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All offers subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation

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Interior and Exterior Door Replacement EOI-Design CEOI 0603 ADJ150000005



May 14, 2015



Department of Administration, Purchasing Division 2019 Washington Street, East Charleston, WV 25305-0130

RE: Interior and Exterior Door Replacement EOI-Design CEOI 0603 ADJ150000005

Dear Selection Committee:

The Thrasher Group appreciates the opportunity to submit our qualifications for the interior and exterior door replacements. Our company is fortunate to have a wide range of talents that are ideal for this type of project. Our understanding of the intricacies involved with door replacement projects and our proximity to the project location will be a tremendous benefit to the Army National Guard.

We are confident that we are the right firm for the project and will utilize the same project management principles that have been successful on other similar projects. With this said, it is imperative that your facilities remain in excellent condition. In order to guarantee this, regular maintenance is necessary to prevent deterioration over time. That's where Thrasher comes in. We specialize in renovation projects similar to this and will work with your team to make sure these armories look great for years to come.

We are looking forward to sharing our knowledge and experience with the Army National Guard. We've carefully and concisely responded to your request and assembled a familiar group of professionals to meet your project needs.

Sincerely,

THE THRASHER GROUP, INC.

CRAIG BAKER, AAIA, CEFP Principal-in-Charge

The Thrasher Group, Inc.

In 1983, a young engineer with an entrepreneurial spirit and his father, a seasoned engineer with more than 40 years of experience, joined forces to start a civil engineering firm focused on public utility infrastructure in North Central West Virginia. With a commitment to building business through "successful projects and repeat clientele", H. Wood Thrasher, PE and the late Henry A. Thrasher, PE – both graduates of West Virginia University - formed Thrasher Engineering, Incorporated in Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Since that time, Woody Thrasher has grown the company, now know as The Thrasher Group, Inc., into West Virginia's largest privately-owned architectural and engineering firm, and one of the leading A/E firms in the Mid-Atlantic region.

Publicly funded water and wastewater projects were the backbone of the company, and continue to be a large part of its engineering division. Survey, construction monitoring, and inspection services departments were added in the early years of the company to support those projects.

While keeping an eye on the changing marketplace, Mr. Thrasher expanded the company's areas of engineering to include site development for both public and private clientele, and provided design services for transportation including roadways, bridges and airports.

Based upon Thrasher's success with site development and engineering design services, architectural



design was added to Thrasher's everexpanding scope of services at the urging of their clients. The latest complement to the Architecture Division are master planning and landscape architecture.

Thrasher has grown from its original three employees to a current staff of nearly 350 and continues to prosper. Instilled in each employee is a commitment to maintaining the highest standards of professional service; a tribute to the founders' initial philosophy of

"Successful Projects and Repeat Clientele."

Main Point of Contact:

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The Thrasher Group, Inc.

With multi-discipline capabilities, Thrasher cover all of the professional services needed to deliver successful projects to both public and private clientele. The firms' roots were planted in civil engineering and consulting services for public utility projects. Over the years, our success has allowed us to branch out, expanding our services to meet both the needs of our clients and the growing need for more responsive and effective solutions.

By providing a full range of quality professional engineering, surveying, architectural, environmental and related field services, this partnership has positioned itself as one of the leading consulting teams in the Mid-Atlantic region.

Disciplinary Practices :

- Architecture
- Facility Planning
- Civil Engineering
- Water Treatment and Distribution
- Wastewater Collection and Treatment
- Land & Site Development
- Roadways / Bridges /Streetscapes
- Storm Water Systems
- Dams and Levees
- Land Planning and Landscape
- Parks and Recreation
- Survey
- Construction Monitoring
- Materials Testing
- Environmental Services
- Pipeline Inspection
- GIS Mapping Software Development

Areas of Service:

- Planning
- Preliminary engineering
- Funding direction & application assistance
- Regulatory permitting
- Design and construction document preparation
- Bid documentation & process oversight
- Construction administration & monitoring
- Post construction service & on-going commitment
- Cost estimating

Successful projects require more from an engineering firm than just technical design expertise. At Thrasher, our project managers and engineers focus on all aspects of "getting the job done."



Project Approach

Thrasher's project philosophy is very simple: we develop *long-term relationships*.

This fundamental business practice is what drives us to pursue opportunities where we get to work on meaningful projects such as the Armories door replacements. We use our perfected project management method to provide our clients with exceptional service and award winning projects that not only improve communities but provide peace of mind that your facilities will stand the test of time.

Thrasher believes there is significant value in maintaining existing structures. Our reputation of completing projects that enhance communities and urban environments is an important part of what we do. We hope the Division of Engineering and Facilities chooses to work closely with us on the completion of the door replacements at multiple armories because this will guarantee a successful outcome.





Project Approach

Mr. Kenton Blackwood will serve as your project manager. Mr. Blackwood brings his nearly 35 years of experience to the Thrasher team. Helping Kenton oversee this project will be Craig Baker. Craig has worked with the State of West Virginia in the past on several successful projects and will be heavily involved from a quality control perspective to ensure all your needs are met.

The combined teams first-hand knowledge of the intricacies involved with door replacement projects will make these project seamless and less burdensome on the State. The following steps will be used by our team throughout the projects.

- **Step 1.** The first step will be to introduce the project team. Our highly qualified team of professionals will be available at all times to the Army National Guard through the completion of replacements.
- **Step 2.** The second step will be refine the project scope. Our team will spend the required time to nail down your exact needs.



Step 3. The third step will be to establish a detailed project time-line. The step will consist of determining a schedule that is least disruptive to the day to day activities at the various armories.

Step 4. The fourth step will be to complete bidding documents and obtain competitive bids within our project budget.

Step 5. The fifth step in our project approach consists of staying involved until the post project reviews are complete.

Our goal is to make these projects as seamless as possible for you and your staff.

We know how to get renovation projects done in a *timely* and *cost effective* manner!



Project Team

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION



KENTON BLACKWOOD, AAIA Project Manager

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LEE GUSTAFSON, AIA Lead Architect

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JEFF ROBERTS, AAIA Construction Manager Estimator **TOWER ENGINEERING** Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing



Craig Baker, AAIA Principal-In-Charge



Mr. Baker has extensive experience in designing, renovating and planning building additions for academic clients. Mr. Baker has designed, managed and completed many projects during his tenure at Thrasher. He has a vast knowledge centered on the following: government buildings, sports complexes, administrative office space, classroom design, academic building expansion, residences, medical facilities and restaurants.

Craig is experienced in all CADD and building information modeling design programs relative to architecture. Craig has excellent client communication, coordination of construction, detailed construction document preparation, bidding, construction management and contract administration and is an experienced project manager.

Education:

- Bachelor of Science, Architectural Engineering Fairmont State University
- Advanced Certificate, Educational Facilities Plan San Diego State University

Affiliations/Certifications:

- American Institute of Architects
- Council of Educational Facilities Planner
- West Virginia Energy Services Coalition

- VA Building 7 Interior and Exterior Renovation Harrison County, West Virginia
- Camp Upshur Marine Corps Base, Quantico, VA Interior Upgrades- Prince
 William County, Virginia
- WV Board of Pharmacy New Office Renovations Harrison County, West Virginia
- North Central West Virginia KCI/V-1 Service Airport Renovations Harrison County, West Virginia
- Mason Dixon Energy Fit-Out Project Harrison County, West Virginia
- Marion County Health Department Interior and Exterior Renovations and Addition Marion County, West Virginia
- Boy Scouts of America Welcome Center- Fayette County, West Virginia





Kenton Blackwood, LEED AP, AAIA Project Manager



Kenton Blackwood has over 32 years of experience in the planning and design of various facilities throughout the state of West Virginia. He joined Thrasher in 2014 and serves as Project Manager within the Architecture Department. Mr. Blackwood is well-versed in site evaluation and design, building program evaluation, planning and design, construction document development and on-site construction observation.

Mr. Blackwood has an unsurpassed understanding of technological architectural media with his knowledge of vector-based 3D modeling and CAD applications. His proficiency with virtual-reality modeling allows Thrasher to take a client around and through a design, study different forms, lighting, color schemes and finishes to make revisions before the project begins.

Education:

• West Virginia University - Architectural curriculum

Affiliations/Certifications:

- LEED Accredited Professional
- Associate Member of American Institute of Architects

- Hutchinson House Historic Restoration (AIA Craftmanship Award Winner)-Marion County, West Virginia
- Cottrill's Opera House Tucker County, West Virginia
- Hennen Building Interior and Exterior Renovations Marion County, West Virginia
- Veterans Square Plaza and Parking Garage (AIA Award Winner) Marion County, West Virginia
- **Buxton-Landstreet Building Interior and Exterior Renovations** Tucker County, West Virginia





Lee Gustafson, AIA Lead Architect



Mr. Gustafson brings over 35 years of experience to the table in both design and architectural management. Lee has a diverse portfolio of work that spans all facets of architecture:

- Academic facilities
- Athletic complexes
- Healthcare facilities
- Government and community buildings
- Office buildings

- Senior centers
- Apartment complexes
- Religious buildings
- Industrial facilities
- Site development

Lee has a profound ability to take a client's vision and shape it into a project that is not only realistic, but is Eco-friendly and aesthetically pleasing. With his understanding of funding agencies and grant programs, Lee is able to provide funding alternatives that get projects under construction quick.

Education:

• Bachelors of Science, Architecture - University of Cincinnati

Registrations:

- American Institute of Architects (AIA)
 - State of West Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania

Affiliations/Certifications:

- West Virginia Society of Architects
- AIA Committee on Architecture for Education
- AIA Committee on Architecture for Health Care
- AIA Committee on Architecture for Justice
- SHPO Listed and Approved for Historic Preservation Work
- National Council of Architectural Registration Boards

- **Camp Upshur Marine Corps Base, Quantico, VA Interior Upgrades** Prince William County, Virginia
- **Fairmont State University Joe Retton Arena Renovation Project** Marion County, West Virginia
- Fairmont State University Hunt Haught Hall Interior and Exterior Renovations- Marion County, West Virginia
- **Fairmont State University Feaster Center Addition and Interior Renovations**-Marion County, West Virginia





Jeff Roberts, AAIA Construction Estimator



Jeff Roberts is an Associate AIA in the state of West Virginia. He joined Thrasher in 2009 following graduation from Fairmont State University. Currently, Jeff serves as project manager and construction estimator. His experience on-site and working directly alongside Contractors has given him an great understanding of project estimating.

Jeff specializes in client communication, project organization and design details of all types of architectural buildings. He has expertise in CADD design programs related to architecture. As Project Manager, Jeff holds the responsibility for per-design work, client communication, construction document coordination, project scheduling, and construction administration.

Education:

• Bachelor of Science, Architectural Engineering - Fairmont State University

Affiliations/Certifications:

• Associate Member of AIA (American Institute of Architects)

- **Clarksburg Harrison Regional Housing Authority Duplex Projects -** Harrison County, West Virginia
- Calhoun-Gilmer County Career Center Renovations Project- Calhoun County, West Virginia
- Marion County Health Department Renovations and Addition Marion County, West Virginia
- **Progress Centre II at White Oaks Business Park New Facility** Harrison County, West Virginia





Tower Engineering HVAC/Electrical Sub-Consultant

Tower Engineering was founded in 1931 and since that time has been continually serving clients in Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and New York. We are a multi-disciplined firm offering engineering services for the evaluation, design and construction administration of HVAC, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Electrical, and Telecommunications Systems. We have specialists on staff for lighting design, network design, energy management, fire alarm and building systems commissioning. Seven of our staff have earned LEED Accredited Professional Certification.

With twenty-six employees, including eleven registered professional engineers, Tower Engineering falls into the category of a medium-sized engineering firm. Unlike a small firm, our office can easily accommodate the rigorous design schedules of a major project without significant disruption. Unlike a large firm, Tower Engineering stresses active principal involvement on all projects and does not require the involvement of "middle-level" employees whose responsibility is to convey information between the client and design engineers.

Principal Location 15 Evergreen Heights Drive, Suite 400 Pittsburgh, PA 15229







Government Owned Facilities Tower Engineering

Tower Engineering has provided mechanical and electrical consulting engineering services for numerous government-owned facilities. With eight decades of experience, our firm knows the importance of meeting the client's needs without exceeding the project's budget. Thoroughly familiar with current government and military standards, our firm has provided engineering services for the following government agencies:

Federal Government

- William S. Moorhead Federal Office Building, PA
- Department of Labor Job Corps Center, PA
- Butler VA Hospital, PA
- Department of Labor Job CorpsMedical Center, PA.
- Army Corps of Engineers Lab, PA
- Army Corps of Engineers Neville Island, PA
- National Guard Readiness Center Connellsville, PA
- National Guard Stryker Center Cambridge Springs, PA
- National Guard Fairmont Readiness Center, WV
- Army Reserve Center Jane Lew, WV
- Army Reserve Center Clarksburg, WV
- IRS Liberty Center Tenant Fitup, PA
- INS Application Support Center, PA
- VA Medical Center Pittsburgh, PA (multiple)
- Department of Energy Records Storage, WV
- Department of Agriculture Lab, PA
- National Geospace Agency St. Louis, MO

State Government

- State Police Building, PA
- Capitol Building Welcome Center, PA
- Tygart Lake State Park Lodge Addition,WV
- Twin Falls Resort State Park Addition,WV
- DER Regional Offices, PA
- DER Lab Renovation, PA
- Ebensburg Center HVAC Renovation, PA
- Buckingman Protection Custody Facility, PA
- HRS Computer Room, PA
- Capitol Science & Cultural Center, WV
- Scotland School for Veterans Children, PA

Local Government

- Allegheny County Housing Authority, PA
- Beaver County Courthouse & Annex, PA
- Beaver County Ice Arena Renovations, PA
- Bethel Park Community Center, PA
- Cambridge Water Treatment Plant, OH
- City County Building Pittsburgh, PA
- City Hall Pittsburgh PA
- City of Pittsburgh EOC 911, PA
- City of Pittsburgh Warehouse, PA
- Public Auditorium Authority Civic Arena, PA
- Cranberry Township Municipal Complex, PA
- Dormont Pool Complex Feasibility Study, PA
- Eighth Avenue Streetscape Phase IV, PA
- Erie Senior Citizen's Center, PA
- Erie Veteran's Stadium Renovation, PA
- Fairmont Parking Garage, WV
- Fairmont Public Safety Building,WV
- Field Avenue Recreation Park, PA
- Franklin Park Municipal Building, PA
- Greater Pittsburgh International Airport, PA
- Greensburg County Building, PA
- Hampton Township Master Planning, PA
- Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh, PA
- Kennedy Township Park, PA
- Louis J. Tullio Convention Center Erie, PA
- New Stanton Water Treatment, PAx
- Penn Township Civic Center, PA
- Pittsburgh Parking Authority, PA
- South Strabane Township Municipal Building, PA
- Three Rivers Stadium Renovations, PA



THRASHER

US Army Reserve Centers Jane Lew, WV and Clarksburg, WV

Tower Engineering provided engineering services for the U.S. Army Reserve Training Center in Jane Lew,West Virginia. The Center provides a suitable facility for weekend and other intermittent training exercises of the Army Reserve.

At 7,400 SF, the facility includes offices, a large Assembly area, a full service Kitchen, Arms Storage, and supporting storage and mechanical areas. A separate Organizational Maintenance Shop Building (OMS) provides an enclosed garage area for maintenance operations on the various vehicles, an office, and tools and parts storage.

Tower Engineering also provided mechanical and electrical consulting engineering services for the construction of an 16,120 SF Training Building and 10,168 SF Organizational Maintenance Shop at the U.S. Army Reserve Center in Clarksburg, West Virginia. These facilities, as well as the buildings at Jane Lew,West Virginia, were designed in accordance with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' "Architectural and Engineering Instructions,Design Criteria."







Year Completed: 2008

Square Footage: 33,668





WVARNG Fairmont Armed Forces Reserve Center

Tower Engineering provided mechanical and electrical engineering services for the new WVARNG Fairmont Armed Forces Reserve Center in Fairmont, West Virginia. The building's Mechanical, Electrical and Fire Proofing Systems include many high efficiency features/systems as follows:

- Variable Air Volume HVAC System
- High Efficiency Heating Plant
- Variable Speed Pumping
- Carbon Dioxide Sensors for monitoring and control of ventilation air
- Heat Recovery for free preheat/precool of ventilation air
- Daylight Harvesting







Year Completed: 2013

Square Footage: 91,500

Total Construction Cost: \$25 Million





Pennsylvania National Guard Readiness Center

Tower Engineering provided mechanical/electrical engineering services for construction of a new 23,017 square foot armory at the Pennsylvania National Guard Readiness Center in Connellsville, Pennsylvania. This specially designed facility of permanent masonry type construction is constructed of brick and concrete block units with concrete floors, and a metal standing seamroof, including a one-story structure with mechanical and electrical equipment. The building contains offices, drill hall, classrooms, locker rooms, kitchen, toilets, storage, arms vault, Abrams Full-Crew Interactive Simulation Training ALIST Simulation Room, and maintenance training work-bays. Cost effective energy conserving features were incorporated into the design, including energy management control systems and high efficiency motors, lighting, and HVAC systems. **Year Completed:** 2005

Square Footage: 23,017

Total Construction Cost: \$4.1 Million









Stryker Brigade Combat Team Readiness Center & OMS

Tower Engineering provided engineering services for the design/build of a new 69,900 s.f. Readiness Center and 19,800 s.f. Organizational Maintenance Shop (OMS) for the Stryker Brigade Combat Team. These facilities provide spaces for training and housing of troops, as well as storage and maintenance of military vehicles and equipment. The center was constructed to replace outdated armories in Erie, Corry and Meadville. Sustainable design features were included in the design and construction of these facilities, with a goal of a SPiRiT rating of Gold. Design requirements included Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection(AT/FP).



Year Completed: 2008

Square Footage: 89,700

Total Construction Cost: \$19.6 Million









United States Marine Corps Camp Upshur Marine Core Base - Quantico, VA

QUANZIT STYLE BARRACKS:

33 Quanzit style barracks were renovated and are used for office space, housing and training rooms. The renovations to these facilities included exterior window replacement, new EPDM roofing, and new paint. For the interiors, all new walls were constructed, paint, new flooring, and updates to electrical and HVAC.



WAREHOUSE FACILITY:

Renovations to the warehouse facility, which was used for all on-site maintenance, included exterior façade upgrades such as new metal panels and entrance canopies, along with new windows. The interior renovations added new fire rated demising wall, sprinkler system, updated storage shelving, new lay in ceiling and lighting.







United States Marine Corps Camp Upshur Marine Core Base - Quantico, VA

BATH HOUSE:

Renovations to the on-site bath house and restroom facility included exterior painting, roofing, and windows. Interior upgrades were all new flooring, restroom and shower layouts, new fixtures, ceilings, lighting, and updated HVAC equipment as needed.





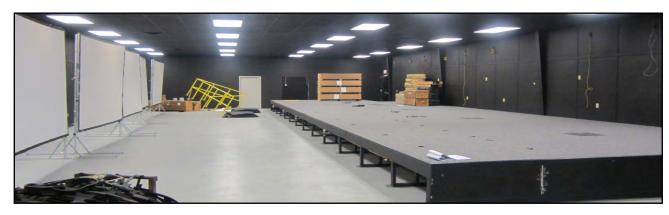




United States Marine Corps Camp Upshur Marine Core Base - Quantico, VA

Indoor Simulated Marksmanship Trainer Building:

The Indoor Simulated Marksmanship Trainer Building (PMTRASYS ISMT) renovations included the design of a structural shooting platform to meet the Marine Corps standards for fire arm training as well all air systems, lighting, CO2 systems, projectors, screens and storage areas for all associated equipment. New flooring and lay in ceilings were installed to provide noise control.





Along with all of the building renovations there were complete building demolitions of 5 onsite buildings that were out dated and no longer used by the Marine Corps. As well paving for all existing streets and 2 existing parking lots and design and construction of 4 new parking lots to be used as staging, parking and training areas.



Barbour County Career and Technical Center Interior / Exterior Renovations





Contact:

Mr. Glen Sweet Barbour County Board of Education 3 North High Street Philippi, WV 26416 304-457-3030

Project Description:

This project consisted of a complete interior renovation package and a sprinkler system upgrade. The work consisted of the replacement of all ceiling tiles, flooring, and base throughout as well as all windows and exterior doors. Once the complete interior, windows, and exterior doors were complete, a new HVAC system was installed.

As part of this project, a former Tech Ed. classroom was transformed into a high tech, interactive learning environment. Portions of this project were completed as part of an Energy Performance Contract where energy savings generated from the upgrades will pay down the construction costs over time.



CERTIFICATIONAND SIGNATURE PAGE

By signing below, or submitting documentation through wvOASIS, I certify that I have reviewed this Solicitation in its entirety; understand the requirements, terms and conditions, and other information contained herein; that I am submitting this bid, offer or proposal for review and consideration; that I am authorized by the vendor to execute and submit this bid, offer, or proposal, or any documents related thereto on vendor's behalf; that I am authorized to bind the vendor in a contractual relationship; and that to the best of my knowledge, the vendor has properly registered with any State agency that may require registration.

The Thrasher Group, inc (Company) (Company) <u>Authorized Signature</u>) (Representative Name, Title) (<u>304)</u>(<u>024-4108</u> (<u>304)</u>(<u>024</u>-783) 5/13/15 (Phone Number) (Fax Number) (Date)

References

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MR. REGGIE BROGAN PROJECT MANAGER

CENTURY EQUITIES, INC. 1233 MAIN STREET, STE. 1500 WHEELING, WV 26003 304-232-5411



REQ No. ADJ 150000005

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA Purchasing Division PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

MANDATE: Under W. Va. Code §5A-3-10a, 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: (1) the debt owed is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate; or (2) the debtor is in employer default.

EXCEPTION: The prohibition listed above does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of the W. Va. 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.

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.

"Employer default" means having an outstanding balance or liability to the old fund or to the uninsured employers' fund or being in policy default, as defined in W. Va. Code § 23-2c-2, failure to maintain mandatory workers' compensation coverage, or failure to fully meet its obligations as a workers' compensation self-insured employer. An employer is not in employer default if it has entered into a repayment agreement with the Insurance Commissioner and remains in compliance with the obligations under the repayment agreement.

"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.

AFFIRMATION: By signing this form, the vendor's authorized signer affirms and acknowledges under penalty of law for false swearing (*W. Va. Code* §61-5-3) that neither vendor nor any related party owe a debt as defined above and that neither vendor nor any related party are in employer default as defined above, unless the debt or employer default is permitted under the exception above.

WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURE:

Vendor's Name: The Thrasher (Stoup, Inc	<u></u>
Authorized Signature		Date: 5/13/15
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County of Harrison, to-wit:	State state	
Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this $\frac{13}{13}$ of	day of May	
My Commission expires <u>May</u> 30	, 20 7 .	
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OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC State of West Virginia JOHN E ROBINSON JR 401 Maryland Avenue Nutter Fort, WV 26301 My Commission Expires May 30, 2021		Purchasing Affidavit (Revised 07/01/2012)

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(Company)

(Authorized Signature) (Representative Name, Title)

(Phone Number) (Fax Number) (Date)