed upon or transported over the roof deck, sheeting shall be placed to distribute the weight and support such materials. Any damage shall be immediately corrected at no cost to the Owner.

### 3.13 ASBESTOS IDENTIFICATION AND CONTROL

- A. In the event that suspected asbestos containing material (ACM) is encountered during the course of the work, cease operations in the immediate area and promptly notify both the Owner and Architect/Engineer. Suspected materials will then be sampled and analyzed by the Owner's Representative.
- B. Should ACM be confirmed, the Owner's Representative shall direct the abatement procedures. This work shall be awarded either by subcontract to the Contractor or under a separate contract.
- C. During abatement operations, cease operations in the immediate area of the abatement. Operations in other areas of the project may be performed, but care must be taken to control dust to avoid contamination of air monitoring samples. The Contractors shall coordinate activities with the asbestos abatement contractor as well as the Owner's Representative.
- D. Should no ACM be identified, operations in the restricted areas may be resumed. At the discretion of the Owner or Owner's representative, any schedule delays caused by identification, analysis or abatement may be added in the form of an extension of time to the contract via a Change Order.

### 3.14 NOISE AND VIBRATION

- A. Contractor shall install all equipment in a such a manner so as to control the transmission of noise and vibration from any installed equipment, components or systems, so the sound level in any occupied area does not exceed NC-35 levels. Contractor shall correct all objectionable noise levels in any occupied areas and at no additional cost to Owner, which are due to improperly installed or isolated equipment, components or systems.

### 3.15 TESTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS

- A. Systems shall be tested and placed in proper working order prior to demonstrating systems to the Owner.
- B. Prior to acceptance of the plumbing installation, demonstrate to the Owner or his designated representatives essential features and functions of all systems installed, and instruct the Owner in the proper operation and maintenance of such systems.
- C. Furnish the necessary trained personnel to perform the demonstrations and instructions, and arrange to have the manufacturer's representatives for the system present to assist with the demonstrations. The Owner and Contractor shall each sign a certification stating that the training has been performed and the Owner accepts same.

### 3.16 UTILITY REBATE APPLICATIONS

- A. This contractor shall be responsible for gathering information necessary for completing local utility rebate applications, and submitting to the proper utility companies for gas and electric rebates. Potential rebates include high efficiency gas boilers, thermostats, timeclocks, motors, and other items furnished by this plumbing contractor.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 22 0523  
GENERAL DUTY VALVES FOR PLUMBING PIPING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 SECTION INCLUDES:**

- A. Provide equipment, materials, labor, and supervision necessary to install valves as indicated on drawings and in schedules, and herein specified.
- B. As nearly as possible, all valves shall be of a single manufacturer.
- C. Valves shall conform to ANSI standard dimensions.
- D. ASME Compliance:
  - 1. ASME B16.10 for ferrous valve dimensions.
  - 2. ASME B31.9 for building services piping valves.
- E. NSF Compliance: NSF/ANSI 61 and/or NSF/ANSI 372 for valve materials for potable-water service. Valves for domestic water must be 3rd Party Certified.

**1.2 SUBMITTALS**

- A. Submit detailed Shop Drawings and Product Data clearly indicating manufacturer, model, size, dimensions and pressure rating.

**1.3 PACKAGING**

- A. Valves shall be furnished or provided with protective packaging to prevent damage during shipping or on the job site.
- B. Prepare valves for shipping as follows:
  - 1. Protect internal parts against rust and corrosion.
  - 2. Protect threads, flange faces, grooves, and weld ends.
  - 3. Set angle, and globe valves closed to prevent rattling.
  - 4. Set ball and plug valves open to minimize exposure of functional surfaces.
  - 5. Set butterfly valves closed or slightly open.
  - 6. Block check valves in either closed or open position.
- C. Use the following precautions during storage:
  - 1. Maintain valve end protection.
  - 2. Store valves indoors and maintain at higher than ambient dew point temperature. If outdoor storage is necessary, store valves off the ground in watertight enclosures.
- D. Use sling to handle large valves; rig sling to avoid damage to exposed parts. Do not use handwheels or stems as lifting or rigging points.

**1.4 DEFINITIONS**

CWP: Cold working pressure.

EPDM: Ethylene propylene copolymer rubber.

NBR: Acrylonitrile-butadiene, Buna-N, or nitrile rubber.

PTFE: Polytetrafluoroethylene plastic.

SSP - Saturated Steam Pressure

WP - Working Pressure

SWP - Steam Working Pressure

W.O.G. - Water, Oil, Gas Pressure

BR - Bronze

I.B.B.M. - Iron Body, Bronze-Mounted

O.S.&Y. - Outside Screw and Yoke

N.R.S. - Non-Rising Stem

R.S. - Rising Stem

M.S.S. - Manufacturer's Standardization Society of the Valve and Fitting Industry, Inc.

Lead Free: Refers to the wetted surface of pipe, fittings and fixtures in potable water systems that have a weighted average lead content =0.25% per Safe Drinking Water Act as amended January 4, 2011, Section 1417. .

## **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 GENERAL**

- A. Materials: Discs, gaskets, packings, seats, diaphragms and lubricants shall conform to recommendations of the valve manufacturer for the intended use.
- B. Body materials, unless otherwise stated:
  - 1. Bronze: 125-150 lbs., ASTM B62
  - 2. High Grade Steam-Metal or Valve-Bronze Alloy: 200-300 lbs., ASTM B61
  - 3. Cast Iron: ASTM A126, Class B
  - 4. Ductile Iron: ASTM A395, A536
  - 5. Cast Steel: ASTM A216
- C. Lead Free silicon bronze (ASTM listed) valves shall be made with corrosion-resistant materials. Manufacturer shall provide third party certification tested in accordance with EN ISO 6509 regarding dezincification corrosion resistance and stress corrosion cracking.
- D. Bronze Valves: NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller with threaded or solder ends, unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Ferrous Valves: NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger with flanged ends, unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Valve Pressure and Temperature Ratings: Not less than indicated and as required for system pressures and temperatures.
- G. Valve Sizes: Same as upstream piping unless otherwise indicated.
- H. Valve-End Connections:
  - 1. Flanged: With flanges according to ASME B16.1 for iron valves.

2. Grooved: With grooves according to AWAA C606.
  3. Solder Joint: With sockets according to ASME B16.18.
  4. Threaded: With threads according to ASME B1.20.1.
  5. Copper Press: With sockets according to ASME B16.22/ASTM B75.
  6. Crimped: With metal inserts and crimp rings according to ASTM F-1807.
- I. Valves in Insulated Piping: With 2-inch stem extensions and the following features:
1. Ball Valves: With extended operating handle of non-thermal-conductive material that meets UL 2043 approved for inside air plenum, and protective sleeve that allows operation of valve without breaking the vapor seal or disturbing insulation and memory stops that are fully adjustable after insulation is applied.
  2. Butterfly Valves: Shall have 2" extended neck for insulation clearance.
  3. Gate Valves: With rising stem.

2.2 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products manufactured by one of the following, as listed for each valve type, or Engineer pre-approved equivalent.

Valve Type	Approved Manufacturer
Ball Valves	Jamesbury, Apollo, Jenkins, Milwaukee, Watts, Worchester, Powell, or NIBCO

2.3 BALL VALVES

A. BRONZE BALL VALVES

1. Two piece, full port, silicon bronze ball valves with the capability of accepting extended operating handles.
  - a. Description:
    - 1) Standard: MSS SP-110 and ASME A1124.14.
    - 2) CWP Rating: 600 psig.
    - 3) Body Design: Two piece bronze with threaded body packnut design (no threaded stem designs allowed) with adjustable stem packing.
    - 4) Body Material: Silicon bronze (ASTM Listed), corrosion resistant.
    - 5) Ends: Threaded, soldered or pressed.
    - 6) Seats: reinforced PTFE or TFE.
    - 7) Stem: Stainless steel (silicon bronze available).
    - 8) Ball: Stainless steel (silicon bronze available).
    - 9) Port: Full.

2.4 BUTTERFLY VALVES

A. Lined

1. Disc - Aluminum bronze ASTM B148 Class 9B or ASTM B584 Alloy 876 for chilled, heating and condenser water, air, and fuels
2. Seat:

- a. Buna N hardback type ASTM D735-SB620AABE1E3G for chilled, hot and condenser water, air, fuels.
  - b. Hypalon ASTM D2000 for chemically treated water and water - 10 F to +180 F.
  - c. EPT ASTM D2000 for hot water, low-pressure steam +190 F to +230 F.
  3. Stem - Stainless steel dry journal type 416, ASTM A582.
  4. Bodies – Semi-steel; ASTM A126 Class B; cast iron, ASTM 448; ductile iron. ASTM A536; or cast steel, ASTM A216. On insulated piping, butterfly valves shall have extended neck suitable for the associated insulation thickness.
  5. Actuators - Lever handle with infinite position lever with positive locking feature on valve sizes 2 in. through 5 in. Geared hand wheel on valve sizes 6 in. and larger. Furnish chain operator for valve 6 inches and larger, and located 8 feet or more above the finished floor in mechanical equipment rooms.
  6. General Specifications
    - a. Butterfly valves may be of flanged, wafer, or lug type (lugs drilled and tapped). Grooved valve couplings may be used where grooved piping is applied
    - b. Elastomer seats shall be bonded to a rigid backup ring, be field replaceable, and of the types listed above.
    - c. The disc shall be aluminum bronze of the floating type with no external disc to stem fasteners. Drive is accomplished by a square stem engaging in a broached disc.
    - d. Stems shall be stainless steel of the one-piece type, completely sealed from line flow.
    - e. Working Pressures: 28 in. vacuum to 250 lb. working pressures, 300 lb. test, with bubble-tight end of line shutoff.
    - f. Dead end service at full pressure without the need of a downstream flange.
- B. High Performance
1. Disc - 316 S.S. eccentric disc.
  2. Seat - One-piece flexible TFE polymer seat.
  3. Stem - 17-4 pH stainless steel with TFE shaft seal wrapped in stainless steel; Chevron type TFE packing.
  4. Bodies - ANSI class 150 carbon steel; nickel aluminum bronze; 316 stainless steel; Monel Alloy 20.
  5. Actuators - Lever handle with infinite position lever with positive locking feature on valve sizes 2 in. through 5 in. Geared handwheel on valve sizes 6 in. and larger. Geared handwheel on valve sizes 6 in. and larger. Furnish chain operator and chain for valves 6 inches and larger, and located 8 feet or more above the finished floor in mechanical equipment rooms.
  6. General Specifications
    - a. Butterfly valves may be of flanged, wafer, or lug type (lugs drilled and tapped). Grooved valve couplings may be used where grooved piping is applied.

- b. Elastomer seats shall be bonded to a rigid backup ring, be field replaceable, and of the types listed above.
- c. The spherical segmented wafer disc shall be aluminum bronze of the floating type with no external disc to stem fasteners. Drive is accomplished by a square stem engaging in a broached disc.
- d. Stems shall be of the two-piece type, completely sealed from line flow.
- e. Working Pressures: 28 in. vacuum to 150 lb. working pressures, 300 lb. test, with bubble-tight shutoff.

### 2.5 DRAIN VALVES (HOSE BIBBS)

- A. Soldered or Threaded Ends: Bronze body, screwed bonnet, rising stem, composition disc, 3/4 in. threaded hose outlet connection; 125 psi maximum pressure rating.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 VALVE LOCATIONS – GENERAL

- A. Unless otherwise noted, shutoff valves shall be provided at all equipment connections (supply and return where applicable) for the following piping: pump suction and discharge, water, air, fuel and gas and drain lines (except on gravity drains from pans). Equipment connections include such items as tanks, pumps, heat exchangers, and similar items.
- B. Install isolation valves at each branch off of horizontal mains and vertical risers.

### 3.2 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine valve interior for cleanliness, freedom from foreign matter, and corrosion. Remove special packing materials, such as blocks, used to prevent this movement during shipping and handling.
- B. Operate valves in positions from fully open to fully closed. Examine guides and seats made accessible by such operations.
- C. Examine threads on valve and mating pipe for form and cleanliness.
- D. Examine mating flange faces for conditions that might cause leakage. Check bolting for proper size, length, and material. Verify that gasket is of proper size, that its material composition is suitable for service, and that it is free from defects and damage.
- E. Do not attempt to repair defective valves; replace with new valves.

### 3.3 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. Follow the manufacturer's recommended installation instructions concerning soldering, silver brazing, welding, threading, and installation of flanged valves in order to prevent damage to the valve and assure its maximum efficiency. Additional specific installation requirements are as follows:
  - 1. Thread pipe for threaded valves to standard length only, using new block dies.
  - 2. Put pipe compound on the pipe end, not into the valve threads. Securely screw pipe and valve together.

3. Blow out or otherwise thoroughly clean pipe sections before they are installed.
  4. Close valve before installation.
  5. Secure and adjust valves for no leaks and for easy operation.
  6. Install valves with stems horizontal or vertical above the pipe and square with building construction. Install valves in position to allow full stem movement.
  7. Install valves so piping does not place a stress or strain on the valve body. Locate valves for easy access and provide separate support where necessary.
  8. Install extended-stem valves where insulation is indicated. Stems shall be extended such that the handle moves freely without contact with the insulation.
  9. Install drain valves at low points of piping, at each mechanical equipment item, and elsewhere, where indicated.
  10. Locate valves, cock, and hose bibbs to allow easy accessibility for operation, maintenance and repair.
  11. Lugged butterfly valves with rubber-lined seats shall be installed with the disc(s) partially open. Bolts shall be torqued to the manufacturer's recommendations.
- B. Install valves with unions or flanges at each piece of equipment arranged to allow service, maintenance, and equipment removal without system shutdown.
- C. When soldering use paste fluxes that are approved by the manufacturer for use with Lead Free Alloys.

### 3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust or replace valve packing after piping systems have been tested and put into service but before final adjusting and balancing. Replace valves if persistent leaking occurs.

### 3.5 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. Drawings indicate valve types to be used. If valve applications are not indicated, use the following:
1. Shutoff Service: Ball or Gate valves.
    - a. Piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller: Furnish bronze ball or gate valves.
  2. Throttling - Balancing Service: Ball valves.
    - a. Piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller: Furnish bronze ball or globe valves.
  3. Hot-Water Piping, Balancing Duty: Memory-stop balancing valves.
  4. Drain Duty: Hose-end drain valves.
  5. Cast-iron, grooved-end valves may be used with grooved-end piping.
- B. Install shutoff valve close to water main on each branch and riser serving plumbing fixtures or equipment, on each water supply to equipment, and on each water supply to plumbing fixtures that do not have supply stops. Use ball or gate valves for piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller. Use butterfly or gate valves for piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger.
- C. Install drain valves for equipment at base of each water riser, at low points in horizontal piping, and where required to drain water piping.
1. Install hose-end drain valves at low points in water mains, risers, and branches.

- 2. Install stop-and-waste drain valves where indicated.
- D. Install balancing valve in each hot-water circulation return branch and discharge side of each pump and circulator. Set balancing valves partly open to restrict but not stop flow. Use ball valves for piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller and butterfly valves for piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger. Balancing valves are specified in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."
- E. Install calibrated balancing valves in each hot-water circulation return branch and discharge side of each pump and circulator. Set calibrated balancing valves partly open to restrict but not stop flow. Calibrated balancing valves are specified in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."
- F. If valves with specified CWP ratings are not available, the same types of valves with CWP ratings may be substituted.
- G. Select valves, except wafer types, with the following end connections:
  - 1. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2 (DN 50) and Smaller: Sweat solder or Press-to-fit ends.
  - 2. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4 (DN 65 to DN 100): Grooved Mechanical Coupling or Flanged ends.
  - 3. For PEX Tubing, NPS 2 (DN 50) and Smaller: Crimp-end connections.

3.6 VALVE SCHEDULE

Valve Type	Service
Ball - All Sizes	Domestic cold water, hot, and recirculating systems; for operation up to 200 psi at 500° F.
Drain	Domestic water systems.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 22 0529  
HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR PLUMBING PIPING AND EQUIPMENT**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. Provide equipment, materials, labor and supervision necessary to install pipe hangers and supports.
- B. Pipe support systems shall secure pipes in place, prevent pipe vibration, provide vertical adjustment for maintaining required grades, and provide for expansion and contraction.
- C. Where supports are attached to concrete or other structural members, care shall be taken to prevent damage or weakening of the structural members.
- D. Where concrete inserts are to be used, it shall be this Contractor's responsibility to accurately locate and attach inserts to concrete forms.

**1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS**

- A. American National Standards Institute, ANSI:
  - 1. ANSI B31.1 Power Piping
  - 2. ANSI B31.9 Building Services Piping
- B. Manufacturers Standardization Society of the Valve and Fittings Industry, MSS, 1815 North Fort Myer Drive, Arlington, VA 22209.
  - 1. MSS SP-58: Pipe Hangers and Supports - Materials, Design and Manufacturer.
  - 2. MSS SP-69: Pipe Hangers and Supports - Selection and Application.
- C. Anvil International, 2 Holland Way, Exeter, NH 03833, [www.anvilintl.com](http://www.anvilintl.com), (603) 418-2800.
  - 1. Pipe Hangers and Supports Catalog (Jan. 2015)

**1.3 DEFINITIONS**

- A. Pipe Hanger: A device normally suspended from structure and is used to carry the piping weight in tension.
- B. Pipe Support: A device by which piping is normally carried from beneath and is used to carry the piping weight in compression.

**1.4 SUBMITTALS**

- A. Submit manufacturer's product data on all hangers and support devices. Product data to include, but not be limited to materials, finishes, approvals, load ratings, and dimensional information.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hangers and support devices shall be Anvil International Inc., Tolco, Fee and Mason, Michigan, B-Line or Engineer pre-approved equivalent. Figure numbers within are based on Anvil International, Inc..

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 INSTALLATION - HORIZONTAL PIPE SUPPORTS

- A. Hanger rods for steel, wrought iron and brass pipe shall be installed in accordance with MSS SP-69 Tables 3 and 4 and the following schedule:

Pipe Size	Rod Diameter	Maximum Spacing
Up to 1 1/4"	3/8"	7'-0"
1 1/2" and 2"	3/8"	9'-0"
2"	3/8"	10'-0"
2 1/2", 3", and 3 1/2"	1/2"	10'-0"
4" and 5"	5/8"	12'-0"
6"	3/4"	12'-0"
8"	7/8"	14'-0"
10" and 12"	7/8"	16'-0"
14" and 16"	1"	16'-0"
18"	1 1/8"	18'-0"
20" and 24"	1 1/4"	20'-0"

- B. Hanger rods for copper pipe and tube shall be installed in accordance with MSS-SP-69 Tables 3 and 4 and the following schedule:

Pipe Size	Rod Diameter	Maximum Spacing
1/2" and 3/4"	3/8"	5'-0"
1"	3/8"	6'-0"
1 1/4"	3/8"	7'-0"
1 1/2"	3/8"	8'-0"
2"	3/8"	8'-0"
2 1/2"	1/2"	9'-0"
3", 3 1/2", and 4"	1/2"	10'-0"
5"	1/2"	13'-0"
6"	5/8"	14'-0"
8"	3/4"	16'-0"

- C. Hanger spacing for PEX piping with galvanized-steel channel support shall be installed in accordance with Manufacturer's recommendations and the following schedule:

Pipe Size	Maximum Spacing
1/2" and 3/4"	6'-0"
1" and larger	8'-0"

- D. Hanger spacing for PVC piping shall be installed in accordance with Manufacturer's recommendations and the following schedule:

Pipe Size	Maximum Spacing
1/2"	4'-6"
3/4"	5'-0"
1" and 1-1/4"	5'-6"
1-1/2" and 2"	6'-0"
3"	7'-0"
4"	7'-6"
6"	8'-6"
8"	9'-0"

- E. Support horizontal cast iron soil pipe with two hangers for each pipe length. Locate hangers close to couplings.
- F. In addition to the above specified spacings, install additional hangers at change in pipe direction and at concentrated loads, large valves and strainers.
- G. Where more than one pipe is to be run parallel together, they may be supported on trapeze type hangers. Trapeze bar angles and hanger rods shall be of sufficient size to support the particular group of pipes. Trapeze hanger spacing shall be based on the smallest pipe on the rack. When hanging from light gauge metal trusses, coordinate pipe hanger spacing and hanger rod connection points with the truss manufacturer.
- H. For suspending hanger rods from brackets attached to walls, use welded steel brackets: Fig. 194 for loads up to 750 lbs; Fig. 195 for loads up to 1500 lbs; Fig. 199 for loads up to 3000 lbs.
- I. Where pipes are to be racked along walls, use " Unistrut" pipe racks or 12 gauge steel strut channel, 1-5/8" x 1-5/8" minimum.
1. Mount pipes to strut channel with two-piece pipe straps to match outside diameter of pipe including insulation.
- J. Attach all pipe hangers from support rods using double locknuts tightened to prevent loosening.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION - VERTICAL PIPE SUPPORTS

- A. Support vertical steel, wrought iron, copper and brass pipe at every other floor line.
- B. Support vertical cast iron soil pipe at every floor line.
- C. In addition to the above, support vertical pipes at base of riser with base fitting set on concrete or brick pier, or by hanger located on horizontal connection close to riser.
- D. Where pipe sleeves extend above floor, place pipe clamps at ceiling below and support clamp extensions from inserts or other approved attachment.

### 3.3 PIPE ATTACHMENTS

- A. For horizontal steel and wrought iron pipe, use carbon steel adjustable clevis hanger, Fig. 260. For floor support or support directly above steel beams, use adjustable pipe roll stand, Fig. 177.
- B. For horizontal copper pipe and tube, use copper-plated, carbon steel adjustable swivel ring, Fig. CT-69.
- C. When thermal expansion for horizontal pipe is in excess of ½" axially, use adjustable steel yoke pipe roll, Fig. 181, or adjustable pipe roll stand, Fig. 177.
- D. For horizontal cast iron soil pipe, use carbon steel adjustable clevis hanger, Fig. 260.
- E. For vertical steel, wrought iron and cast iron pipe, use extension pipe or riser clamps, Fig. 261.
- F. For vertical copper pipe and tube, use copper-plated, copper plated copper tubing riser pipe clamp, Fig. CT-121.

### 3.4 INTERMEDIATE ATTACHMENTS

- A. Hanger rods: Carbon steel single or double end threaded, Figs. 140, 253 as required. Continuous threaded rod, Fig. 146 may be used wherever possible.
- B. Chain wire or perforated strap hangers will not be permitted. One pipe shall not be suspended from another pipe.

### 3.5 STRUCTURAL ATTACHMENTS

- A. For attaching steel or copper plated hanger rods to reinforced concrete, use galvanized malleable iron universal concrete inserts; Fig. 282 for loads up to 1140 lbs.
- B. For attaching steel hanger rods to structural steel beams, use malleable iron C-clamps; Fig. 92, Fig. 93 or Fig. 94 with retaining clip Fig. 89 or Fig. 89X for loads up to 500 lbs; Fig. 218 with extension piece for loads up to 1,365 lbs. For copper plated hanger rods, use copper plated malleable iron C-clamps; Fig. CT-138R for loads up to 180 lbs.
- C. For attaching steel hanger rods to wood structural members, use malleable iron ceiling flange; Fig. 153 for loads up to 1,270 lbs. For copper plated hanger rods, use copper plated malleable iron ceiling flange: Fig. CT-128R for loads up to 180 lbs.
- D. Vertical expansion shields or toggles shall not be used for suspending hanger rods, except with permission in cases where inserts have been omitted or cannot be used. If permitted, use expansion shields; for rod sizes up to ½", 320 lbs. max. load. For hanger rods larger than ½" use attachment plate, Fig. 52, with wedge anchors.
- E. Powder actuated anchoring methods shall not be used.

### 3.6 PIPE COVERING PROTECTION

- A. Hangers and supports for insulated piping shall not injure or pierce insulation. Provide insulation protection shields in conjunction with hanger or roll device. Use Fig. 160 and 165, Protection Saddles.

### 3.7 SUPPLEMENTAL STEEL

- A. Provide supplemental steel as required to hang or support plumbing equipment or piping.

#### **END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 22 0553**  
**IDENTIFICATION FOR PLUMBING PIPING AND EQUIPMENT**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide materials, equipment labor and supervision necessary to install piping identification products.
- B. Comply with ANSI A13.1 for lettering size, length or color field, colors, and installed viewing angles of identification devices.

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASME A13.1 - Scheme for the Identification of Piping Systems; The American Society of Mechanical Engineers; 2007.
- B. ASTM D709 - Standard Specification for Laminated Thermosetting Materials; 2013.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit manufacturer's product data.
- B. Submit sample of each type of identification product and clearly identify the contents in a schedule.
- C. List: Submit list of wording, symbols, letter size, and color coding for mechanical identification.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Brady Corp., Industrial Safety Supply, Emedco, Seton or Brimar.
- B. Engineer pre-approved alternative

2.2 PIPE MARKERS

- A. Provide manufacturer's standard preprinted, semi-rigid snap-on or self-sticking, color-coded pipe markers, complying with ANSI A13.1.
- B. Provide full-band pipe markers, extending 360° around pipe at each location or self-sticking pipe markers, fastened in the following method:
  - 1. Snap-on application of pre-tensioned semi-rigid plastic pipe marker.
  - 2. Secure to piping and install banding tape on both ends of each pipe label.
- C. Lettering shall be manufacturer's pre-printed nomenclature which best describes piping system in each instance, as selected by Architect/Engineer in cases of variance.
- D. Print each pipe marker with arrows indicating direction of flow, integrally with piping system service lettering (to accommodate both directions), or as separate unit of plastic or on banding tape.

## 2.3 PIPING IDENTIFICATION

- A. Piping systems that shall be identified by their controls (including directional arrows) on this project shall include, but are not necessarily limited to the following:
  - 1. Domestic cold water, hot water, and hot water recirculation.
  - 2. Sanitary and sanitary vent.
- B. Provide name plates for all equipment scheduled on the drawings. Coordinate nameplate tag with Owner's sequencing system. If the Owner has no preference, the nameplates shall correspond with the equipment schedule. Equipment shall include but is not limited to the following:
  - 1. Expansion tanks.
  - 2. Water heaters.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION OF MECHANICAL IDENTIFICATION

- A. Where identification is to be applied to surfaces that require insulation, painting or other covering or finish, including valve tags in finished mechanical spaces, install identification after completion of covering and painting. Install identification prior to installation of acoustical ceilings and similar removable concealment.
- B. Install pipe markers on each system, and include arrows to show normal direction of flow.
- C. Locate pipe markers as follows: wherever piping is exposed to view in occupied spaces, machine rooms, accessible maintenance spaces (shafts, tunnels, plenums) above lay-in type ceilings and exterior non-concealed locations.
  - 1. Near each valve and control device.
  - 2. Near each branch, excluding short take-offs for fixtures, mark each pipe at branch where there could be question of flow pattern.
  - 3. Near locations where pipes pass through walls or floors/ceilings, (both sides) or center non-accessible enclosures.
  - 4. At access doors, manholes, and similar access points that permit view of concealed piping.
  - 5. Near major equipment items and other points of origination and termination.
  - 6. At each pipe passage to underground.
  - 7. Spaced intermediately at maximum spacing of 50 feet along each piping run, except reduce spacing to 25 feet in congested areas of piping and equipment.
  - 8. On piping above removable acoustical ceilings, maximum spacing of 10 feet along each piping run.
  - 9. Where self-sticking labels are used, the pipe or its covering surface shall be properly prepared. This consists of removal of loose dirt, oil and grease, loose paint or peeling insulation covering. This can be done with a brush and cloth; washing is not required. Use solvent for removal of oil or grease.
  - 10. Banding tape must be used on both ends of all self-sticking labels. The tape shall encircle the pipe completely and overlap itself so the banding tape can adhere to itself.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 22 0700  
PLUMBING INSULATION**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

1.2 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. Insulating materials, jackets and mastics shall meet flame spread, fuel contribution and smoke developed ratings in accordance with NFPA-90A. Flame spread rating in accordance with NFPA 255, ASTM E-84, or UL 723 of not more than 25; smoke developed rating of not more than 50, unless otherwise noted in this section.
- B. Insulation that has been treated with a flame-retardant additive to meet the flame spread and smoke developed ratings shown above is not permitted.
- C. Insulation materials shall be non-corrosive to the materials they are applied to, including stress corrosion cracking of stainless steel and shall not breed or promote mold, fungus or bacteria.
- D. Insulation shall meet or exceed all requirements of IECC - International Energy Conservation Code .

1.3 QUALIFICATION

- A. Insulating materials by Owens-Corning, Armacell, Pittsburgh-Corning, Knauf, Johns Manville, or Engineer pre-approved equivalent.
- B. Mastics and adhesives as recommended by insulation manufacturer.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's technical product data and installation instructions for each type of mechanical insulation and jacket. Submit schedule showing manufacturer's product number, flame spread and smoke development rating, k-value, density, temperature limitations, sound absorption coefficients, thickness, and furnished accessories for each mechanical system requiring insulation.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 INSULATION

- A. Description:
  - 1. Type A: Preformed, sectional, heavy density fiberglass insulation, suitable for operating temperatures form - 20 F to +850 F. Equipped with factory-applied, all-service vapor barrier jacket constructed of white Kraft paper bonded to aluminum foil reinforced with fiberglass yarn, with pressure-sensitive, self-sealing longitudinal laps and butt strips. Thermal conductivity of 0.23 BTU-in/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>- F @ 75 F mean temperature. Water vapor permeance of 0.02 perms. Johns Manville "Micro-Lok HP or Engineer approved equivalent.

2. Type C: Flexible, elastomeric thermal insulation with an expanded, closed-cell structure. Pre-slit tubular form with a pressure-sensitive adhesive strip for closure and vapor sealing of the longitudinal joint. Butt joints, sealed with 3M-471 tape. White color. Suitable for operating temperature of 40 F to 200 F. Thermal conductivity of 0.28 BTU-in/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>- F mean temperature. Water vapor permeance of 0.20 perms. Insulation shall be Armacell Self-Seal Armaflex 2000 or Engineer approved equivalent.

2.2 PIPE INSULATION SCHEDULE (IECC - INTERNATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE)

SERVICE	TYPE	INSULATION THICKNESS	PIPE SIZE
Domestic cold water	A	1/2"	Less than 1 1/2"
		1"	1 1/2" and larger
Domesdtic hot water (up to 140°F) including hot water circ	A	1"	Less than 1 1/2"
		1 1/2"	1 1/2" and larger
PEX tubing for Hot, Hot Circ and Cold Water	C	1/2"	All sizes

2.3 INSULATION JACKETS

- A. 20-mil high impact PVC secured with spray contact adhesive. All PVC jacketing shall meet the 25/50 SDR. Manville "Zeston 2000" or pre-approved alternate.
- B. 6-oz/sq yd UL listed cotton canvas fabric secured with Childers CP50 lagging adhesive.
- C. Fitting and valve jackets shall be premolded PVC with joints and seams sealed with a spray contact adhesive or vapor barrier mastic. Premolded jackets shall be Manville "Zeston 2000" or pre-approved equivalent.
- D. At wall penetrations and on exterior pipe, provide an additional jacket of 0.020 inch thick smooth finish aluminum secured with 0.015 inch thick, 3/8-inch wide aluminum bands. Metal jacket shall have factory applied moisture barrier. Fitting and valve covers to be preformed of same material as adjacent metal jacket.
- E. Where PVC or metal jackets are used, delete the factory applied ASJ on pipe and equipment operating above 75° F.
- F. PVC jackets shall be used in the following areas and systems:
  1. Whenever piping is routed exposed through occupied spaces.
  2. Exposed piping in kitchens and dishwasher rooms.
  3. Premolded PVC at all fittings and valve jackets.

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

3.1 GENERAL

- A. Use only experienced applicators regularly engaged in the trade. Rough work will be rejected. Application details shall be in accordance with the insulation materials supplier's recommendations, except where a higher standard is specified.
- B. Install materials after systems have been tested and approved. Material such as rust, scale, dirt and moisture shall be removed form surfaces to be insulated.

- C. Insulation shall be kept clean and dry at all times.
- D. Where pipes and ducts pass through fire rated walls, floors and partitions, a fire seal shall be provided.
- E. When flexible cellular insulation is used, it shall be installed with seams and joints sealed with contact adhesive.
  - 1. Wherever possible, the insulation shall be placed over the pipe before it is installed. Seal the butt joints with Armacell Armaflex 520, or Armaflex 520 BLV Low-VOC Contact Adhesive or equal.
  - 2. Where the insulation cannot be slipped on, cut the insulation longitudinally and apply it to the piping. Seal longitudinal seam and butt joints with Armacell Armaflex 520 adhesive, or Armaflex 520 BLV Low-VOC Contact Adhesive or equal. In all cases, the insulation, equal to Armacell AP, protected with half-round PVC sleeves the length of three times the nominal pipe size, minimum length to be 8 inches.

### 3.2 PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulate fittings, valves, unions, flanges, strainers, flexible connections and expansion joints with premolded or mitered segments of same insulating material as for adjacent pipe covering.
- B. Pipe insulation shall continue through sleeves and hangers with vapor barrier and/or jacket.
- C. Insert to be between support shield and piping but under the finish jacket. Provide an insert at hangars not less than 6 inches long, of same thickness and contour as adjoining insulation, to prevent insulation from sagging at support points. Inserts shall be heavy density insulating material suitable for the planned temperature range. Factory fabricated inserts may be used.
- D. Neatly finish insulation at supports, protrusions and interruptions.
  - 1. On hot systems where fittings are to be left exposed, insulation ends shall be beveled away from bolts for easy access.
  - 2. On cold systems, valve stems shall be sealed with caulking which allows free movement of the stem, but provides a seal against moisture incursion.
- E. Wherever piping penetrates a floor, furnish a PVC (white) jacket to protect insulation.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 22 1116  
DOMESTIC WATER PIPING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide equipment, materials, tools, labor, and supervision necessary to furnish, fabricate, and install complete piping system.

1.2 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. Pipe materials specified in this Section shall apply to technical sections of Division 22 of the Project Manual where applicable. Special requirements as may be called for in the technical sections, or shown on the Drawings, shall take precedence over General Requirements herein. Piping located in plenums shall be plenum rated for fire and smoke.
- B. Lead Free: Refers to the wetted surface of pipe, fittings and fixtures in potable water systems that have a weighted average lead content =0.25% per Safe Drinking Water Act as amended January 4, 2011, Section 1417 .
- C. NSF Compliance: NSF/ANSI 61 and/or NSF/ANSI 372 for valve materials for potable-water service. Valves for domestic water must be 3rd Party Certified.

1.3 PRODUCT HANDLING

- A. Provide factory-applied plastic end-caps on each length of pipe and tube. Maintain end-caps through shipping, storage, and handling as required to prevent pipe-end damage and eliminate dirt and moisture from inside of pipe and tube.
- B. Where possible, store pipe and tube inside and protected from weather. Where necessary to store outside, elevate well above grade and enclose with durable, waterproof wrapping.
- C. Protect flanges and fittings from moisture and dirt by inside storage and enclosure, or by packaging with durable, waterproof wrapping.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. For each system served: Submit piping schedule listing, by range of sizes, piping material used.
- B. Submit manufacturer's specifications and/or catalog data including material and pressure test certifications for pipe, fittings, valves, and other related items.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 MATERIAL

- A. Piping:

**MATERIAL      SERVICE**

Copper water tube, hard temper ASTM B88:

Type K    Domestic water piping lines under building, concealed in solid concrete or masonry walls or construction; underground water service up to 3" dia.

Type L Aboveground domestic water piping lines.

Brass pipe, Schedule 40, chromium Exposed piping connections for plumbing plated, ASTM B43 fixtures, showers and chrome plated tanks.

PEX Tubing ASTM F876 and F877 Aboveground domestic water piping lines.

B. Fittings:

1. Copper water tube, cast bronze or wrought copper, solder joint type. ANSI B16.18 and B16.22.
2. Copper water tube, cast bronze or ASTM B-75 UNS C12200 wrought copper alloy, grooved end joint type. ANSI B16.18 and B16.22.
3. Brass pipe - cast bronze screwed, 125 pound, flat band water pattern, chromium plated, for chromium-plated pipe.
4. PEX tubing - Metal insert type with copper crimp rings, matching tube dimensions, ASTM F1807

## 2.2 JOINTS

- A. Grooved mechanical couplers - Manufactured in 2 or more segments of ASTM A-536 cast ductile iron. Gaskets shall be pressure sensitive synthetic rubber based on intended service with ANSI/NSF-61 classification for potable water applications. Coupler bolts shall be ASTM A-183, 110-ksi or SAE Grade 5, zinc-plated carbon steel. Coatings and finishes shall be orange no-lead paint or powder coating or copper acrylic enamel for copper systems.
- B. Copper water and drainage tube - use 95-5 tin antimony or silver solder, cut pipe square, clean and polish tube ends and inner surface of fittings, apply flux and solder joint as recommended by manufacturer of solder type fittings. Use same methods for copper refrigerant pipe, except use silver solder with 15% silver content, equivalent to Sil-Flos 15.
- C. Copper water and drainage tube press joints - Compression sealing via integral internal EPDM gaskets via use of specialized tools. Assured leakage path feature to assist installer in determining un-pressed joint assembly condition.
- D. Threadless brass pipe - use brazing alloy which will flow freely at 1300 degree F. Use flux and brazing method as recommended by manufacturer of brazing alloy.
- E. When soldering use paste fluxes that are approved by the manufacturer for use with Lead Free Alloys.

## 2.3 GENERAL VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. Drawings indicate valve types to be used. If valve applications are not indicated, use the following:
  1. Shutoff Service: Ball or Gate valves.
    - a. Piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller: Furnish bronze ball or gate valves.
    - b. Piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger: Furnish cast-iron ball or gate valves.
  2. Throttling - Balancing Service: Ball valves.
    - a. Piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller: Furnish bronze ball valves.
    - b. Piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger: Furnish cast-iron ball valves.

3. Hot-Water Piping, Balancing Duty: Memory-stop balancing valves.
  4. Drain Duty: Hose-end drain valves.
- B. Select valves, except wafer types, with the following end connections:
1. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2 (DN 50) and Smaller: Sweat Solder or Press-to-fit ends.
  2. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4 (DN 65 to DN 100): Grooved Mechanical Coupling or Flanged connections.
  3. For Pex Tubing, NPS 2 (DN 50) and Smaller: Crimp-end connections.
- C. If valves with specified CWP ratings are not available, the same types of valves with CWP ratings may be substituted.

#### 2.4 NIPPLES AND UNIONS

- A. Nipples shall conform to size, weight, and strength of adjoining pipe. When length of unthreaded portion of nipple is less than 1-1/2", use extra strong nipple; do not use close nipples.
- B. For pipe 3" and smaller, use screwed unions; over 3", use flanged unions. For steel and wrought iron pipe, use malleable iron ground joint unions, black or galvanized, to conform to pipe. Cast iron flanged unions are to be gasket type. For threaded brass pipe, use bronze ground joint unions with octagon ends. Install unions on equipment intended to be disassembled.
- C. Dielectric unions shall be installed between connections of copper pipe and ferrous piping.

#### 2.5 SLEEVES

- A. Floor sleeves shall be provided by the contractor. Coordinate with existing structure and notify engineer if structure interferes with design.
- B. Sleeves passing through non-load bearing walls and partitions shall be galvanized sheet steel with lock seam joints of minimum gauges as follows: For pipes 2-1/2" in size and smaller - 24-gauge; 3 in. to 6 in. - 22-gauge; over 6 in. - 20-gauge.
- C. Sleeves passing through load bearing walls, concrete beams, fireproof walls, foundations, footings, and waterproof floors shall be Schedule 40 galvanized steel pipe or cast iron pipe.
- D. Sleeves for insulated piping shall be of sufficient internal diameter to take pipe and insulation and to allow for free movement of pipe. Waterproof sleeves shall be of sufficient internal diameter to take pipe and waterproofing material.
- E. In finished areas where pipes are exposed, sleeves shall be terminated flush with wall, partitions and ceilings, and shall extend 1/2 in. above finished floors. Extend sleeves 1 in. above finished floors in areas likely to entrap water and fill space between sleeves and pipe with graphite packing and caulking compound.
- F. Sleeves passing through membrane waterproofing or roofing shall be flashed and sealed.

#### 2.6 PIPE ESCUTCHEONS

- A. Provide pipe escutcheons with inside diameter closely fitting pipe outside diameter, or outside of pipe insulation where pipe is insulated. Select outside diameter of escutcheon to completely cover pipe penetration hole in floors, walls, or ceilings; and pipe sleeve extensions, if any. Furnish pipe escutcheons with chrome finish for occupied areas, prime paint finish for unoccupied areas.

- B. Pipe Escutcheons for Moist Areas: For waterproof floors, and areas where water and condensation can be expected to accumulate, provide cast brass or sheet brass escutcheons, solid or split hinged.
- C. Pipe Escutcheons for Dry Areas: Provide sheet steel escutcheons, solid or split hinged.
- D. Manufacturer: Chicago Specialty; Producers Specialty; or Sanitary-Dash.

## 2.7 GUARDS

- A. Where exposed insulated piping extends through floor, provide sheet metal guard around insulation to extend up from floor 60 inches. Guard to be galvanized sheet steel not less than 26-gauge.

## 2.8 FIRE SAFING

- A. Metal piping and sleeves passing through floors, roof, partitions and fire walls, shall be provided with firestop by packing space between pipe and sleeve with UL listed non-sag and self-leveling fire safing insulation per manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Plastic piping passing through fire rated floors and fire rated walls shall be provided with firestop by providing intumescent wrap strip around the pipe, enclosed in steel collar attached to structure.
- C. Cracks, Voids, or Holes Up to 4" Diameter: Use non-sag or self-leveling putty or caulking, one-piece intumescent elastomer, non-corrosive to metal, compatible with synthetic cable jackets, and capable of expanding 10 times when exposed to flame or heat, UL listed.
- D. Openings 4" or Greater: Use sealing system capable of passing 3-hour fire test in accordance with ASTM E814, consisting of wall wrap or liner, partitions, and end caps capable of expanding when exposed to temperatures of 250 to 350 degree F (121 to 177 degree C), UL listed.
- E. Seal all holes or voids made by penetrations to ensure an effective barrier against smoke, fire, toxic and combustible gases.
- F. Unless protected, from possible loading or traffic, install firestopping materials in floors having void openings or four (4) inches or more to support the same floor load requirements.
- G. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide non-sag and self-leveling fire barrier caulk, wrap/strip, moldable putty and sheet forms of one of the following or pre-approved alternate:
  - 1. 3M Brand.
  - 2. Flame Stop.
  - 3. Dow Corning.
  - 4. Metacaulk.
- H. Horizontal penetrations through fire rated walls where plenum rated cables or tubing bundles are being installed shall be made with EZ-Path Fire-rated Pathway by Specified Technologies, Inc or pre-approved alternate.

## 2.9 MECHANICAL SLEEVE SEALS

- A. Modular mechanical type, consisting of interlocking synthetic rubber links shaped to continuously fill annular space between pipe and sleeve, connected with bolts and pressure plates which cause rubber sealing elements to expand when tightened, providing watertight seal and electrical insulation.
- B. Manufacturer: Thunderline or pre-approved alternate.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install pipe for plumbing and mechanical systems as shown on the Drawings, as called for in other Sections, and as specified herein
- B. Arrange and install piping approximately as indicated, straight, plumb, and as direct as possible, form right angles on parallel lines with building walls. Keep pipes close to walls, partitions, and ceilings, offsetting only where necessary to follow walls and avoid interference with other mechanical items. Locate groups of pipes parallel to each other; space at a distance to permit applying full insulation and to permit access for servicing valves. Piping to be run in concealed locations unless indicated exposed, or in equipment rooms.
- C. Install horizontal piping as high as possible without sags or humps so that proper grades can be maintained for drainage. Branch piping shall come off the tops of mains unless shown otherwise.
- D. Locate valves within reachable distance from equipment being served for easy access and operation. Do not locate valves with stems below horizontal.
- E. Check piping for interference with other trades; avoid placing water pipes over electrical equipment.
- F. Verify final equipment locations before roughing in.
- G. Where rough-ins are required for equipment furnished by others, verify exact rough-in dimensions with Owner or equipment supplier before roughing-in.
- H. Roll cut or groove piping ends as required based on piping material, wall thickness, size, pressure and joining methods. Refer to manufacturer's installation instructions. All grooved products covered under this section shall be furnished by one manufacturer.
- I. Press fit piping connections shall be made in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions, using the manufacturer's approved tools and methods. Installation must meet or exceed IAPMO PS 117 functional performance criteria.
- J. Install shutoff valve close to water main on each branch and riser serving plumbing fixtures or equipment, on each water supply to equipment, and on each water supply to plumbing fixtures that do not have supply stops. Use ball or gate valves for piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller. Use butterfly or gate valves for piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger.
- K. Install drain valves for equipment at base of each water riser, at low points in horizontal piping, and where required to drain water piping.
  - 1. Install hose-end drain valves at low points in water mains, risers, and branches.
  - 2. Install stop-and-waste drain valves where indicated.

- L. Install balancing valve in each hot-water circulation return branch and discharge side of each pump and circulator. Set balancing valves partly open to restrict but not stop flow. Use ball valves for piping NPS 2 (DN 50) and smaller and butterfly valves for piping NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and larger. Balancing valves are specified in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."
- M. Install calibrated balancing valves in each hot-water circulation return branch and discharge side of each pump and circulator. Set calibrated balancing valves partly open to restrict but not stop flow. Calibrated balancing valves are specified in Division 22 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."

### 3.2 SLEEVES

- A. Install sleeves for piping passing through floors, roof, walls and foundations.
- B. Install fire-proofing per manufacturer's written instructions.

### 3.3 ESCUTCHEONS

- A. Install escutcheons for pipes entering finished spaces.

### 3.4 MECHANICAL SLEEVE SEAL INSTALLATION

- A. Install mechanical sleeve seals at all pipe penetrations through foundations below grade.
- B. Loosely assemble rubber links around pipe and bolts and pressure plates located under each bolt head and nut. Push into sleeve and center. Tighten bolts until links have expanded to form watertight seal.

### 3.5 PIPE PENETRATIONS

- A. Penetrations shall be free of debris and dirt. Dam the penetration (when required) with an acceptable material. Apply firestop material to the penetration per manufacturer's installation instructions. Use a caulking gun, putty knife or other normal trade tools. Remove damming materials where necessary after cure. Clean up with Xylene.

### 3.6 FIRE SAFING

- A. Install fire safing at all penetrations through walls, floors, etc. per manufacturer's installation instructions as required to meet UL listing.

### 3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Inspect domestic water piping as follows:
  - 1. Do not enclose, cover, or put piping into operation until it has been inspected and approved by authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 2. During installation, notify authorities having jurisdiction at least 24 hours before inspection must be made. Perform tests specified below in presence of authorities having jurisdiction:
    - a. Roughing-in Inspection: Arrange for inspection of piping before concealing or closing-in after roughing-in and before setting fixtures.
    - b. Final Inspection: Arrange final inspection for authorities having jurisdiction to observe tests specified below and to ensure compliance with requirements.

3. Re-inspection: If authorities having jurisdiction find that piping will not pass test or inspection, make required corrections and arrange for re-inspection.
  4. Reports: Prepare inspection reports and have them signed by authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Test domestic water piping as follows:
1. Fill domestic water piping. Check components to determine that they are not air bound and that piping is full of water.
  2. Test for leaks and defects in new piping and parts of existing piping that have been altered, extended, or repaired. If testing is performed in segments, submit separate report for each test, complete with diagram of portion of piping tested.
  3. Leave new, altered, extended, or replaced domestic water piping uncovered and unconcealed until it has been tested and approved. Expose work that was covered or concealed before it was tested.
  4. Cap and subject piping to static water pressure of 50 psig (345 kPa) above operating pressure, without exceeding pressure rating of piping system materials. Isolate test source and allow to stand for four hours. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects that must be repaired.
  5. Repair leaks and defects with new materials and retest piping or portion thereof until satisfactory results are obtained.
  6. Prepare reports for tests and required corrective action.
- C. Inspect grooved mechanical coupler joint and press joint systems for proper installation and leak free integrity per the manufacturer's installation requirements. Prepare and submit certified inspection reports and include approved copies in the OMM record documentation.

### 3.8 ADJUSTING

- A. Perform the following adjustments before operation:
1. Close drain valves, hydrants, and hose bibbs.
  2. Open shutoff valves to fully open position.
  3. Open throttling valves to proper setting.
  4. Adjust balancing valves in hot-water-circulation return piping to provide adequate flow.
    - a. Manually adjust ball-type balancing valves in hot-water-circulation return piping to provide flow of hot water in each branch.
    - b. Adjust calibrated balancing valves to flows indicated.
  5. Remove plugs used during testing of piping and plugs used for temporary sealing of piping during installation.
  6. Remove and clean strainer screens. Close drain valves and replace drain plugs.
  7. Remove filter cartridges from housings and verify that cartridges are as specified for application where used and are clean and ready for use.
  8. Check plumbing specialties and verify proper settings, adjustments, and operation.

### 3.9 CLEANING

- A. Domestic water piping shall be cleaned and disinfected prior to substantial completion. Immediately prior to occupancy, the system(s) shall be flushed and a water sample submitted to the local Water Works for testing.
- B. Clean and disinfect potable domestic water piping as follows:
  - 1. Purge new piping and parts of existing domestic water piping that have been altered, extended, or repaired before using.
  - 2. Use purging and disinfecting procedures prescribed by authorities having jurisdiction or, if methods are not prescribed, procedures described in either AWWA C651 or AWWA C652 or as described below:
    - a. Flush piping system with clean, potable water until dirty water does not appear at outlets.
    - b. Fill and isolate system according to either of the following:
      - 1) Fill system or part thereof with water/chlorine solution with at least 50 ppm (50 mg/L) of chlorine. Isolate with valves and allow to stand for 24 hours.
      - 2) Fill system or part thereof with water/chlorine solution with at least 200 ppm (200 mg/L) of chlorine. Isolate and allow to stand for three hours.
        - (a) Flush system with clean, potable water until no chlorine is in water coming from system after the standing time.
        - (b) Submit water samples in sterile bottles to authorities having jurisdiction. Repeat procedures if biological examination shows contamination.
- C. Clean interior of domestic water piping system. Remove dirt and debris as work progresses.
- D. Prepare and submit reports of purging and disinfecting activities.

**END OF SECTION**

**SECTION 22 1119  
DOMESTIC WATER PIPING SPECIALTIES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide materials, equipment, labor, and supervision necessary to install water supply system as required by the Drawings and this Section.

1.2 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. ASSE 1011 - Hose Connection Vacuum Breakers.
- B. ASSE 1019 - Vacuum Breaker Wall Hydrants, Freeze Resistant Automatic Draining Type.
- C. ASSE 1052 - Performance Requirements for Hose Connection Backflow Preventers.
- D. ANSI / AWWA, C700
- E. The Plumbing and Drainage Institute - PDI Standard WH 201 for Water Hammer Arrestors
- F. Uniform Plumbing Code.
- G. NFPA Codes and Standards
- H. University of Southern California Foundation for Cross-Connection Control and Hydraulic Research - USCFCCC.
- I. Lead Free: Refers to the wetted surface of pipe, fittings and fixtures in potable water systems that have a weighted average lead content =0.25% per Safe Drinking Water Act as amended January 4, 2011, Section 1417.
- J. NSF Compliance: NSF/ANSI 61 and/or NSF/ANSI 372 for valve materials for potable-water service. Valves for domestic water must be 3rd Party Certified.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product data: Submit manufacturer's specifications and/or catalog data including material and pressure test certifications for all equipment herein.
- B. Installation, Operations and Maintenance data.
  - 1. Include signed copies of certified testing results reports.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 GENERAL

- A. Provide piping materials and factory-fabricated piping products of sizes, types, pressure ratings, and capacities as indicated. Where not indicated, provide proper selection as determined by Installer to comply with installation requirements. Provide sizes and types matching piping and equipment connections; provide fittings of materials that match pipe materials used in water supply systems. Where more than one type of material or product are indicated, selection is Installer's option.

## 2.2 WATER HAMMER ARRESTORS

- A. Water hammer arrestors shall be piston type of copper construction, sized and certified to function in accordance with PDI Standard WH 201.
- B. Units shall be pre-charged and suitable for operation in temperature 34° F to 250° F (1° C to 120° C) and maximum 150 psi (1000kPa) working pressure, and shall be designed so as to limit surge pressure to 150 lbs. from a flow velocity of 10 fps at 60 psig through 50 feet of pipe the same size as the shock absorber.
- C. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide water hammer arrestors manufacture by one of the following or pre-approved alternate:
  - 1. Sioux Chief (piston type only, where specified)
  - 2. Watts

## 2.3 BACKFLOW PREVENTERS

- A. Backflow prevention devices shall be designed and tested for compliance with USCFCCC manual for cross connection control, and ASSE and AWWA standards as applicable to backflow prevention and cross connection control.
- B. Atmospheric Vacuum Breaker
  - 1. Anti-siphon vacuum breaker shall be brass body with polished chrome finish and include lightweight disc float with water hammer resistant silicone disc to assure tight seating.
  - 2. Units shall be installed a minimum 6" above highest point of water outlet.
  - 3. Device shall NOT be used under continuous pressure, or where there is a possibility that a back pressure condition may develop.
  - 4. Units shall have temperature and pressure ratings not less than 110° F and 125 psi working pressure.
  - 5. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide vacuum breakers manufactured by one of the following:
    - a. Febco
    - b. Watts
    - c. Zurn, Wilkins Division
    - d. Engineer pre-approved equivalent

## 2.4 BALANCING VALVES

- A. Calibrated Balance Valve (Globe Type) with Flow Meter Fittings
- B. Provide as indicated, calibrated balance valves equipped with two metering/test ports with internal check valves and protective caps to facilitate connecting to differential pressure meter to balance valves.
- C. Valve shall be globe style and shall provide precise flow measurement, precision flow balancing and positive shut-off with no drip seat. Valve shall be leak tight at full rated pressure.
- D. Valves shall have memory stop feature to allow valve to be closed for service and then re-opened to set point without disturbing balance position. Provide calibrated nameplate or division ring scale to indicate valve position.

- E. Valve need not be line size, but shall be sized for specific application.
- F. Provide balance valves designed for low flow applications for flows of 1 GPM and lower.
- G. Valves ½" through 2" shall be constructed of dezincification resistant brass or bronze alloy.
- H. Valves 2 ½" through 12" shall be constructed of iron with ANSI Class 125/150 flanged or grooved ends.
- I. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide calibrated balance valves by Nibco, Armstrong, Grinnell or an Engineer pre-approved equivalent.

### **PART 3 EXECUTION**

#### **3.1 INSTALLATION**

- A. Extend cold water and hot water piping to each fixture and other equipment requiring water supplies.
- B. Generally follow indicated lines, exact layout to be made on job for alignment with surrounding work and space for covering.
- C. Pitch pipes to accessible drainage point where unions, plugged tees or drainage valves shall be provided.
- D. Install water hammer arrestors on each service at each fixture or group of fixtures.
- E. Water supply to fixtures and containers shall be so installed as to prevent back siphonage of polluted water in to the water supply. Supplies shall be either above the flood rim of the fixture or separated from the drainage end by means of approved vacuum breakers.
- F. Provide valves as shown and specified herein. Branch serving four or more fixtures shall be provided with an accessible shut-off valve.
- G. Pipes built into masonry or concrete construction shall be wrapped with tar paper or burlap to prevent bonding to the concrete.
- H. No pipe shall be located in an outside wall or other location where freezing is likely to occur, and no pipe shall be in contact with or attached to a structural member in a manner that causes the transmission of noise to the structure. Block ends of runs to prevent movement due to water hammer.
- I. Consult with utility company for water meter requirements. Provide shut-off valves upstream and downstream of meters.
- J. Install approved backflow prevention devices on plumbing lines where contamination of domestic water may occur, including, but not limited to, the following locations. Install devices in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, complete with accessories as required.
  - 1. Custodial rooms
  - 2. Interior and exterior hose connections
  - 3. Premise isolation
  - 4. Domestic Water Supply
- K. Install water hammer arrestors, complete with accessible isolation valves on hot and cold water supply piping to all plumbing fixtures.

### 3.2 TESTING AND CLEANING

- A. Test, flush and clean domestic water piping specialties per Section 22 1116 " Domestic Water Piping" requirements and in compliance with the Uniform Plumbing Code. Certification of testing results shall be provided to Owner in writing.
- B. Backflow Prevention:
  - 1. After system test, flushing, and chlorinating, backflow preventer shall be disassembled by a certified backflow specialist and all debris shall be cleared from the valve, reassembled, and tested to verify proper operation.
  - 2. Inspect and flow test all backflow preventers in accordance with NFPA 13 and or NFPA 25 requirements and ASSE testing procedures and protocols.
  - 3. Certification of testing results shall be provided to Owner in writing

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 22 1316  
SANITARY WASTE AND VENT PIPING**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide equipment, materials, tools, labor, and supervision necessary to furnish, fabricate, and install a complete soil, waste and vent system.

1.2 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. Pipe materials specified in this Section shall apply to other technical sections of Division 22 of the Project Manual where applicable. Special requirements as may be called for in the technical sections, or shown on the Drawings, shall take precedence over General Requirements herein. Piping located in plenums shall be plenum rated for fire and smoke.
- B. State Plumbing, Mechanical and Building Codes
- C. Uniform Plumbing Code
- D. International Mechanical Code
- E. NFPA Codes and Standards

1.3 PRODUCT HANDLING

- A. Provide factory-applied plastic end-caps on each length of pipe and tube. Maintain end-caps through shipping, storage, and handling as required to prevent pipe-end damage and eliminate dirt and moisture from inside of pipe and tube.
- B. Where possible, store pipe and tube inside and protected from weather. Where necessary to store outside, elevate well above grade and enclose with durable, waterproof wrapping.
- C. Where possible, store pipe and tube inside and protected from weather. Where necessary to store outside, elevate well above grade and enclose with durable, waterproof wrapping.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. For each system served: Submit piping schedule listing, by range of sizes, piping material used.
- B. Submit product and performance data for equipment specified herein
- C. Locations of connections to existing sanitary sewer lines, storm water lines, and related invert elevations shall be submitted as a dimensioned drawing to the Owner's Representative or Architect/Engineer for construction record purposes.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

2.1 SANITARY SEWERS, SOIL, WASTE AND VENT MATERIALS

- A. Piping:

MATERIAL	SERVICE
Cast iron soil pipe, service weight, no hub, CISPI 301, ASTM A888	Above ground sanitary and storm sewers Soil, waste, vent and downspouts as permitted by

	Code.
Copper water tube, hard temper, Type M, ASTM B88.	Above ground soil, waste, vent and downspouts up to and including 3" dia.
Copper drainage tube, hard temper, Type DWV, ASTM B306	Above ground soil, waste, vent and downspouts up to and including 2-1/2" dia. as permitted by Code
PVC pipe, Schedule 40, ASTM D2665	Above ground soil, waste and vent piping.

Cast iron soil pipe, service weight, bell and spigot, ASTM A74.

Asphalt coated Sanitary and storm sewers.

Uncoated Above ground soil, waste, vent and downspouts 3" dia. and larger.

Copper water tube, hard temper, ASTM B88.

Type M Above ground soil, waste, vent and downspouts up to and including 3" dia.

Copper drainage tube, hard temper, Above ground soil, waste, vent and downspouts Type DWV, ASTM B306. up to and including 2-1/2" dia. as permitted by Code.

**B. Fittings**

1. Material and strength of fittings for cast sewer pipes, clay sewer pipes, and concrete sewer pipe shall conform to pipe as per ASTM Standards.
2. Ductile iron and grey Iron fittings - Class 250, ANSI/AWWA C110 A21.10, standard mechanical joint fitting with lugs for connecting to pipe.
3. Copper drainage tube (M) - Cast bronze fittings, solder joint fittings. ANSI B.16, 23-69.
4. Schedule 40 PVC DWV - solvent cemented joints per ASTM D2665.

**C. Joints**

1. Cast iron bell and spigot soil pipe - pipe manufacturer's standard preformed, preset plastic or rubber joint, installed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
2. Cast iron no-hub pipe - coupling assembly tightened by torque wrench.
  - a. Conforming to ASTM C1540 Performance Requirements, CISPI 310, and NSF certified, type 300 series stainless steel shield secured by two or more stainless steel worm drive clamps, ASTM C564 gasket, one piece neoprene compression gasket.
  - b. Manufacturers:
    - 1) Clamp All: Hi-Torq 80
    - 2) MG Coupling
    - 3) Ideal Tridon
    - 4) Engineer pre-approved equivalent
3. Copper water and drainage tube - use 95-5 tin antimony or silver solder, cut pipe square, clean and polish tube ends and inner surface of fittings, apply flux and solder joint as recommended by manufacturer of solder type fittings. Use same methods for copper refrigerant pipe, except use silver solder with 15% silver content, equivalent to Sil-Flos 15.

2.2 VENTS

- A. Vents through the roof shall be cast iron and shall extend at least above the highest possible water level on the roof but in no case less than 12 inches.
- B. Provide a flashing of 4 pound sheet lead for each vent through the roof. The flashing shall extend up around the pipe and turn down into it at least 2 in. and shall extend over the roof deck at least 1 ft. in each direction from the base.
- C. Coordinate flashing of vents through the roof with Roofing Contractor or Prime Contractor.
- D. Where vents through the roof are subject to frost or snow closure the vent termination shall be increased beginning at least 12 in. under the roof with a cast iron long increaser. Size increasers as follows:

Vent Size	Increase To
1-1/4 in. and 1-1/2 in.	3 in. minimum
2 in. and 2-1/2 in.	4 in. minimum
3 in.	5 in.
4 in.	6 in.

2.3 SLEEVES

- A. Floor sleeves shall be provided by the contractor. Coordinate with existing structure and notify engineer if structure interferes with design.
- B. Sleeves passing through non-load bearing walls and partitions shall be galvanized sheet steel with lock seam joints of minimum gauges as follows: For pipes 2-1/2" in size and smaller - 24-gauge; 3 in. to 6 in. - 22-gauge; over 6 in. - 20-gauge.
- C. Sleeves passing through load bearing walls, concrete beams, fireproof walls, foundations, footings, and waterproof floors shall be Schedule 40 galvanized steel pipe or cast iron pipe.
- D. Sleeves for insulated piping shall be of sufficient internal diameter to take pipe and insulation and to allow for free movement of pipe. Waterproof sleeves shall be of sufficient internal diameter to take pipe and waterproofing material.
- E. In finished areas where pipes are exposed, sleeves shall be terminated flush with wall, partitions and ceilings, and shall extend 1/2 in. above finished floors. Extend sleeves 1 in. above finished floors in areas likely to entrap water and fill space between sleeves and pipe with graphite packing and caulking compound.
- F. Sleeves passing through membrane waterproofing or roofing shall be flashed and sealed.

2.4 PIPE ESCUTCHEONS

- A. Provide pipe escutcheons with inside diameter closely fitting pipe outside diameter, or outside of pipe insulation where pipe is insulated. Select outside diameter of escutcheon to completely cover pipe penetration hole in floors, walls, or ceilings; and pipe sleeve extensions, if any. Furnish pipe escutcheons with chrome finish for occupied areas, prime paint finish for unoccupied areas.
- B. Pipe Escutcheons for Moist Areas: For waterproof floors, and areas where water and condensation can be expected to accumulate, provide cast brass or sheet brass escutcheons, solid or split hinged.
- C. Pipe Escutcheons for Dry Areas: Provide sheet steel escutcheons, solid or split hinged.
- D. Manufacturer or pre-approved alternate: Chicago Specialty; Producers Specialty; or Sanitary-Dash.

## 2.5 GUARDS

- A. Where exposed insulated piping extends through floor, provide sheet metal guard around insulation to extend up from floor 60 inches. Guard to be galvanized sheet steel not less than 26-gauge.

## 2.6 FIRE SAFING

- A. Metal piping and sleeves passing through floors, roof, partitions and fire walls, shall be provided with firestop by packing space between pipe and sleeve with UL listed non-sag and self-leveling fire safing insulation per manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Plastic piping passing through fire rated floors and fire rated walls shall be provided with firestop by providing intumescent wrap strip around the pipe, enclosed in steel collar attached to structure.
- C. Cracks, Voids, or Holes Up to 4" Diameter: Use non-sag or self-leveling putty or caulking, one-piece intumescent elastomer, non-corrosive to metal, compatible with synthetic cable jackets, and capable of expanding 10 times when exposed to flame or heat, UL listed.
- D. Openings 4" or Greater: Use sealing system capable of passing 3-hour fire test in accordance with ASTM E814, consisting of wall wrap or liner, partitions, and end caps capable of expanding when exposed to temperatures of 250 to 350oF (121 to 177oC), UL listed.
- E. Seal all holes or voids made by penetrations to ensure an effective barrier against smoke, fire, toxic and combustible gases.
- F. Unless protected, from possible loading or traffic, install firestopping materials in floors having void openings or four (4) inches or more to support the same floor load requirements.
- G. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide non-sag and self-leveling fire barrier caulk, wrap/strip, moldable putty and sheet forms of one of the following or pre-approved alternate:
  - 1. 3M Brand.
  - 2. Flame Stop.
  - 3. Dow Corning.
  - 4. Metacaulk.

## 2.7 MECHANICAL SLEEVE SEALS

- A. Modular mechanical type, consisting of interlocking synthetic rubber links shaped to continuously fill annular space between pipe and sleeve, connected with bolts and pressure plates which cause rubber sealing elements to expand when tightened, providing watertight seal and electrical insulation.
- B. Manufacturer: Thunderline or pre-approved alternate.

## **PART 3 EXECUTION**

### **3.1 INSTALLATION**

- A. Install underground building drains as shown and in accordance with the Uniform Plumbing Code. Lay underground building drains beginning at low point of systems, true to grades and alignment indicated with unbroken continuity of invert. Place bell ends of piping facing upstream. Install required gaskets in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations for use of lubricants, cements, and other special installation requirements. Clean interior of piping of dirt and other superfluous material as work progresses. Maintain swab or drag in line and pull past each joint as it is completed. Place plugs in ends of uncompleted piping at end of day or whenever work stops.
- B. Follow indicated lines generally, but make exact layout on the job to work actual fitting dimensions, align piping, and avoid interference. Provide proper support to maintain uniform fall of 1/4 in. per ft. for lines 3 in. and smaller and 1/8 in. per ft. for lines larger than 3 inches. Protect openings against the entrance of dirt.
- C. No soil or waste pipe shall be covered by earth or concealed by construction without first being proven free of leaks by means of a hydrostatic water test of no less than 10-feet of head or pneumatic air test of no less than 5 PSI. Pressure shall be held constant for a period of not less than 15 minutes before beginning inspection or 15 minutes without the addition of air. Plastic pipe shall not be tested by air.
- D. Install vents in practical alignment and supported with constant pitch back to the drainage system, concealed from finished spaces, unless shown or directed otherwise.
- E. Soil, waste and vent connections to fixtures shall be accurately located and concealed from finished spaces, unless shown otherwise.
- F. Refer to Section 22 0500 for excavating, trenching and backfilling requirements.
- G. Contractor shall verify existing tie-in invert elevations of sanitary sewer piping prior to installation of new piping. Coordinate the site sewer tie-in invert elevation with the site utility contractor. Existing tie-in inverts that are discovered to be different from the information on the bid documents shall be reported to the Construction Manager or Prime Contractor and the Engineer immediately.
- H. Install no-hub couplings and uniformly tighten clamps to manufacture's recommended torque specifications. No-hub coupling joints shall be properly supported so as to not be exposed to bending.

### **3.2 SLEEVES**

- A. Install sleeves for piping passing through floors, roof, walls, concrete beams, and foundations.
- B. Install fire-proofing per manufacturer's written instructions.

### **3.3 ESCUTCHEONS**

- A. Install escutcheons for pipes entering finished spaces.

### **3.4 MECHANICAL SLEEVE SEAL INSTALLATION**

- A. Install mechanical sleeve seals at all pipe penetrations through foundations below grade.
- B. Loosely assemble rubber links around pipe and bolts and pressure plates located under each bolt head and nut. Push into sleeve and center. Tighten bolts until links have expanded to form watertight seal.

### 3.5 PIPE PENETRATIONS

- A. Penetrations shall be free of debris and dirt. Dam the penetration (when required) with an acceptable material. Apply fire stop material to the penetration per manufacturer's installation instructions. Use a caulking gun, putty knife or other normal trade tools. Remove damming materials where necessary after cure. Clean up with Xylene.

### 3.6 FIRE SAFING

- A. Install fire safing at all penetrations through walls, floors, etc. per manufacturer's installation instructions as required to meet UL listing.

### 3.7 TESTING AND CLEANING

- A. Provide labor, materials, facilities, and administration required to conduct the tests required under this section. Tests which fail to meet the specified performance shall be retested at no expense to the Owner. Repair all defective installations.
- B. Flush out piping system with clean water before proceeding with required tests. Inspect each run of each system for completion of joints, supports and accessory items.
- C. Testing shall be done in compliance with the Uniform Plumbing Code and to the satisfaction of the Authorities Having Jurisdiction.
- D. Perform final testing after all fixtures have been set and all traps have been filled with water.
- E. Hydraulic Water Testing:
  - 1. Hydraulically pressure test each section or segment of the soil, waste and vent system prior to backfilling, encasing, enclosing or otherwise preventing visual observation of the section or segment being tested or access to repair if needed.
  - 2. The system and all joints shall be tested with no less than 10 feet head of water pressure. Top of test standpipe to be filled with water shall be a minimum of 10 feet above the highest point of section being tested.
  - 3. The water shall be kept in the tested system or sub-section for not less than 15 minutes before inspection for leakage begins.
  - 4. All leaks shall be promptly repaired by replacing damaged or defective components with new parts and system shall be re-tested, repeating repair and re-testing steps as-needed, without additional cost to the Owner, until system is certified tight and leak free.
- F. Pneumatic Air Pressure Testing:
  - 1. Plastic piping shall not be tested with air. Do not overpressurize the system beyond maximum rating.
  - 2. Pneumatically pressure test with air each section or segment of the soil, waste and vent system prior to backfilling, encasing, enclosing or otherwise preventing visual observation of the section or segment being tested or access to repair if needed.
  - 3. The system and all joints shall be tested using an air compressor and pressure gauge or manometer testing apparatus.
  - 4. Fill tested system with air to a uniform, stabilized gauge pressure of 5 PSI. The system shall be held at the test pressure without the addition of air for a period of not less than 15 minutes.

5. All leaks shall be promptly repaired by replacing damaged or defective components with new parts and system shall be re-tested, repeating repair and re-testing steps as-needed, without additional cost to the Owner, until system is certified tight and leak free.

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**SECTION 22 1319  
SANITARY WASTE PIPING SPECIALTIES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide equipment, materials, labor and supervision necessary to install soil, waste and vent system.

1.2 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. State Plumbing, Mechanical and Building Codes
- B. Uniform Plumbing Code
- C. International Mechanical Code
- D. NFPA Codes and Standards

1.3 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following sanitary drainage piping specialties:
  - 1. Floor drains.
  - 2. Cleanouts.
  - 3. Floor sinks
  - 4. Miscellaneous sanitary drainage piping specialties.

1.4 DEFINITIONS

- A. ABS: Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene plastic.
- B. FRP: Fiberglass-reinforced plastic.
- C. HDPE: High-density polyethylene plastic.
- D. PE: Polyethylene plastic.
- E. PP: Polypropylene plastic.
- F. PVC: Polyvinyl chloride plastic.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated, include rated capacities, operating characteristics, and accessories.
- B. Installation, Operations and Maintenance data. Include signed copies of certified testing results reports.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Drainage piping specialties shall bear label, stamp, or other markings of specified testing agency.

- B. Comply with NSF 14, "Plastics Piping Components and Related Materials," for plastic sanitary piping specialty components.

## **PART 2 PRODUCTS**

### **2.1 CLEANOUTS**

#### **A. General:**

##### **1. Floor:**

- a. In floors of finished areas - epoxy coated, cast iron caulking ferrule for soil pipe hub with brass countersunk plug and cast brass round flush access cover with polished top. Furnish carpet flange and cover and cleanout ID marker for all carpeted areas.
- b. In floors of unfinished areas - epoxy coated, cast iron with tapered body for caulking into soil pipe hub, with brass countersunk plug.

##### **2. Wall:**

- a. In walls of finished areas - Gas and water tight bronze tapered seat, raised head plug, iron pipe size (IPS) male threads and round polished stainless steel cover plate with countersunk stainless steel cover screw. Provide with caulking ferrule where installed in cast iron soil pipe.
- b. In walls of unfinished areas - Gas and water tight bronze tapered seat, raised head, iron pipe size (IPS) male threads. Provide with caulking ferrule where installed in cast iron soil pipe.

- B. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide clean outs by one of the following:

- 1. Zurn Plumbing Products Group
- 2. J.R. Smith
- 3. Wade
- 4. Watts Drainage Products Inc.
- 5. Engineer pre-approved equivalent

### **2.2 FLOOR DRAINS**

#### **A. General:**

- 1. Body: Floor and shower drains shall be epoxy coated cast iron with bottom outlet, convertible membrane clamp, adjustable collar with seepage slots.
- 2. Strainer: Polished heavy duty vandal-proof secured polished nickel bronze strainer and removable sediment bucket.
- 3. End Connections: hub and spigot, hubless, or threaded.

- B. Sizes: Refer to Project Drawings and Schedules.

#### **C. Traps and Seals:**

- 1. Drains without integral traps shall have service weight cast iron P traps.

2. Furnish inline type trap seals on all floor drains. Sure Seal or Engineer approved equivalent.
- D. Seepage Pans:
1. Provide seepage pans of four pound sheet lead or Chloraloy 240 plastic at least 3' -0" square for all floor drains over open space. Lead, if used, shall be thoroughly coated with asphaltum before it is placed in contact with concrete or concrete fill is poured over it.
  2. Provide seepage pans of four-pound sheet lead or Chloraloy 240 plastic to cover total area of showers over open spaces. Pan shall turn up at ends at least 9 inches and corners shall be folded and properly sealed. Lead, if used, shall be thoroughly coated with asphaltum before it is placed in contact with concrete or concrete fill is poured over it
  3. Flashing clamps and auxiliary drainage rims shall be provided for all drains that are to receive seepage pans.
- E. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide clean outs by one of the following:
1. Zurn Plumbing Products Group
  2. J.R. Smith
  3. Wade
  4. Watts Drainage Products Inc.
  5. Engineer pre-approved equivalent

## 2.3 FLOOR SINKS

- A. General:
1. Body: Floor sinks shall be cast iron body with white acid resisting porcelain interior and top, bottom outlet, seepage flange with seepage holes, and membrane clamping collar.
  2. Strainer: Removable bottom anti-splash dome, white ABS.
  3. Grate: Secured, 1/2 open, medium duty with slotted openings.
  4. End Connections: hub and spigot, hubless, or threaded.
- B. Sizes: Refer to Project Drawings and Schedules.
- C. Traps and Seals:
1. Drains without integral traps shall have service weight cast iron P traps.
  2. Furnish inline type trap seals on all floor drains. Sure Seal or Engineer approved equivalent.
- D. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide clean outs by one of the following:
1. Zurn Plumbing Products Group
  2. J.R. Smith
  3. Wade
  4. Watts Drainage Products Inc.
  5. Engineer pre-approved equivalent

## 2.4 MISCELLANEOUS SANITARY DRAINAGE PIPING SPECIALTIES

### A. Deep-Seal Traps

1. Description: Epoxy coated cast iron, with inlet and outlet matching connected piping and cleanout trap-seal primer valve connection.
2. Size: Same as connected waste piping.
  - a. NPS 2 (DN 50): 4-inch- (100-mm-) minimum water seal.
  - b. NPS 2-1/2 (DN 65) and Larger: 5-inch- (125-mm-) minimum water seal.

### B. Air-Gap Fittings

1. Description: Epoxy coated cast iron body, ASME A112.1.2, designed to ensure fixed, positive air gap between installed inlet and outlet piping.
2. Size: Outlet shall be same size as connected waste piping and with inlet large enough for associated indirect waste piping. Unless noted otherwise the inlet to the air gap fitting shall be a larger size than the discharge of the piping leading into it.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Refer to Division 22 Section "Common Work Results for Plumbing" for piping joining materials, joint construction, and basic installation requirements.
- B. Install wood-blocking reinforcement for wall-mounting-type specialties.
- C. Install cleanouts in aboveground piping and building drain piping according to the following, unless otherwise indicated:
  1. Size same as drainage piping up to NPS 4 (DN 100). Use NPS 4 (DN 100) for larger drainage piping unless larger cleanout is indicated.
  2. Locate at each change in direction of piping greater than 45 degrees.
  3. Locate at minimum intervals of 50 feet (15 m) for piping NPS 4 (DN 100) and smaller and 100 feet (30 m) for larger piping.
  4. Locate at base of each vertical soil and waste stack.
- D. For floor cleanouts for piping below floors, install cleanout deck plates with top flush with finished floor.
- E. For cleanouts located in concealed piping, install cleanout wall access covers, of types indicated, with frame and cover flush with finished wall.
- F. Install floor drains at low points of surface areas to be drained. Set grates of drains flush with finished floor, unless otherwise indicated.
  1. Position floor drains for easy access and maintenance.
  2. Set floor drains below elevation of surrounding finished floor to allow floor drainage. Set with grates depressed according to the following drainage area radii:
    - a. Radius, 30 Inches (750 mm) or Less: Equivalent to 1 percent slope, but not less than 1/4-inch (6.35-mm) total depression.
    - b. Radius, 30 to 60 Inches (750 to 1500 mm): Equivalent to 1 percent slope.

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- c. Radius, 60 Inches (1500 mm) or Larger: Equivalent to 1 percent slope, but not greater than 1-inch (25-mm) total depression.
- 3. Install floor-drain flashing collar or flange so no leakage occurs between drain and adjoining flooring. Maintain integrity of waterproof membranes where penetrated.
- 4. Install individual traps for floor drains connected to sanitary building drain, unless otherwise indicated.
- 5. Install traps on plumbing specialty drain outlets. Omit traps on indirect wastes unless trap is indicated.
- 6. Install deep-seal traps on floor drains, and other waste outlets unless otherwise indicated.
- 7. Install inline type trap seals on all floor drains. Sure Seal or Engineer approved equivalent.
- G. Install air-gap fittings on draining-type backflow preventers and on indirect-waste piping discharge into sanitary drainage system.
- H. Install expansion joints on vertical stacks and conductors. Position expansion joints for easy access and maintenance.

### 3.2 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate size and location of concrete bases. Cast anchor-bolt inserts into bases. Concrete, reinforcement, and formwork requirements are specified in Division 03.
- B. Coordinate size and location of roof penetrations.

### 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Leak Test: After installation, charge system and test for leaks. Repair leaks and retest until no leaks exist.
  - 2. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.

### 3.4 PROTECTION

- A. Protect drains during remainder of construction period to avoid clogging with dirt or debris and to prevent damage from traffic or construction work.
- B. Place plugs in ends of uncompleted piping at end of each day or when work stops.

**END OF SECTION**

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**SECTION 22 4000  
PLUMBING FIXTURES**

**PART 1 GENERAL**

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Provide fixtures, trim, accessories, labor, tools and supervision necessary to furnish and install plumbing fixtures as required by the drawings and this Section.

1.2 FIXTURE SCHEDULE

- A. Fixtures, trim, and accessories shall be of type and model numbers as scheduled on the drawings.

1.3 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. IBC - International Building Code
- B. UPC - Uniform Plumbing Code
- C. PDI Compliance: Comply with standards established by PDI pertaining to plumbing fixture supports.
- D. ADA Compliance: Construct and install barrier-free plumbing fixtures in accordance with ADA and ANSI A117.1 requirements.
- E. State Plumbing, Mechanical and Building Codes
- F. NFPA Codes and Standards
- G. IAPMO, NSF and U.L.
- H. Any product used for dispensing potable water shall meet NSF 61 and NSF 372 testing standards. Third party testing shall be required.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit Product Data which shall include product description, manufacturer, model, dimensions, size, rough-in requirements, connections to other equipment, construction materials and finishes, trim, accessory schedule, and performance data for each type of fixture.
- B. Submit manufacturers Installation Operation and Maintenance instructions. Include signed copies of certified testing reports.
- C. Submit to the General Contractor, cut-out trim plate for sinks which are to be installed in counter tops.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS AND QUALIFICATIONS**

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products manufactured by one of the following, as listed for each type of fixture, or an Engineer-approved equivalent:
  - 1. Vitreous China and Cast Iron Enameled Fixtures: American Standard, Crane, Kohler, Eljer, and Zurn.

2. Water Closet and Urinal Flush Valves: Sloan or Zurn
3. Stainless Steel Sinks: Elkay or Just Mfg.
4. Trim: Chicago Faucets, Delta Commercial, T&S Brass Works, or Sloan
5. Drinking Fountains and Water Coolers: Elkay, Halsey Taylor, or Oasis
6. Shower Valves: Chicago Faucets, Delta Commercial, Sloan, or Bradley
7. Fixture Carriers: Zurn, Wade, Josam, or J.R Smith
8. Janitor Sinks and Shower Bases: Crane-Fiat, Stern-Williams, or Swan
9. Toilet Seats: Bemis, Church, or Olsonite

## 2.2 VITREOUS AND CAST IRON FIXTURES

- A. Vitreousware shall be non-absorbent, even color, un-warped, two-fired vitreous china, grade A as rated by the Bureau of Standards.
- B. Vitreous fixtures shall be white, except where other colors are called for in schedule.

## 2.3 FLUSH VALVES

- A. Flush valves for handicapped fixtures shall be installed in compliance with ADA requirements and shall be installed with flush valve control mounted on wide side of toilet.
- B. Flush valves shall be installed with angle stop and vacuum breaker.

## 2.4 STAINLESS STEEL SINKS

- A. Stainless steel sinks shall be fabricated from 18-gauge nickel-bearing type 302 stainless steel, with satin finish, and sound deadening treatment.
- B. Where non-self rimming sinks are specified, furnish sinks with Hudee mounting rim.
- C. Provide sinks with compression style clip and bolt mounting hardware.

## 2.5 TRIM

- A. Trim shall include: Supply pipes, stop valves, faucets, tail pieces, strainers, wastes, traps, and floor and wall escutcheon plates which shall be brass. Exposed trim shall be chrome-plated.
- B. Stop valves shall be compression type with loose key handle control.
- C. P-traps shall be chrome-plated, adjustable cast brass with cleanout plug.
- D. Faucets shall contain standardized interchangeable operating units for both hand-closing and self-closing types, closing with the pressure of the water and containing a stamped Monel metal seat.

## 2.6 ELECTRIC WATER COOLERS

- A. Refer to Drawings and Schedules.
- B. Furnish one-piece silver impregnated charcoal, NSF approved, inline water filter for all electric water coolers. Furnish an additional filter element for each Electric Water Cooler installed.

## 2.7 SHOWER VALVES

- A. Shower valves shall be mixing valve type, pressure balancing, with integral stops. Refer to Plumbing Fixture Schedule on Drawings for manufacturer and model numbers.

## 2.8 AERATORS

- A. Provide aerators of types approved by Health Departments having jurisdiction. Maximum flow to be 0.5 gpm in compliance with Energy Policy Act of 2005 and ASME/ANSI Standard A112.18.1M provide restrictive aerator as required.
- B. Comply with additional fixture requirements contained in fixture Schedule as shown on Drawings.

## 2.9 FIXTURE CARRIERS

- A. Provide cast-iron supports for fixtures of graphitic gray iron, ductile iron, or malleable iron as indicated. Provide floor mounted carriers for wall mounted fixtures.

## 2.10 FIXTURE BOLT CAPS

- A. Provide manufacturer's standard exposed fixture bolt caps finished to match fixture finish.

## 2.11 ESCUTCHEONS

- A. Where fixture supplies and drains penetrate walls in exposed locations and within cabinetry, provide chrome plated sheet steel escutcheons with friction clips.

# PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 INSPECTION

- A. Examine roughing-in work of potable water and waste piping systems to verify actual locations of piping connections prior to installing fixtures. Also examine floors and substrates, and conditions under which fixture work is to be accomplished. Correct any incorrect locations of piping, and other unsatisfactory conditions for installation of plumbing fixtures. Do not proceed with work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected in manner acceptable to Installer.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install plumbing fixtures of types indicated where shown and at indicated heights; in accordance with fixture manufacturer's written instructions, roughing-in drawings, and with recognized industry practices. Ensure that plumbing fixtures comply with requirements of the Uniform Plumbing Code and Americans with Disability Act (ADA) Standards for Accessible Design pertaining to installation of plumbing fixtures.
- B. Fasten plumbing fixtures securely to indicated supports or building structure and ensure that fixtures are level and plumb. Secure plumbing supplies behind or within wall construction so as to be rigid, and not subject to pull or push movement.
- C. Install fixtures and make water supply, waste, and vent connections as indicated on drawings.
- D. Set fixtures in center of stalls, between partitions where required. Dimensions for spacing shall be verified.
- E. Setting shall be absolutely tight and rigid on proper ground. All fixtures shall be sealed to structures (walls, floors, etc.) with non-mildew silicone caulk.

- F. Fixtures shall be covered with paper glued in place after they are set to prevent damage during the balance of construction, at the conclusion of work the paper shall be removed and the fixtures properly cleaned.
- G. The Contractor shall be responsible for the protection of the fixtures until acceptance by the Owner. Damaged fixtures shall be replaced at no additional cost to the Owner.
- H. All fixtures and accessories for handicapped use shall be installed in compliance with ADA requirements.
- I. Countertop mounted stainless steel sinks shall be installed using a compression style clip and bolt mount. Snap ring installations shall NOT be permitted.

### 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Upon completion of installation of plumbing fixtures and after units are water pressurized, test fixtures to demonstrate capability and compliance with requirements. When possible, correct malfunctioning units at the site, then retest to demonstrate compliance; otherwise, remove and replace with new units and proceed with retesting.
- B. Inspect each installed unit for damage to finish. If feasible, restore and match finish to original at site; otherwise, remove fixture and replace with new unit. Feasibility and match to be judged by Architect/Engineer. Remove cracked or dented units and replace with new units.

### 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Clean plumbing fixtures, trim, and strainers of dirt and debris upon completion of installation.
- B. Adjust water pressure at drinking fountains, faucets, shower valves, and flush valves to provide proper flow stream and specified gpm.
- C. Adjust or replace washers to prevent leaks at faucets and stops.

**END OF SECTION**