


**Contract**

1. THIS CONTRACT is entered into on March 21, 2016 by and between the Village of Oak Park, 123 Madison St., Oak Park, IL 60302 acting by and through its President and Board of Trustees and **Schroeder and Schroeder, Inc., 7306 Central Park, Skokie, Illinois 60076**, its executors, administrators, successors or assigns (hereinafter "Contractor".)
2. The following documents set forth the terms of this Contract and are incorporated herein:
 - a. The Village of Oak Park's Notice to Bidders, Special Provisions and Plans for Project 16-3, 2016 Sidewalk and Curb & Gutter Replacement;
 - b. Contractor's Proposal submitted on March 3, 2016; and
 - c. The Contract Bond.
3. Where the terms of the Contractor's Proposal conflict with the terms set forth in the Village's Notice to Bidders, Special Provisions and Plans, the Village's Notice to Bidders, Special Provisions and Plans shall control.
4. The Contractor shall at its own cost and expense perform all the work, furnish all materials and all labor necessary to complete the work in accordance with the terms of this Contract and the requirements of the Director of Public Works or the Director's designee.
5. This Contract is funded by the Federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. The Contractor shall follow all Federal statutes, rules, regulations and guidelines including the Davis Bacon Act..
6. The Contractor affirms that the individual signing this Contract is authorized to execute this Contract on behalf of the Contractor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract on the date above mentioned.

Attest:




Teresa Powell
Village Clerk
(Seal)

Village of Oak Park

By 

Cara Pavlicek
Village Manager

Schroeder and Schroeder, Inc.

By: 

Signature
CHRIS SCHROEDER

Printed Name
Its: **PRESIDENT**

Title

**REVIEWED AND APPROVED
AS TO FORM**



MAR 21 2016
LAW DEPARTMENT



Bond No. 285049202 - Issued in Triplicate

Contract Bond

Schroeder and Schroeder, Inc., 7306 Central Park, Skokie, Illinois 60076, as PRINCIPAL, and

The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company _____ as SURETY,

is held and firmly bound unto the Village of Oak Park (hereafter referred to as "Village") in the penal sum of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars and 00/100 (\$150,000.00), well and truly to be paid to the Village, for the payment of which its heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, are bound jointly to pay to the Village under the conditions of this instrument.

WHEREAS, THE CONDITION OF THE FOREGOING OBLIGATION IS SUCH that, the Principal has entered into a written contract with the Village, acting through its President and Board of Trustees, for the construction of work, which contract is hereby referred to and made a part hereof as if written herein at length, and whereby the Principal has promised and agreed to perform the work in accordance with the terms of the contract, and has promised to pay all sums of money due for any labor, materials, apparatus, fixtures or machinery furnished to such Principal for the purpose of performing such work, including paying not less than the prevailing rate of wages in Cook County, where the work is for the construction of any public work subject to the Prevailing Wage Act, and has further agreed to save and indemnify and keep harmless the Village against all liabilities, judgments, costs and expenses which may in any manner accrue against the Village in consequence of granting such contract or which may in any manner result from the carelessness or neglect of the Principal, his agents, employees or workmen in any respect whatever; and has further agreed that this bond will inure to the benefit of any person, firm, company, or corporation, to whom any money may be due from the Principal, subcontractor or otherwise, for any such labor, materials, apparatus, fixtures or machinery so furnished and that suit may be maintained on such bond by any such person, firm, company, or corporation, for the recovery of any such money.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal shall well and truly perform the work in accordance with the terms of the contract, and shall pay all sums of money due or to become due for any labor, materials, apparatus, fixtures or machinery furnished to it for the purpose of constructing such work, and shall commence and complete the work within the time prescribed in the contract, and shall pay and discharge all damages, direct and indirect, that may be suffered or sustained on account of such work during the time of performance thereof and until the work shall have been accepted, and shall save and indemnify and keep harmless the Village against all liabilities, judgments, costs and expenses which may in any manner accrue against the Village in consequence of granting such contract or which may in any manner result from the carelessness or neglect of the Principal, his agents, employees or workmen in any respect whatever; and shall in all respects fully and faithfully comply with all the provisions, conditions, and requirements of the contract, then this obligation will be void; otherwise it will remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PRINCIPAL and the SURETY have caused this instrument to be signed by their respective officers this 7 day of April, 2016.

NAME OF PRINCIPAL - Schroeder and Schroeder, Inc.

By: 
Signature

By: CHRIS SCHROEDER
Printed Name

Its: PRESIDENT
Title

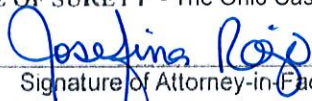
Subscribed to and Sworn before me on the

7th day of April, 2016.


Notary Public



NAME OF SURETY - The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

By: 
Signature of Attorney-in-Fact - Josefina Rojo

Subscribed to and Sworn before me on the

7 day of April, 2016.


Notary Public - Beatriz Polito



American Fire and Casualty Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

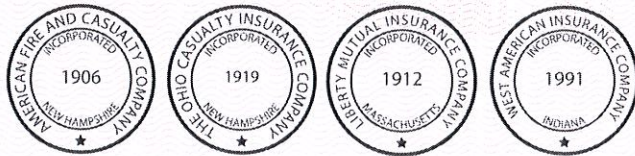
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That American Fire & Casualty Company and The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company are corporations 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, Beatriz Polito; Douglas M. Schmude; Jacquelyn M. Norstrom; John P. Harney; Josefina Rojo; Rachel A. Mullen

all of the city of Chicago, state of IL 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 25th day of February, 2016.



American Fire and Casualty Company
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 25th day of February, 2016, before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of American Fire and Casualty Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Insurance 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 Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Plymouth Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires March 28, 2017
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 American Fire and Casualty Company, 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, Gregory W. Davenport, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of American Fire and Casualty Company, 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 7 day of April, 2016.



By: Gregory W. Davenport
Gregory W. Davenport, Assistant Secretary