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Procurement Folder: 633105

Procurement Type: Central Purchase Order

Vendor ID:

Legal Name: BASH CONTRACTING INC

Alias/DBA:

Total Bid: \$23,311.75

Response Date: Response Time:

SO Doc Code: CRFQ

SO Dept: 1400

SO Doc ID: AGR2000000010

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Purchasing Division
 2019 Washington Street East
 Post Office Box 50130
 Charleston, WV 25305-0130

**State of West Virginia
 Solicitation Response**

Proc Folder : 633105

Solicitation Description : Addendum 1-Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence

Proc Type : Central Purchase Order

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VENDOR
VS0000019177 BASH CONTRACTING INC

Solicitation Number: CRFQ 1400 AGR2000000010

Total Bid : \$23,311.75 **Response Date:** 2019-10-23 **Response Time:** 10:44:05

Comments:

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE BUYER
 Jessica S Chambers
 (304) 558-0246
 jessica.s.chambers@wv.gov

Signature on File	FEIN #	DATE
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All offers subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation

Line	Comm Ln Desc	Qty	Unit Issue	Unit Price	Ln Total Or Contract Amount
1	Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence				\$23,311.75

Comm Code	Manufacturer	Specification	Model #
72154013			

Extended Description :	Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence
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 Request for Quotation
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BID RECEIVING LOCATION

BID CLERK
 DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION
 PURCHASING DIVISION
 2019 WASHINGTON ST E
 CHARLESTON WV 25305
 US

VENDOR

Vendor Name, Address and Telephone Number:

BASH Contracting, Inc.
 189 UFS Road Clearfield, PA 16830
 814-765-1531

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE BUYER

Jessica S Chambers
 (304) 558-0246
 jessica.s.chambers@wv.gov

Signature X

FEIN #

26-2829587

DATE

10/23/2019

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

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The West Virginia Purchasing Division is soliciting bids on behalf of West Virginia Department of Agriculture to establish a contract for the following: Purchase and installation of a woven wire fence around the beech orchard located at the US Forest Service, Northern Research Station, Watershed and Timber Laboratory, Route 219 North-Nursery Bottom, P.O. Box 404 Parsons, WV 26287 (Tucker County), per the terms and conditions and specifications as attached.

INVOICE TO		SHIP TO	
PROCUREMENT OFFICER 304-558-2221		AUTHORIZED RECEIVER 304-558-2212	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT OF		AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT OF	
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES		PLANT INDUSTRIES DIVISION	
1900 KANAWHA BLVD E		275 GUS R DOUGLAS LN, BLDG 6	
CHARLESTON	WV25305-0173	CHARLESTON	WV 25312
US		US	

Line	Comm Ln Desc	Qty	Unit Issue	Unit Price	Total Price
1	Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence			\$23,311.75	\$23,311.75

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Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS (Construction Contracts Only)

1. CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE: West Virginia Code § 21-11-2 requires that all persons desiring to perform contracting work in this state be licensed. The West Virginia Contractors Licensing Board is empowered to issue the contractor's license. Applications for a contractor's license may be made by contacting the West Virginia Division of Labor. West Virginia Code § 21-11-11 requires any prospective Vendor to include the contractor's license number on its bid. If an apparent low bidder fails to submit a license number in accordance with this section, the Purchasing Division will promptly request by telephone and electronic mail that the low bidder and the second low bidder provide the license number within one business day of the request. Failure of the bidder to provide the license number within one business day of receiving the request shall result in disqualification of the bid. Vendors should include a contractor's license number in the space provided below.

Contractor's Name: BASH Contracting, Inc.

Contractor's License No.: WV- 2321-8248

The apparent successful Vendor must furnish a copy of its contractor's license prior to the issuance of a contract award document.

2. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT: W. Va. Code § 21-1D-5 provides that any solicitation for a public improvement contract requires each Vendor that submits a bid for the work to submit an affidavit that the Vendor has a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy. If the affidavit is not submitted with the bid submission, the Purchasing Division shall promptly request by telephone and electronic mail that the low bidder and second low bidder provide the affidavit within one business day of the request. Failure to submit the affidavit within one business day of receiving the request shall result in disqualification of the bid. To comply with this law, Vendor should complete the enclosed drug-free workplace affidavit and submit the same with its bid. Failure to submit the signed and notarized drugfree workplace affidavit or a similar affidavit that fully complies with the requirements of the applicable code, within one business day of being requested to do so shall result in disqualification of Vendor's bid. Pursuant to W. Va. Code 21-1D-2(b) and (k), this provision does not apply to public improvement contracts the value of which is \$100,000 or less or temporary or emergency repairs.

2.1. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE POLICY: Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 21-1D-4, Vendor and its subcontractors must implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy that complies with said article. The awarding public authority shall cancel this contract if: (1) Vendor fails to implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy described in the preceding paragraph, (2) Vendor fails to provide information regarding implementation of its drug-free workplace policy at the request of the public authority; or (3) Vendor provides to the public authority false information regarding the contractor's drug-free workplace policy.

Pursuant to W. Va. Code 21-1D-2(b) and (k), this provision does not apply to public improvement contracts the value of which is \$100,000 or less or temporary or emergency repairs.

Subcontractor List Submission (Construction Contracts Only)

Bidder's Name: BASH Contracting, Inc.

Check this box if no subcontractors will perform more than \$25,000.00 of work to complete the project.

Subcontractor Name	License Number if Required by W. Va. Code § 21-11-1 et. seq.
None	

Attach additional pages if necessary

DESIGNATED CONTACT: Vendor appoints the individual identified in this Section as the Contract Administrator and the initial point of contact for matters relating to this Contract.

President
(Name, Title)
Douglas C. Hale, President

(Printed Name and Title)
189 UFS Road Clearfield, PA 16830

(Address) 8 1 4 - 7 6 5 - 1 5 3 1 814-765-1532

(Phone Number) / (Fax Number)
bashcontracting@verizon.net

(email address)

CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE: By signing below, or submitting documentation through wvOASIS, I certify that I have reviewed this Solicitation in its entirety; that I understand the requirements, terms and conditions, and other information contained herein; that this bid, offer or proposal constitutes an offer to the State that cannot be unilaterally withdrawn; that the product or service proposed meets the mandatory requirements contained in the Solicitation for that product or service, unless otherwise stated herein; that the Vendor accepts the terms and conditions contained in the Solicitation, unless otherwise stated 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.

BASH Contracting, Inc.

(Company)

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President

(Authorized Signature) (Representative Name, Title)
Douglas C. Hale, President

(Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative)

10/22/2019

(Date)

814-765-1531 814-765-1532

(Phone Number) (Fax Number)

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Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence

10.4.1. Final Cleanup: Vendor shall perform the final cleanup activities listed below, along with any other final cleanup activities normally associated with the work performed under this Contract, prior to final inspection:

10.4.1.1 Removal of all trash and debris generated in performance of this contract. This includes lunch wrappers, discarded soft drink containers, cigarette packages and other debris left by the Vendor's employees.

10.4.2. Final Inspection: Vendor shall participate in a final inspection with the Agency's project manager. The purpose of the final inspection will be to identify deficiencies that need to be remedied prior to Agency's final acceptance of the work. Vendor shall at all times be obligated to perform in accordance with the Contract and must take all actions necessary to ensure that work complies with requirements of Contract prior to final acceptance. Final acceptance does not waive or release Vendor from its obligation to ensure that work complies with the Contract requirements. Vendor shall submit any warranty documents to the Agency project manager at final inspection.

11. FACILITIES ACCESS: Performance of Contract Services may require access cards and/or keys to gain entrance to Agency's facilities. In the event that access cards and/or keys are required:

11.1. Vendor must identify principal service personnel which will be issued access cards and/or keys to perform service.

11.2. Vendor will be responsible for controlling cards and keys and will pay replacement fee, if the cards or keys become lost or stolen.

11.3. Vendor shall notify Agency immediately of any lost, stolen, or missing card or key.

11.4. Anyone performing under this Contract will be subject to Agency's security protocol and procedures.

11.5. Vendor shall inform all staff of Agency's security protocol and procedures.

12. MISCELLANEOUS:

12.1. Contract Manager: During its performance of this Contract, Vendor must designate and maintain a primary contract manager responsible for overseeing Vendor's responsibilities under this Contract. The Contract manager must be available during normal business hours to address any customer service or other issues related to this Contract. Vendor should list its Contract manager and his or her contact information below.

Contract Manager: Annette Barnes, Admin. Asst.

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Telephone Number: 814-765-1531

Fax Number: 814-765-1532

Email Address: bashcontracting@verizon.net

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION
Purchase & Installation of Woven Wire Fence

EXHIBIT A

ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES NECESSARY TO
INSTALL WOVEN WIRE FENCE AROUND BEECH ORCHARD LOCATED AT:

US FOREST SERVICE
NORTHERN RESEARCH STATION, WATERSHED & TIMBER
LABORATORY
ROUTE 219 NORTH-NURSEY BOTTOM
P.O. BOX 404 PARSONS, WV 26287 (TUCKER COUNTY)

BID FORM

The undersigned, hereafter called the Bidder, being familiar with and understanding the bidding documents; and being familiar with the site and all local conditions affecting the project, hereby proposes to furnish labor, material, equipment, supplies, and transportation to perform the work as described in the bidding documents.

CONTRACT OVERALL TOTAL COST:

Twenty three thousand three hundred and eleven dollars 75/100

(\$ 23,311.75) *** (Contract bid to be written in words and numbers.)

Failure to use this bid form may result in bid disqualification.

SIGNATURE:  DATE: 10/23/2019

NAME: Douglas C. Hale
(Please Print)

TITLE: President



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Purchasing Division

PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS: Under W. Va. Code § 5-22-1(i), the contracting public entity shall not award a construction contract to any bidder that is known to be in default on any monetary obligation owed to the state or a political subdivision of the state, including, but not limited to, obligations related to payroll taxes, property taxes, sales and use taxes, fire service fees, or other fines or fees.

ALL CONTRACTS: 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 exceeds 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: (1) for construction contracts, the vendor is not in default on any monetary obligation owed to the state or a political subdivision of the state, and (2) for all other contracts, 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: BASH Contracting, Inc.

Authorized Signature: [Signature] Date: 10/23/19

State of Pennsylvania

County of Clearfield, to-wit:

Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this 23 day of October, 2019

My Commission expires March 12, 2021.

AFFIX SEAL HERE

NOTARY PUBLIC

[Signature]

Purchasing Affidavit (Revised 01/19/2018)
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

NOTARIAL SEAL
ANNETTE B BARNES
NOTARY PUBLIC
LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES March 12, 2021





State of West Virginia
DRUG FREE WORKPLACE CONFORMANCE AFFIDAVIT
West Virginia Code §21-1D-5

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, State of Pennsylvania
COUNTY OF Clearfield, **TO-WIT:**

I, Douglas C. hale, after being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. I am an employee of BASH Contracting, Inc.; and,
(Company Name)
2. I do hereby attest that BASH Contracting, Inc.
(Company Name)

maintains a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy and that such plan and policy are in compliance with **West Virginia Code §21-1D.**

The above statements are sworn to under the penalty of perjury.

Printed Name: Douglas C. Hale, President
 Signature:
 Title: President
 Company Name: BASH Contracting, Inc.
 Date: 10-23-2019

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of October, 2019.

By Commission expires March 12, 2021

(Seal)

(Notary Public)



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
 NOTARIAL SEAL
 ANNETTE B BARNES
 NOTARY PUBLIC
 LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP, CLEARFIELD COUNTY
 COMMISSION EXPIRES March 12, 2021

State of West Virginia
Purchasing Division

CERTIFIED DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REPORT COVERSHEET

In accordance with *West Virginia Code* § 21-1D-7b, no less than once per year, or upon completion of the project, every contractor shall provide a certified report to the public authority which let the contract. That report must include each of the items identified below in the Required Report Content section.

Instructions: Vendor should complete this coversheet, attach it to the required report, and submit it to the appropriate location as follows: For contracts more than \$25,000, the report should be mailed to the West Virginia Purchasing Division at 2019 Washington Street East, Charleston, WV 25305. For contracts of \$25,000 or less, the vendor should mail the report to the public authority issuing the contract.

Contract Identification:

Contract Number: CRFQ 1400 AGR2000000010

Contract Purpose: Fence materials and construction

Agency Requesting Work: State of West Virginia

Required Report Content: The attached report must include each of the items listed below. The vendor should check each box as an indication that the required information has been included in the attached report.

- Information indicating the education and training service to the requirements of *West Virginia Code* § 21-1D-5 was provided;
- Name of the laboratory certified by the United States Department of Health and Human Services or its successor that performs the drug tests;
- Average number of employees in connection with the construction on the public improvement;
- Drug test results for the following categories including the number of positive tests and the number of negative tests: (A) Pre-employment and new hires; (B) Reasonable suspicion; (C) Post-accident; and (D) Random.

Vendor Contact Information:

Vendor Name: BASH Contracting, Inc.

Vendor Telephone: 814-765-1531

Vendor Address: 189 UFS Road
Clearfield, PA 16830

Vendor Fax: 814-765-1532

Vendor E-Mail: bashcontracting@verizon.net

Agency _____
REQ.P.O# _____

BID BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, Bash Contracting, Inc.
of 189 UFS Rd, Clearfield, PA 16830, as Principal, and The Ohio Casualty Insurance
Company of Keene, New Hampshire, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Hampshire with its principal office in the City of Keene, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of West Virginia, as Obligee, in the penal sum of 5% of the amount bid (\$ n/a) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

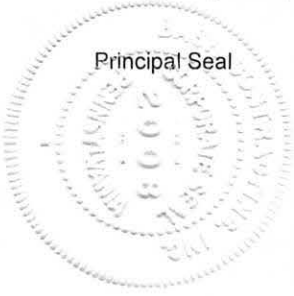
The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter into a contract in writing for Project: CRFQ1400 AGR000000010 Fence Construction
State of West Virginia, 2019 Washington St. East, PO Box 50130, Charleston, WV 25305-1030

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 the 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.

WITNESS, the following signatures and seals of Principal and Surety, executed and sealed by a proper officer of Principal and Surety, or by Principal individually if Principal is an individual, this 17th day of October, 2019.



Bash Contracting, Inc
(Name of Principal)
By *[Signature]*
(Must be President, Vice President, or Duly Authorized Agent)
Douglas C. Hale, President
(Title)



The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
(Name of Surety)
[Signature]
Attorney-in-Fact

IMPORTANT - Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance, must affix its seal, and must attach a power of attorney with its seal affixed.

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS NOT VALID UNLESS IT IS PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.

This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Certificate No. 7978135

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company West American Insurance Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Shellie L. Brown; Scott E. Burns; David P. Caldwell; Sue A. Fowler; Randall L. Lemmo; Kevin D. McMillen; Arvid R. Nelson; Nancy J. Sherman

all of the city of CLEARFIELD, state of PA each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 10th day of January, 2018.



The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company
By: David M. Carey
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA ss
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 10th day of January, 2018, before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Upper Merion Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires March 28, 2021
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV – OFFICERS – Section 12. Power of Attorney. Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

ARTICLE XIII – Execution of Contracts – SECTION 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings. Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

Certificate of Designation – The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

Authorization – By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 17 day of October, 2019.



By: Renee C. Llewellyn
Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.

**WEST VIRGINIA
STATE TAX DEPARTMENT
BUSINESS REGISTRATION
CERTIFICATE**

ISSUED TO:
**BASH CONTRACTING, INC.
189 UFS ROAD
CLEARFIELD, PA 16830-0000**

BUSINESS REGISTRATION ACCOUNT NUMBER: [REDACTED]

This certificate is issued on: **02/29/2016**

*This certificate is issued by
the West Virginia State Tax Commissioner
in accordance with Chapter 11, Article 12, of the West Virginia Code*

*The person or organization identified on this certificate is registered
to conduct business in the State of West Virginia at the location above.*

This certificate is not transferrable and must be displayed at the location for which issued

This certificate shall be permanent until cessation of the business for which the certificate of registration was granted or until it is suspended, revoked or cancelled by the Tax Commissioner.

Change in name or change of location shall be considered a cessation of the business and a new certificate shall be required.

TRAVELING/STREET VENDORS: Must carry a copy of this certificate in every vehicle operated by them.
CONTRACTORS, DRILLING OPERATORS, TIMBER/LOGGING OPERATIONS: Must have a copy of this certificate displayed at every job site within West Virginia.