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				***** ADDENDUM NO. 1 *****		
				ADDENDUM ISSUED FOR THE WV ENERGY, INC. RECLAMATION PROJECT IN BROOKE & OHIO COUNTIES, TO DISTRIBUTE THE PRE-BID SIGN-IN SHEET FROM THE 12/19/07 MEETING AND THE QUESTIONS/ANSWERS RESULTING FROM THAT MANDATORY CONFERENCE.		
				BID DATE AND OPENING TIME HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO 01/23/08 AT 1:30 PM.		
				***** NO OTHER CHANGES *****		
0001	1	JB	962-73	RECLAMATION: RESTORATION OF LAND		

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<p>RECLAMATION: RESTORATION OF LAND</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA PURCHASING DIVISION, ON BEHALF OF THE AGENCY, THE WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, IS SOLICITING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS FOR A CONTRACT TO PROVIDE ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS TO PERFORM RECLAMATION ON THE MINING OPERATION OF WEST VIRGINIA ENERGY, INC., NOW UNDER REVOKED PERMIT NUMBER(S) S-1012-87 & S-20-83. THIS SITE CONSISTS OF APPROXIMATELY 26 ACRES AND IS LOCATED NEAR CLEARVIEW, WV, IN BROOKE AND OHIO COUNTY.</p> <p>THE RECLAMATION SHALL BE PERFORMED UNDER THE GUIDANCE AND GENERAL SUPERVISION OF THE AGENT ASSIGNED TO THE PROJECT FOR THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.</p> <p>A MANDATORY ON-SITE PREBID CONFERENCE SHALL BE HELD ON 12/19/2007 @ 10:00 AM. FAILURE TO ATTEND THE PREBID CONFERENCE WILL RESULT IN BID DISQUALIFICATION.</p> <p>DIRECTIONS TO PREBID: FROM WHEELING, TRAVEL NORTH ON ROUTE 2. FOLLOW AIRPORT SIGNS. TURN EAST ONTO STATE RT. 1. TURN LEFT ONTO COUNTY RT 2/2. TURN RIGHT INTO THE AIRPORT PARKING LOT FOR ACCESS TO SITE 1.</p> <p>ALL WORK MUST BE COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND PURCHASE ORDER ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION, DIVISION OF</p>						

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	PURCHASING.					
	EXHIBIT 5					
	NOTICE TO PROCEED: THIS CONTRACT IS TO BE PERFORMED WITHIN 365 CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE NOTICE TO PROCEED IS RECEIVED. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, THE FULLY EXECUTED PURCHASE ORDER WILL BE CONSIDERED NOTICE TO PROCEED.					
	CANCELLATION: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT IMMEDIATELY UPON WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE VENDOR IF THE MATERIALS OR WORKMANSHIP SUPPLIED ARE OF AN INFERIOR QUALITY OR DO NOT CONFORM WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS OF THE THE BID AND CONTRACT HEREIN.					
	WAGE RATES: THE CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL PAY THE HIGHER OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR MINIMUM WAGE RATES AS ESTABLISHED FOR BROOKE & OHIO COUNTY, PURSUANT TO WEST VIRGINIA CODE 21-5A, ET,SEQ.					
	ARBITRATION: ANY REFERENCES MADE TO ARBITRATION OR INTEREST FOR PAYMENTS DUE (EXCEPT FOR ANY INTEREST REQUIRED BY STATE LAW) CONTAINED IN THIS CONTRACT OR IN ANY AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS CONTRACT ARE HEREBY DELETED.					
	WORKERS' COMPENSATION: VENDOR IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A CERTIFICATE FROM WORKERS' COMPENSATION IF SUCCESSFUL.					
	ALL OF THE ITEMS CHECKED BELOW WILL BE A REQUIREMENT OF THIS CONTRACT:					
	(XX) INSURANCE: SUCCESSFUL VENDOR SHALL FURNISH PROOF					

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<p>OF COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF CONTRACT. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE BID DOCUMENTS, THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIRED IS \$250,000.</p> <p>() BUILDERS RISK INSURANCE: SUCCESSFUL VENDOR SHALL FURNISH PROOF OF BUILDERS RISK - ALL RISK INSURANCE IN AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 100% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE CONTRACT.</p> <p>(XX) BONDS: FIVE PERCENT (5%) OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE BID PAYABLE TO THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, SHALL BE SUBMITTED WITH EACH BID AS A BID BOND. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER SHALL ALSO FURNISH A PERFORMANCE BOND AND LABOR/MATERIAL BOND FOR 100% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE CONTRACT. BONDS MAY BE PROVIDED IN THE FORM OF A CERTIFIED CHECK, IRREVOCABLE LETTER OF CREDIT, OR BOND FURNISHED BY A SOLVENT SURETY COMPANY AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA. A LETTER OF CREDIT SUBMITTED IN LIEU OF A PERFORMANCE AND LABOR & MATERIAL BOND WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED FOR PROJECTS UNDER \$100,000. PERSONAL OR BUSINESS CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE IN LIEU OF THE 5% BID BOND, PERFORMANCE BOND, OR LABOR/MATERIAL BOND.</p> <p>() MAINTENANCE BOND: A TWO (2) YEAR MAINTENANCE BOND COVERING THE ROOFING SYSTEM WILL BE A REQUIREMENT OF THE SUCCESSFUL VENDOR.</p> <p>REV. 11/00</p> <p>CONTRACTORS LICENSE WV036836</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-2 REQUIRES THAT ALL PERSONS DESIRING TO PERFORM CONTRACTING WORK IN THIS STATE MUST BE LICENSED. THE WEST VIRGINIA CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD IS EMPOWERED TO ISSUE THE CONTRACTORS</p>						

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<p>LICENSE. APPLICATIONS FOR A CONTRACTORS LICENSE MAY BE MADE BY CONTACTING THE WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF LABOR CAPITOL COMPLEX, BUILDING 3, ROOM 319, CHARLESTON, WV 25305. TELEPHONE: (304) 558-7890.</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-11 REQUIRES ANY PROSPECTIVE BIDDER TO INCLUDE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE NUMBER ON THEIR BID.</p> <p>BIDDER TO COMPLETE: CONTRACTORS NAME - <i>Cowgirl Up Inc.</i> CONTRACTORS LICENSE NO. - <i>WV 036836</i></p> <p>THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER IS REQUIRED TO FURNISH A COPY OF THEIR CONTRACTORS LICENSE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER/CONTRACT.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">APPLICABLE LAW</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE, PURCHASING DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS, AND THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THE "REQUEST FOR QUOTATION" ISSUED BY THE PURCHASING DIVISION IS THE SOLE AUTHORITY GOVERNING THIS PROCUREMENT.</p> <p>ANY INFORMATION PROVIDED IN SPECIFICATION MANUALS, OR ANY OTHER SOURCE, VERBAL OR WRITTEN, WHICH CONTRADICTS OR ALTERS THE INFORMATION PROVIDED FROM THE SOURCES AS DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE PARAGRAPH IS VOID AND OF NO EFFECT.</p> <p>BANKRUPTCY: IN THE EVENT THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, THIS CONTRACT IS AUTOMATICALLY NULL AND VOID, AND IS TERMINATED WITHOUT FURTHER ORDER.</p>						

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<p>PREFERENCE FOR USE OF DOMESTIC STEEL PRODUCTS</p> <p>1. EXCEPT WHEN AUTHORIZED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION 2 BELOW, NO CONTRACTOR MAY USE OR SUPPLY STEEL PRODUCTS FOR A STATE CONTRACT PROJECT OTHER THAN THOSE STEEL PRODUCTS MADE IN THE UNITED STATES. AS USED USED IN THIS CONTRACT,</p> <p>A. "STATE CONTRACT PROJECT" MEANS ANY ERECTION OR CONSTRUCTION OF, OR ANY ADDITION TO, ALTERATIO OF OR OTHER IMPROVEMENT TO ANY BUILDING OR STRUCTURE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ROADS OR HIGHWAYS, OR THE INSTALLATION OF ANY HEATING OR COOLING OR VENTILATING PLANTS OR OTHER EQUIPMENT, OR THE SUPPLY OF AND MATERIALS FOR SUCH PROJECTS, PURSUANT TO A CONTRACT WITH THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR WHICH BIDS WERE SOLICITED ON OR AFTER JUNE 6, 2001.</p> <p>B. "STEEL PRODUCTS" MEANS PRODUCTS ROLLED, FORMED, SHAPED, DRAWN, EXTRUDED, FORGED, CAST, FABRICATED OR OTHERWISE SIMILARLY PROCESSED, O PROCESSED BY A COMBINATION OF TWO OR MORE OF SUCH OPERATIONS, FROM STEEL MADE BY THE OPEN HEARTH, BASIC OXYGEN, ELECTRIC FURNACE, BESSEMER OR OTHER STEEL MAKING PROCESS.</p> <p>C. "UNITED STATES" MEANS THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND INCLUDES ALL TERRITORY, CONTINENTAL OR INSULAR, SUBJECT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES.</p> <p>2. THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION MAY, IN WRITING, AUTHORIZE THE USE OF FOREIGN STEEL</p>						

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<p>PRODUCTS IF:</p> <p>A. THE COST FOR EACH CONTRACT ITEM USED DOES NOT EXCEED ONE TENTH OF ONE PERCENT (.1%) OF THE TOTAL CONTRACT COST OR TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (2,500.00), WHICHEVER IS GREATER. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE COST IS THE VALUE OF THE STEEL PRODUCT AS DELIVERED TO THE PROJECT OR,</p> <p>B. THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION DETERMINES THAT SPECIFIED STEEL MATERIALS ARE NOT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES IN SUFFICIENT QUANTITY OR OTHERWISE ARE NOT REASONABLY AVAILABLE TO MEET CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS.</p> <p>3. A CONTRACTOR WHO USES STEEL PRODUCTS IN VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL PENALTIES PURSUANT TO WV CODE SECTION 5A-3-56.</p> <p>REV. 10/01/01</p> <p>EXHIBIT 7</p> <p>DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS & STEEL IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS</p> <p>IN ACCORDANCE WITH WEST VIRGINIA CODE 5-19-1 ET., SEQ., EVERY CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, IMPROVEMENT OR MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC WORKS, WHERE THE COST IS MORE THAN \$50,000 AND, IN THE CASE OF STEEL ONLY, WHERE THE COST OF STEEL IS MORE THAN \$50,000 OR WHERE MORE THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE REQUIRED, THE STATE WILL ACCEPT ONLY ALUMINUM GLASS, OR STEEL PRODUCTS PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES</p>						

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<p>IN ADDITION, ITEMS OF MACHINERY OR EQUIPMENT PURCHASED FOR USE AT THE SITE OF PUBLIC WORKS SHALL BE MADE OF DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL, UNLESS THE COST OF THE PRODUCT IS LESS THAN \$50,000 OR LESS THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE USED IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.</p> <p>FOREIGN MADE ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS MAY BE ACCEPTED ONLY IF THE COST OF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS IS FOUND TO BE UNREASONABLE. SUCH COST IS UNREASONABLE IF IT IS 20% OR MORE HIGHER THAN THE BID PRICE FOR FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS. IF THE DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS TO BE SUPPLIED OR PRODUCED IN A "SUBSTANTIAL LABOR SURPLUS AREA", AS DEFINED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FOREIGN PRODUCTS MAY BE SUPPLIED ONLY IF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS ARE 30% OR MORE HIGHER IN PRICE THAN THE FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS.</p> <p>IF, PRIOR TO THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT UNDER THE ABOVE PROVISIONS, THE SPENDING OFFICER OF THE SPENDING UNIT DETERMINES THAT THERE EXISTS A BID FOR LIKE FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL THAT IS REASONABLE AND LOWER THAN THE LOWEST BID DOMESTIC PRODUCTS, THE SPENDING OFFICE MAY REQUEST, IN WRITING, A REEVALUATION AND REDUCTION IN THE LOWEST BID FOR SUCH DOMESTIC PRODUCTS ALL VENDORS MUST INDICATE IN THEIR BID IF THEY ARE SUPPLYING FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL.</p> <p>REV. 3/88</p> <p>EXHIBIT 9</p> <p>NOTICE FOR ISSUANCE & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA</p> <p>THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER AND/OR AGENCY SHALL BE REQUIRED TO ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE IN ISSUING</p>						

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<p>CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA FOR STATE AGENCIES:</p> <p>(1) THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL PREPARE THE ADDENDUM AND A LIST OF ALL PARTIES THAT HAVE PROCURED DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PROJECT. THE ADDENDUM AND LIST SHALL BE FORWARDED TO THE BUYER IN THE STATE PURCHASING DIVISION. THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL ALSO SEND A COPY OF THE ADDENDUM TO THE STATE AGENCY FOR WHICH THE CONTRACT IS ISSUED.</p> <p>(2) THE BUYER SHALL SEND THE ADDENDUM TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND, IF NECESSARY, EXTEND THE BID OPENING DATE. ANY ADDENDUM SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY THE BUYER WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING DATE.</p> <p>(3) ALL ADDENDA SHOULD BE FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGED BY ALL BIDDERS AND SUBMITTED TO THE STATE PURCHASING DIVISION. THE SAME RULES AND REGULATIONS THAT APPLY TO THE ORIGINAL BIDDING DOCUMENT SHALL ALSO APPLY TO AN ADDENDUM DOCUMENT. THE ONLY EXCEPTION MAY BE FOR AN ADDENDUM THAT IS ISSUED FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF CHANGING A BID OPENING TIME AND/OR DATE.</p> <p>REV. 11/96</p> <p>EXHIBIT 10</p> <p>ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT ✓ DEP14145</p> <p>I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING CHECKED ADDENDUM(S) AND HAVE MADE THE NECESSARY REVISIONS TO MY PROPOSAL, PLANS AND/OR SPECIFICATION, ETC.</p>						

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I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO CONFIRM THE RECEIPT OF THE ADDENDUM(S) MAY BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF THE BIDS.						
VENDOR MUST CLEARLY UNDERSTAND THAT ANY VERBAL REPRESENTATION MADE OR ASSUMED TO BE MADE DURING ANY ORAL DISCUSSION HELD BETWEEN VENDOR'S REPRESENTATIVES AND ANY STATE PERSONNEL IS NOT BINDING. ONLY THE INFORMATION ISSUED IN WRITING AND ADDED TO THE SPECIFICATIONS BY AN OFFICIAL ADDENDUM IS BINDING.						
<p>..... <i>Tim R. Waddell</i> SIGNATURE</p> <p>..... <i>Cowgirl Up Inc.</i> COMPANY</p> <p>..... <i>1-23-08</i> DATE</p>						
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ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO ATTENTION OF
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 OFFICE OF SPECIAL RECLAMATION
 105 S. RAILROAD STREET
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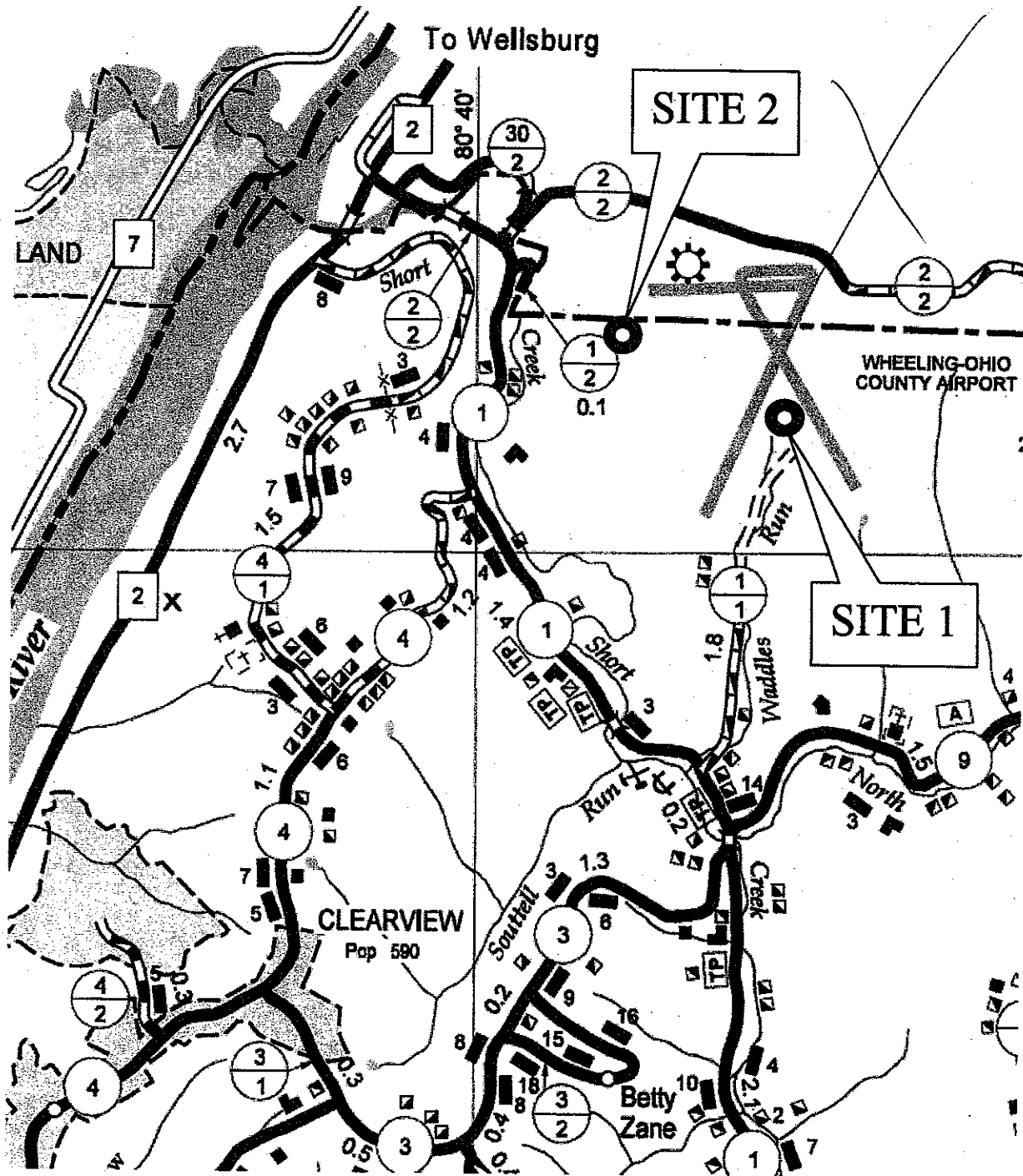
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				DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION BUILDING 15 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305-0130		
THE BID SHOULD CONTAIN THIS INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THE ENVELOPE OR THE BID MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED: SEALED BID BUYER: CB-23 REQ. NO.: DEP14145 BID OPENING DATE: 01/16/2008 BID OPENING TIME: 1:30 P.M. PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID: ----- 304 739 4397 ----- PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON TO CONTACT CONCERNING THIS QUOTE: TINA R. Wooddell -----						

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS

SIGNATURE	<i>Tina R. Wooddell</i>	TELEPHONE	304 739 4397	DATE	1-23-08
	TITLE		President		FAX

WHEN RESPONDING TO RFQ, INSERT NAME AND ADDRESS IN SPACE ABOVE LABELED 'VENDOR'

WV Energy, Inc., Permits S-1012-87 & S-20-83



From Wheeling travel North on Route 2. Follow Airport signs. Turn East onto State Route 1. Turn left onto County Route 2/2. Turn right into the airport parking lot for SITE 1.

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SCOPE OF WORK

The successful bidder shall provide appropriate equipment, materials, labor and any technical services needed for the successful reclamation of West Virginia Energy Inc., Permits: S-20-83 & S-1012-87 and any disturbance associated with such operation. The General Performance Standards (GPS) shall apply to all items in Scope of Work.

Work necessary on this site will include the following items, but is not limited to these:

1. Upon mobilization to the site, which will be directed in a written Notice to Proceed, the access roads shall be developed in accordance with bid item # 3.0. If, fuel and lubricants are to be stored on site, bid item # 2.0 shall be in place before fuel is delivered. Project sign is to be obtained and installed.
2. Storm water management in the form as described in bid item # 10.0 & 14.0 & shall be installed (described locations).
3. Backfill is required for areas designated at the pre-bid meeting. Regrading and topsoiling is required for areas designated at the pre-bid meeting. Revegetation and soil improvements are required for all disturbed areas. Reclamation is to be according to the attached specifications, plans, and clarifying discussions at the Pre-Bid Conference.
4. Pond and diversion ditch elimination.
5. Construct riprap ditches and install culvert with animal guard.
6. Vegetative enhancement with seed, lime, fertilizer, and mulch.
7. Airport security shall be maintained at all time during the elimination of any pond or ditch inside the airport security fence.
8. Any other site specific items required.

I, David B. McCoy, the undersigned, hereby certify¹ that this Reclamation Plan is correct and shows to the best of my knowledge and belief all the information required by the surface mining laws of the State of West Virginia. The source of information was the approved mining and reclamation plan contained in the forfeited surface mine permit, existing site conditions and information contained in the WV DEP, Inspection and Enforcement files.

JBS
11/6/07

David B. McCoy

Registered Professional Engineer WV No. 14375



Date: 10-25-07

¹ The term "certify" as used herein is defined as follows: An engineer's certification of conditions is a declaration of professional judgment. It does not constitute a warranty or guarantee, either expressed or implied.

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1.0	LUMP SUM	MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION/PROJECT SIGN (5% Total Bid Maximum for this permit)	LUMP SUM	\$ 12,250 ⁰⁰
2.0	LUMP SUM	SPILL CONTAINMENT AREA (S.C.A.) (\$1,000.00 Maximum Bid for this permit)	LUMP SUM	\$ 1,000 ⁰⁰
3.0	2000 LF	HAULROAD/ACCESS ROAD UPGRADE	\$ 26 ⁰⁰ PER LF	\$ 52,000 ⁰⁰
4.0	150 TON	INCIDENTAL #1 STONE FOR ROAD UPGRADE	\$ 45 ⁰⁰ PER TON	\$ 6,750 ⁰⁰
5.0	22.0 AC	REGRADEING AND TOPSOILING	\$ 2,450 ⁰⁰ PER ACRE	\$ 53,900 ⁰⁰
6.0	REVEGETATION			
6.1	22.0 AC	AGRICULTURAL LIME	\$ 178 ⁰⁰ PER ACRE	\$ 3,916 ⁰⁰
6.2	22.0 AC	FERTILIZER	\$ 325 ⁰⁰ PER ACRE	\$ 7,150 ⁰⁰
6.3	22.0 AC	MULCH	\$ 700 ⁰⁰ PER ACRE	\$ 15,400 ⁰⁰
6.4	22.0 AC	VEGETATIVE SPECIES	\$ 236 ⁰⁰ PER ACRE	\$ 5,192 ⁰⁰
7.0	600 LF	RIPRAP DITCH	\$ 68 ⁰⁰ PER LF	\$ 40,800 ⁰⁰

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8.0	NO BID ITEM	<u>UTILITIES</u>	NO BID ITEM	
9.0	LUMP SUM	<u>CLEAR AND GRUB</u>	LUMP SUM	\$ <u>34,500</u>
10.0	<u>3,900</u> LF	<u>HAYBALE DIKE</u> (Max. Bid \$5.00 Per LF)	\$ <u>5.00</u> PER LF	\$ <u>19,500</u>
TOTAL PERMIT <u>S-1012-87</u>				\$ <u>252,358</u>

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BID ITEM TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

1.0 MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION/PROJECT SIGN PROJECT SIGN

A project sign shall be obtained or manufactured and installed as indicated on the attached specifications and details. Payment for this sign shall be incidental to the mobilization item. No separate payment will be made.

MOBILIZATION

This work shall consist of the performance of construction preparatory operations, including the movement of personnel, equipment and other facilities to the project site necessary to begin work on a substantial phase of the contract.

DEMOBILIZATION

Prior to demobilization, an inspection shall be conducted by the Department of Environmental Protection and the contractor to insure compliance with contract performance. Once compliance is ascertained, demobilization activities can be initiated and completed. Demobilization shall be totally completed before the invoice for payment shall be processed.

PAYMENT

The lump sum bid for this item shall not exceed 5% of the total bid for this permit. Payment shall be made in two 50% amounts, one upon completion of the mobilization and project sign items and the second payment at the completion of demobilization. No deduction shall be made nor shall any increase be made in the lump sum item amount, regardless of decreases or increases in the final total contract amount or any other reason.

2.0 SPILL CONTAINMENT AREA (S.C.A.)

Spill containment measures shall be used for fuel and lubricant storage areas. All containers, barrels, buckets, cans, etc., are to be legally disposed of off site. Used lubricants are to be disposed of according to state law to minimize pollution to the local surface and ground water supplies. Spills are the responsibility of the contractor and need immediate clean up and maintained at no expense to the State. This S.C.A. shall be constructed in accordance with the typical drawing specification. (See Attachment) Alternate containment measures will be considered for approval by the Program Manager if acceptable results can be shown. Fuel tanks manufactured with secondary containment are desirable. Minimum secondary containment is 110 percent. (Bid limited to \$1,000.00 maximum)

3.0 HAULROAD/ACCESS ROAD UPGRADE

The contractor shall maintain and/or construct haulroad/access road(s) during the reclamation process to provide access on a well drained surface. Plan to upgrade the existing access road to the specifications and details as indicated in the Upgrade Access Road drawing. The access road on the reclamation site shall be graded, sloped, and maintained to drain to provide a road surface free of excessive mud and standing waters at all times while work is in progress. After placement of any incidental base stone (separate bid item), a three (3) inch layer of 1 ½ crusher run limestone shall be placed on the roadway. Dust-control measures may be necessary if hauling creates airborne material. Snow removal is to be included in this item.

4.0 INCIDENTAL #1 STONE FOR ROAD UPGRADE

During construction of culvert installations, roadway ditch improvements, and reshaping of the roadway, areas may need additional base layer stone. After any necessary re-compaction and re-grading work on roadways has been performed by the contractor, a six (6) inch layer of #1 limestone (3.5" to 1.5" size) shall be placed as needed. This stone shall be graded and tracked in with a dozer or other equipment to achieve a compacted base for the final top layer of 1 ½ inch crusher run limestone (separate bid item). Payment shall be paid per ton of stone applied by weight ticket and will be made at completion of all work and acceptance by DEP.

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5.0 REGRADING AND TOPSOILING

Concurrent regrading and topsoiling shall immediately follow backfilling and shall distribute topsoil or the best available material to support vegetation, as identified by the Department of Environmental Protection contact person, on the surface of the backfill in a smooth, uniform manner. This item shall include the elimination of all rills and gullies, the construction of sediment control sumps, the removal of sediment control sumps, the grading of spoil and/or fill materials. Surface shall be free of all rock exceeding six (6) inches in diameter and shall be tracked, track to track. Topsoil presently stockpiled on site shall be preserved and spread on the fill surface. In the absence of stockpiled topsoil, material which can be used as a topsoil substitute shall be identified, segregated, and stockpiled for spreading on the surface. If necessary to manufacture fines, mechanical treatment to pulverize the surface layer shall be required. Regrading and topsoiling shall be conducted prior to and in preparation for the revegetation item.

6.0 REVEGETATION

The actual seeding date, within the work performance period, shall be at the discretion of the contractor, but a permanent vegetative cover must be established. Verification of materials used shall be required for payment. Seed bed preparation, unless otherwise approved, shall be conducted by industrial disks or tracking with heavy equipment with cleat marks across slope and parallel to the final contours. The surface shall be tracked, track to track. Seeding shall commence after seedbed preparation on a loose and uncompacted soil and with the approval of the Department of Environmental Protection. Contractor shall provide equipment as necessary to secure approval of the seedbed. Revegetation activities shall be carried out in a continuous, concurrent, timely and uniform manner. Failure to do this may result in nonpayment for portions of or the entire Revegetation item. Hydroseeding or broadcast seeding with the approved species is acceptable. The application rate may be increased but the ratio is to remain constant, but no additional monetary compensation will be awarded. Areas outside the limits of construction, disturbed by the contractor, shall be revegetated by the contractor at no expense to DEP. Water utilized for hydroseeding shall be free of injurious or other toxic substances harmful to plant life. The source of water is subject to the approval of the DEP Specialist. It shall be the vendor's responsibility to repeat the procedures under REVEGETATION until a permanent vegetation is established. The acreage quantities in this contract are for bidding purposes only.

A warranty period of one (1) year shall commence upon completion and payment of the revegetation item of the contract. No payment will be made for additional seeding necessary to comply with warranty requirements. The warranty period will be extended for one (1) year from the date of the last augmented seeding done by the contractor. The performance bond and labor and materials bond shall remain in effect throughout the warranty period. The Standards for Evaluating Vegetative Cover as presented in Title 38, CSR2, Section 9 of the West Virginia Surface Mining Reclamation Regulations will apply.

Equipment for the retracking/scarification to eliminate rills and gullies shall be mobilized and utilized to produce slopes consistent with the regrading and topsoiling bid item prior to warranty reseeding. No additional payment will be made by DEP for this warranty work.

6.1 AGRICULTURAL LIME

Unless otherwise specified, all lime used shall be registered with the West Virginia Department of Agriculture, have an 85% minimum calcium carbonate equivalent, and meet the fineness classification no larger than that for ground lime. The following fineness classifications or combinations of lime are acceptable:

- Pulverized - 100% passing a U.S. Standard 20 mesh sieve
 - 70% passing a U.S. Standard 100 mesh sieve
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 - 50% passing a U.S. Standard 60 mesh sieve

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- 35% passing a U.S. Standard 100 mesh sieve

Use of blends and low-grade agricultural liming materials shall require prior approval. Lime shall be spread as soon as possible after delivery to site. Lime shall be applied evenly and uniformly distributed over the treated area. Lime shall be thoroughly mixed into the soil material. Lime subjected to adverse conditions before spreading will be deemed unacceptable. Failure to complete this phase shall result in nonpayment of this bid item.

Lime shall be applied at 5 ton/acre.

6.2 FERTILIZER

Fertilizer rates given for REVEGETATION are for 1,000 lbs. of 10-20-20 per acre. These rates are minimum and for bidding purposes.

Fertilizer shall be applied evenly and uniformly distributed over the treated area. Common complete fertilizers which meet the minimum standards are acceptable.

6.3 MULCH

Acceptable mulch for this project is wood fiber, hay, or straw.

Mulch: Wood Fiber @ 1.0 ton/Acre

Hay or straw mulch may be substituted at a rate of 2 tons/Acre

6.4 VEGETATIVE SPECIES

Seeding rate required is for pure live seed (pls) in pounds per acre. The use of annuals or cover crops will not be considered for vegetative success.

NORTH MIX

<u>VEGETATIVE SPECIES</u> ¹	<u>RATE/ACRE</u> ¹
Orchard Grass	@ 15 lbs/acre
Birdsfoot Trefoil ²	@ 15 lbs/acre
Yellow Sweet Clover	@ 5 lbs/acre
Red Clover	@ 10 lbs/acre
Ky 31 Fescue	@ 15 lbs/acre
Foxtail Millet ³	@ 12 lbs/acre
Wheat or Rye ⁴	@ 50 lbs/acre

1. Seeding rate suggested is for pure live seed (pls) in pounds per acre.
2. Herbaceous legumes must be treated with the appropriate bacterium before seeding.
3. Spring mix.
4. Fall mix.

7.0 RIPRAP DITCH

Provide all materials, excavate and construct ditch or channel as indicated on the attached typical plans, cross-section, specifications, and as discussed at the Pre-Bid Showing. Channels and ditches shall be free draining upon completion of construction. Length of channel may be adjusted to meet on site conditions. (See riprap specifications) R-5 limestone riprap shall be used at a thickness of 1 ½ feet. The top width of the ditch shall be four

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(4) feet.

8.0 UTILITIES

Utilities shall be relocated at the direction of the utility company and reimbursed actual cost to the contractor. This is a "No Bid" item due to the method of reimbursement. It is the contractor's responsibility to determine the exact location of each utility in the project area where these utilities would be interrupted or damaged by performing work.

9.0 CLEAR AND GRUB

All vegetative cover (trees, shrubs, bushes etc.) within the entire work area shall be removed to bare ground. It is the contractor's responsibility to obtain all necessary permits and to follow state guidelines for burning and proper disposal of vegetative materials. Disposal of the trees and shrubs on-site with a chipper is an acceptable alternative to burning. It is imperative that the contractor in conjunction with the on-site DEP representative cooperates with the landowner to identify construction limits and property lines. Any timber cut in the clear and grub area that the landowner wishes to retain shall be de-limbed and stockpiled. The areas that will be included in the clearing are all ponds, ditches, and the clearing limits needed to complete the work called for in these specifications.

10.0 HAYBALE DIKE

Disturbed areas which have storm water runoff which does not pass through a sediment control structure shall utilize the following method to manage storm water runoff: Max. Bid of \$5.00/LF of Hay Bale Dike.

1. All bales shall be placed on the contour.
2. Bales shall be placed in a row with ends tightly abutting the adjacent bales.
3. Bales shall be securely anchored in place by stakes or rebars driven through the bales. Rebar to be removed at the direction of DEP. The first stake in each bale shall be driven toward previously laid bale to force the bales together. Construction of sediment control sumps and/or rock check dams may become necessary to supplement the hay bale dikes, and shall be incidental to this bid item.

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16.0	20 LF	<u>HDPE CULVERT 24" DIAMETER</u>	\$ 100 ⁰⁰ PER LF	\$ 2,000 ⁰⁰
TOTAL PERMIT S-20-83				\$ 67,642 ⁰⁰
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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Purchasing Division

PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a states: No contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and the debt owed is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate

DEFINITIONS:

"Debt" means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium, penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions, including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon.

"Debtor" means any individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association owing a debt to the state or any of its political subdivisions. "Political subdivision" means any county commission; municipality; county board of education; any instrumentality established by a county or municipality; any separate corporation or instrumentality established by one or more counties or municipalities, as permitted by law; or any public body charged by law with the performance of a government function or whose jurisdiction is coextensive with one or more counties or municipalities. "Related party" means a party, whether an individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever, related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceed five percent of the total contract amount.

EXCEPTION: The prohibition of this section does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of this code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement.

LICENSING: Vendors must be licensed and in good standing in accordance with any and all state and local laws and requirements by any state or local agency of West Virginia, including, but not limited to, the West Virginia Secretary of State's Office, the West Virginia Tax Department, West Virginia Insurance Commission, or any other state agencies or political subdivision. Furthermore, the vendor must provide all necessary releases to obtain information to enable the Director or spending unit to verify that the vendor is licensed and in good standing with the above entities.

CONFIDENTIALITY: The vendor agrees that he or she will not disclose to anyone, directly or indirectly, any such personally identifiable information or other confidential information gained from the agency, unless the individual who is the subject of the information consents to the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is made pursuant to the agency's policies, procedures and rules. Vendors should visit www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy for the Notice of Agency Confidentiality Policies.

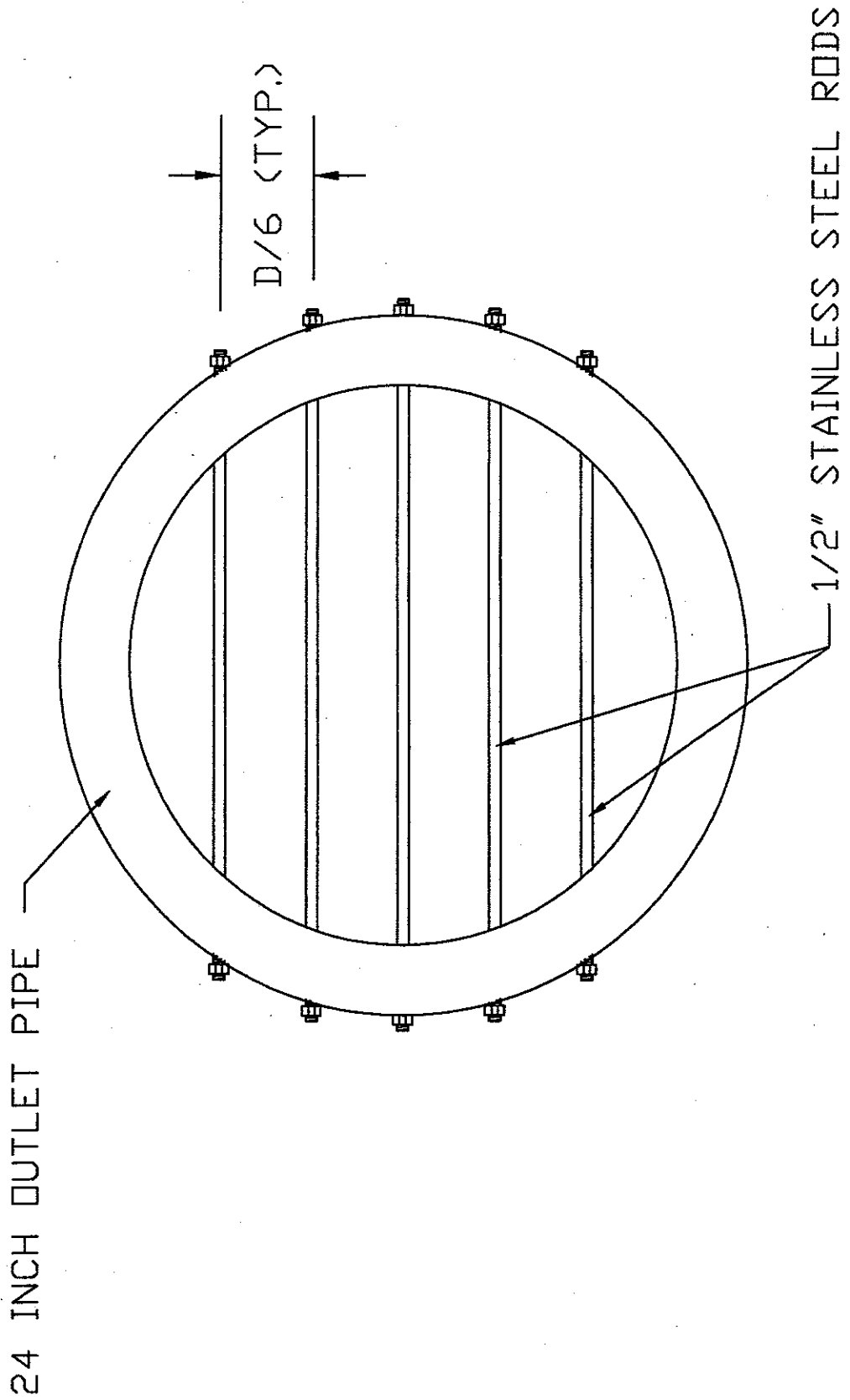
Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), it is hereby certified that the vendor acknowledges the information in this said affidavit and are in compliance with the requirements as stated.

Vendor's Name: COWGIRL UP INC.

Authorized Signature: Mark Woodder Date: 1-23-08

ANIMAL GUARD DETAIL

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BID BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, Cowgirl Up, Inc.
P. O. Box 243, Simpson, WV, as Principal, and
Ohio Farmers Insurance Company of P. O. Box 5001, Westfield Center, OH 44251
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, with its principal office in the
City of Westfield Center, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto The State of West Virginia, as Obligee,
in the penal sum of Five Percent of Bid (\$ 5%) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made,
we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing
Section of the Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter
into a contract in writing for
DEP 14145 West Virginia Energy, Inc.

Brooke County
NOW, THEREFORE,

- (a) If said bid shall be rejected, or
- (b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a contract in accordance with the bid or
proposal attached hereto and shall furnish any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in
all other respects perform the agreement created by the acceptance of said bid,

then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in full force and effect. It is expressly
understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event, exceed the
penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the obligations of said Surety and its bond
shall be in no way impaired or affected by any extension of the time within which the Obligee may accept such bid;
and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Principal and Surety have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them as are
corporations have caused their corporate seals to be affixed hereto and these presents to be signed by their proper
officers, this 16th day of January, 2008

Principal Corporate Seal

Cowgirl Up, Inc.
(Name of Principal)
By Mark Wadde
(Must be President or Vice President)
President
Title

Surety Corporate Seal

Ohio Farmers Insurance Company
(Name of Surety)

By [Signature]
Attorney-In-Fact

IMPORTANT -- Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance. Corporate seals
must be affixed, a power of attorney must be attached, and a West Virginia resident agent must sign or countersign.

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY SUPERCEDES ANY PREVIOUS POWER BEARING THIS SAME POWER # AND ISSUED PRIOR TO 08/31/06, FOR ANY PERSON OR PERSONS NAMED BELOW.

POWER NO. 4752401 01

General
Power
of Attorney

Westfield Insurance Co.
Westfield National Insurance Co.
Ohio Farmers Insurance Co.
Westfield Center, Ohio

CERTIFIED COPY

Know All Men by These Presents, That WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY, WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY, corporations, hereinafter referred to individually as a "Company" and collectively as "Companies," duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, and having its principal office in Westfield Center, Medina County, Ohio, do by these presents make, constitute and appoint

A. L. STANCHINA, C. DAVID THOMAS, RICHARD L. HIGGINBOTHAM, JANET CANTERBURY, ROSEANN B. DYE, BUNNIE MARIE PERRINE, JEFFERY O'DELL, ROBIN M. HUBBARD-SHERROD, JOINTLY OR SEVERALLY

of **CHARLESTON** and State of **WV** its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred in its name, place and stead, to execute, acknowledge and deliver any and all bonds, undertakings, and recognizances; provided, however, that the penal sum of any one such instrument executed hereunder shall not exceed FIVE MILLION DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$5,000,000)----

LIMITATION: THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY CANNOT BE USED TO EXECUTE NOTE GUARANTEE, MORTGAGE DEFICIENCY, MORTGAGE GUARANTEE, OR BANK DEPOSITORY BONDS.

and to bind any of the Companies thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds were signed by the President, sealed with the corporate seal of the applicable Company and duly attested by its Secretary, hereby ratifying and confirming all that the said Attorney(s)-in-Fact may do in the premises. Said appointment is made under and by authority of the following resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of each of the WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY, WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY:

"Be It Resolved, that the President, any Senior Executive, any Secretary or any Fidelity & Surety Operations Executive or other Executive shall be and is hereby vested with full power and authority to appoint any one or more suitable persons as Attorney(s)-in-Fact to represent and act for and on behalf of the Company subject to the following provisions:

The Attorney-in-Fact, may be given full power and authority for and in the name of and on behalf of the Company, to execute, acknowledge and deliver, any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts, agreements of indemnity and other conditional or obligatory undertakings and any and all notices and documents canceling or terminating the Company's liability thereunder, and any such instruments so executed by any such Attorney-in-Fact shall be as binding upon the Company as if signed by the President and sealed and attested by the Corporate Secretary."

"Be it Further Resolved, that the signature of any such designated person and the seal of the Company heretofore or hereafter affixed to any power of attorney or any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any power of attorney or certificate bearing facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached." (Each adopted at a meeting held on February 8, 2000).

In Witness Whereof, WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY, WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY have caused these presents to be signed by their Senior Executive and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed this 31st day of **AUGUST** A.D., 2006 .

Corporate
Seals
Affixed



WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY
WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY
OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY

By: *Richard L. Kinnaird, Jr.*
Richard L. Kinnaird, Jr., Senior Executive

State of Ohio
County of Medina ss.:

On this 31st day of **AUGUST** A.D., 2006 , before me personally came **Richard L. Kinnaird, Jr.** to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he resides in **Medina, Ohio**; that he is **Senior Executive** of WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY, WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY, the companies described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seals of said Companies; that the seals affixed to said instrument are such corporate seals: that they were so affixed by order of the Boards of Directors of said Companies; and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

Notarial
Seal
Affixed



William J. Kahelin
William J. Kahelin, Attorney at Law, Notary Public
My Commission Does Not Expire (Sec. 147.03 Ohio Revised Code)

State of Ohio
County of Medina ss.:

I, **Frank A. Carrino**, Secretary of WESTFIELD INSURANCE COMPANY, WESTFIELD NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and OHIO FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney, executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect; and furthermore, the resolutions of the Boards of Directors, set out in the Power of Attorney are in full force and effect.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies at Westfield Center, Ohio, this 16th day of **January** A.D., 2008 .



Frank A. Carrino
Frank A. Carrino, Secretary