

 **AIA® Document A101® – 2017****Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor where the basis of payment is a Stipulated Sum**

**AGREEMENT** made as of the fifteenth day of April in the year two thousand twenty-four  
(*In words, indicate day, month and year.*)

**BETWEEN** the Owner:  
(*Name, legal status, address and other information*)

Madison County Board of Supervisors  
146 West Center Street  
Canton, Mississippi 39046

and the Contractor:  
(*Name, legal status, address and other information*)

J.E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
110 Lonewolf Drive  
Madison, Mississippi 39110

for the following Project:  
(*Name, location and detailed description*)

Madison County Board of Supervisors  
Madison County Office Building Board Room Improvements Re-bid  
Canton, Mississippi

The Architect:  
(*Name, legal status, address and other information*)

JH&H Architects, Planners, Interiors PA  
1047 North Flowood Drive  
Flowood, Mississippi 39232-9533

The Owner and Contractor agree as follows.

**ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS:**

The author of this document has added information needed for its completion. The author may also have revised the text of the original AIA standard form. An *Additions and Deletions Report* that notes added information as well as revisions to the standard form text is available from the author and should be reviewed. A vertical line in the left margin of this document indicates where the author has added necessary information and where the author has added to or deleted from the original AIA text.

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

The parties should complete A101®–2017, Exhibit A, Insurance and Bonds, contemporaneously with this Agreement. AIA Document A201®–2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, is adopted in this document by reference. Do not use with other general conditions unless this document is modified.

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**ARTICLE 1 THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

The Contract Documents consist of this Agreement, Conditions of the Contract (General, and other Conditions), Drawings, Specifications, Addenda issued prior to execution of this Agreement, other documents listed in this Agreement, and Modifications issued after execution of this Agreement, all of which form the Contract, and are as fully a part of the Contract as if attached to this Agreement or repeated herein. The Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto and supersedes prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral. An enumeration of the Contract Documents, other than a Modification, appears in Article 9.

**ARTICLE 2 THE WORK OF THIS CONTRACT**

§ 2.1 The Contractor shall fully execute the Work described in the Contract Documents, except as specifically indicated in the Contract Documents to be the responsibility of others.

§ 2.2 Contractor shall, at its own expense as part of the Contract Sum, secure all licenses, furnish all labor, material, plant, office space, tools, equipment, machinery, scaffolding, cartage, electric current for power purposes and provide all other things and personnel necessary for the full and diligent prosecution of the Work, all in compliance with applicable statutes, building codes, ordinances and regulations and in a first class workmanlike manner in strict accordance with the requirements of the Project as well as to the reasonable satisfaction of the Owner. Contractor shall be responsible for supervision, coordination of its sub-trades, and for the performance of all actions reasonably required to complete the Work even if not specifically shown in the plans and specifications but can be reasonably inferred.

§ 2.3 The Contractor is required to furnish a payment and performance bond. Such bonds shall be executed by it with a fidelity or surety company authorized to transact business in Mississippi in form and amount satisfactory to the Owner. The Performance Bond shall guarantee the faithful performance of all contract obligations of this Contract. The Payment Bond shall comply with the requirements of Mississippi regarding unconditional payment bonds and assure the prompt payment of all claims of lienors and laborers. The cost of the bond shall be included within the Contract Sum.

**ARTICLE 3 DATE OF COMMENCEMENT AND SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION**

§ 3.1 The date of commencement of the Work shall be:  
*(Check one of the following boxes.)*

A date set forth in a Notice to Proceed.  
*(Paragraphs deleted)*

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§ 3.2 The Contract Time shall be measured from the date of commencement of the Work.

**§ 3.3 Substantial Completion**

§ 3.3.1 Subject to adjustments of the Contract Time as provided in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall achieve Substantial Completion of the entire Work:

*(Check one of the following boxes and complete the necessary information.)*

[ X ] Not later than forty-five ( 45 ) calendar days from the date of commencement of the Work.

*(Table deleted)*

*(Paragraph deleted)*

§ 3.3.3 If the Contractor fails to achieve Substantial Completion as provided in this Section 3.3, liquidated damages, if any, shall be assessed as set forth in Section 4.5.

**ARTICLE 4 CONTRACT SUM**

§ 4.1 The Owner shall pay the Contractor the Contract Sum in current funds for the Contractor's performance of the Contract. The Contract Sum shall be three hundred, sixty thousand, five hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$ 360,500.00 ), subject to additions and deductions as provided in the Contract Documents.

**§ 4.2 Alternates**

§ 4.2.1 Alternates, if any, included in the Contract Sum: N/A

*(Table deleted)*

*(Table deleted)*

*(Paragraphs deleted)*

§ 4.3 Allowances, if any, included in the Contract Sum:

*(Identify each allowance.)*

Item	Price
Contingency Allowance	\$12,000.00
Audio/Visual Systems (Section 11 9000)	\$90,000.00

§ 4.4 Unit prices, if any: N/A

§ 4.5 Liquidated damages, if any:

*(Insert terms and conditions for liquidated damages, if any.)*

The Contractor and his Surety will be liable for and will pay the Owner the sum of Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars as liquidated damages for each calendar day until the Work is substantially complete. Reference Section 00 7200, AIA Document A201-2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, Section 9.11 and Section 00 2113, Paragraph 1.14, Contract.

§ 4.6 Other:

*(Insert provisions for bonus or other incentives, if any, that might result in a change to the Contract Sum.)*

N/A

**ARTICLE 5 PAYMENTS**

**§ 5.1 Progress Payments**

§ 5.1.1 Based upon Applications for Payment submitted to the Architect by the Contractor and Certificates for Payment issued by the Architect, the Owner shall make progress payments on account of the Contract Sum to the Contractor as provided below and elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

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§ 5.1.2 The period covered by each Application for Payment shall be one calendar month ending on the last day of the month, or as follows:

§ 5.1.3 Provided that an Application for Payment is received by the Architect not later than the first (1<sup>st</sup>) day of a month, the Owner shall make payment of the amount certified to the Contractor not later than the fifteenth day of the following month. If an Application for Payment is received by the Architect after the application date fixed above, payment of the amount certified shall be made by the Owner not later than sixty (60) days after the Architect receives the Application for Payment.  
*(Federal, state or local laws may require payment within a certain period of time.)*

§ 5.1.4 Each Application for Payment shall be based on the most recent schedule of values submitted by the Contractor in accordance with the Contract Documents. The schedule of values shall allocate the entire Contract Sum among the various portions of the Work. The schedule of values shall be prepared in such form, and supported by such data to substantiate its accuracy, as the Architect may require. This schedule of values shall be used as a basis for reviewing the Contractor's Applications for Payment.

§ 5.1.5 Applications for Payment shall show the percentage of completion of each portion of the Work as of the end of the period covered by the Application for Payment.

§ 5.1.6 In accordance with AIA Document A201™–2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, and subject to other provisions of the Contract Documents, the amount of each progress payment shall be computed as follows:

§ 5.1.6.1 The amount of each progress payment shall first include:

- .1 That portion of the Contract Sum properly allocable to completed Work;
- .2 That portion of the Contract Sum properly allocable to materials and equipment delivered and suitably stored at the site for subsequent incorporation in the completed construction, or, if approved in advance by the Owner, suitably stored off the site at a location agreed upon in writing; and
- .3 That portion of Construction Change Directives that the Architect determines, in the Architect's professional judgment, to be reasonably justified.

§ 5.1.6.2 The amount of each progress payment shall then be reduced by:

- .1 The aggregate of any amounts previously paid by the Owner;
- .2 The amount, if any, for Work that remains uncorrected and for which the Architect has previously withheld a Certificate for Payment as provided in Article 9 of AIA Document A201–2017;
- .3 Any amount for which the Contractor does not intend to pay a Subcontractor or material supplier, unless the Work has been performed by others the Contractor intends to pay;
- .4 For Work performed or defects discovered since the last payment application, any amount for which the Architect may withhold payment, or nullify a Certificate of Payment in whole or in part, as provided in Article 9 of AIA Document A201–2017; and
- .5 Retainage withheld pursuant to Section 5.1.7.
- .6 If Owner is entitled to deduct liquidated damages, or any other damages or amounts provided in the Contract Documents, including clean-up fees, then Owner shall be entitled to deduct such liquidated damages, amounts and fees at any time.

### § 5.1.7 Retainage

§ 5.1.7.1 For each progress payment made prior to Substantial Completion of the Work, the Owner may withhold the following amount, as retainage, from the payment otherwise due:

*(Insert a percentage or amount to be withheld as retainage from each Application for Payment. The amount of retainage may be limited by governing law.)*

Reference Section 00 7200, General Conditions, Section 9.3.1.3

§ 5.1.7.1.1 The following items are not subject to retainage: None

*(Insert any items not subject to the withholding of retainage, such as general conditions, insurance, etc.)*

§ 5.1.7.2 Reduction or limitation of retainage, if any, shall be as follows:

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(If the retainage established in Section 5.1.7.1 is to be modified prior to Substantial Completion of the entire Work, including modifications for Substantial Completion of portions of the Work as provided in Section 3.3.2, insert provisions for such modifications.)

Reference Section 00 7200, General Conditions, Section 9.3.1.3

(Paragraphs deleted)

§ 5.1.8 If final completion of the Work is materially delayed through no fault of the Contractor, the Owner shall pay the Contractor any additional amounts in accordance with Article 9 of AIA Document A201–2017.

§ 5.1.9 Except with the Owner’s prior approval, the Contractor shall not make advance payments to suppliers for materials or equipment which have not been delivered and stored at the site.

## § 5.2 Final Payment

§ 5.2.1 Final payment, constituting the entire unpaid balance of the Contract Sum, shall be made by the Owner to the Contractor when

- .1 the Contractor has fully performed the Contract except for the Contractor’s responsibility to correct Work as provided in Article 12 of AIA Document A201–2017, and to satisfy other requirements, if any, which extend beyond final payment; and
- .2 a final Certificate for Payment has been issued by the Architect.

§ 5.2.2 The Owner’s final payment to the Contractor shall be made no later than 30 days after the issuance of the Architect’s final Certificate for Payment, or as follows:

Reference Section 00 7200, AIA Document A201-2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, Section 9.10

(Paragraphs deleted)

## § 5.3. Payment Procedures

§ 5.3.1. Subject to the provisions of Article 9 of the General Conditions, the following payment procedures shall also apply to both progress and final payments.

- .1 At the time of the submission of an Application for Payment the Contractor shall furnish to the Contractor: (1) a certification of work performed on a form approved by the Owner; (2) waivers of lien for all work done by Contractor, all lienors giving notice and any such other persons, firms or corporations performing work in accordance with the Contract Documents to the date of the application for payment; and (3) evidence of payment to all laborers working directly or indirectly for the Contractor through the date of the application for payment. The Owner shall have the right at any time and in its sole discretion to make payments directly to laborers and/or material men and/or sub-contractors of the Contractor, or to make any such payments jointly to such payees and the Contractor.
- .2 Payments made to the Contractor are received by it in trust to be applied first to the amount owing to any person who has performed labor or furnished materials to the Contractor for the performance and work under this agreement and before the Contractor shall use any monies received for any other purposes.
- .3 Partial or final payment will not be payable or due at the option of the Owner in the event that any of the following conditions exist: (1) Defective or damaged work is not remedied by Contractor; (2) Claims have been filed by laborers, material men and/or subcontractors under this agreement; (3) Contractor fails to make the proper application for payment or fails to comply with Mississippi’s mechanics lien law; (4) Contractor becomes bankrupt or insolvent; (5) This agreement or any other agreement between Owner and Contractor is in breach; and (6) Any insurance required of Contractor ceases to be effective and in force.
- .4 Acceptance of final payment by Contractor operates as a release to the Owner of all claims and liability to the Contractor for all construction work performed by Contractor.

§ 5.3.2 The compensation payable to the Contractor hereunder shall not be increased because of the imposition of any taxes, or of increases in the price of any labor, material, or services.

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§ 5.3.3 No payment made hereunder shall operate as an admission on the part of the Owner that this Agreement, or any part thereof has been complied with, or preclude any action for damages against the Contractor should this Agreement not be faithfully executed in every respect or should the Work furnished and installed by the Contractor not meet with the approval of the Owner

§ 5.4 Payments due and unpaid under the Contract shall bear interest from the date payment is due at the legal rate prevailing from time to time at the place where the Project is located.

## ARTICLE 6 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

### § 6.1 Initial Decision Maker

The Architect will serve as the Initial Decision Maker pursuant to Article 15 of AIA Document A201–2017, unless the parties appoint below another individual, not a party to this Agreement, to serve as the Initial Decision Maker.

(If the parties mutually agree, insert the name, address, and other contact information of the Initial Decision Maker, if other than the

*(Paragraphs deleted)*

Architect

### § 6.2 Binding Dispute Resolution

For any Claim subject to, but not resolved by, mediation pursuant to Article 15 of AIA Document A201–2017, the method of binding dispute resolution shall be as follows:

*(Check the appropriate box.)*

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*(Paragraphs deleted)*

Litigation solely and exclusively in a court of competent jurisdiction, which shall be in Madison County, Mississippi

## ARTICLE 7 TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION

§ 7.1 The Contract may be terminated by the Owner or the Contractor as provided in Article 14 of AIA Document A201–2017.

§ 7.1.1 If the Contract is terminated for the Owner’s convenience in accordance with Article 14 of AIA Document A201–2017, then the Owner shall pay the Contractor a termination fee as follows:

*(Insert the amount of, or method for determining, the fee, if any, payable to the Contractor following a termination for the Owner’s convenience.)*

The Owner shall pay the Contractor a termination fee in accordance with Article 14, paragraph 14.4.3 of AIA Document A201–2017.

§ 7.2 The Work may be suspended by the Owner as provided in Article 14 of AIA Document A201–2017.

## ARTICLE 8 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

§ 8.1 Where reference is made in this Agreement to a provision of AIA Document A201–2017 or another Contract Document, the reference refers to that provision as amended or supplemented by other provisions of the Contract Documents.

§ 8.2 The Owner’s representative:

*(Name, address, email address, and other information)*

Drew Ridinger, Madison County Buildings and Grounds  
Madison County Board of Supervisors  
Tel: 601-855-5533  
Email: drew.ridinger@madison-co.com

§ 8.3 The Contractor’s representative:

*(Name, address, email address, and other information)*



Joshua Stevens, President  
J.E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
110 Lonewolf Drive, Madison, Mississippi 39110  
Tel: 601-826-2480  
Email: joshua@jestevensgroup.com

§ 8.4 Neither the Owner's nor the Contractor's representative shall be changed without ten days' prior notice to the other party.

**§ 8.5 Insurance and Bonds**

§ 8.5.1 The Owner and the Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance as set forth in Section 00 7200, General Conditions, Article 11, and elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

§ 8.5.2 The Contractor shall provide bonds as set forth in 00 7200, General Conditions, Article 11, and elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

*(Paragraphs deleted)*

§ 8.7 Other provisions:

§ 8.7.1 The Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Mississippi, and the mandatory and exclusive venue of any and all litigation shall be in Madison County, Mississippi.

§ 8.7.2 As a material consideration of the making of this Agreement, the modifications to this Agreement shall not be construed against the maker of said modifications.

§ 8.7.3 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, or in any document forming a part hereof, there shall be no mandatory arbitration for any dispute arising hereunder.

§ 8.7.4 Article 1 of the General Conditions shall govern Contractor's use of the Construction Documents.

§ 8.7.5 The Contractor shall be responsible to the Owner for acts and omissions of the Contractor's employees, Subcontractors and their agents and employees, and other persons or entities performing portions of the Work for, or on behalf of, the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors. As part of that responsibility, Contractor shall enforce the Owner's alcohol-free, drug-free, tobacco-free, harassment-free, and weapon-free policies and zones, which will require compliance with those policies and zones by Contractor's employees, subcontractors, and all other persons carrying out the Contract. Further, Contractor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to perform background checks on all Contractor's employees, Subcontractors and their agents and employees, and other persons or entities performing portions of the Work for, or on behalf of, the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors and for which will be present at the jobsite for the Project.

§ 8.7.6 Contractor shall require all construction workers, whether Contractor's own forces or the forces of Contractor's subcontractors, to park their personal motor vehicles on Owner's property only in the parking places designated by the Owner's campus principal. Any vehicles not parked in the appropriate locations shall be towed at the vehicle owner's sole expense.

§ 8.7.7 Contractor shall follow, and shall require all employees, agents, or subcontractors to follow applicable ordinances of the municipality in which the Project is located.

§ 8.7.8 Contractor shall institute a theft deterrence program designed to restrict construction worker access to properties of Owner that are currently in use, to maintain supervision of Contractor's and Contractor's subcontractor's forces, and to reimburse the Owner or those persons suffering a theft loss which results from Contractor's forces or Contractor's subcontractor's forces' actions, omissions, or failure to secure the Work or adjoining property.

§ 8.7.9 The Contractor may not assign its responsibilities, duties, obligations, and rights under this Agreement, without the express written consent of the Owner. This does not prevent Contractor from engaging subcontractors to perform



various phases of the Project, but Contractor shall be fully responsible to Owner for the work, actions and omissions of all such subcontractors.

**§ 8.7.10** This Agreement, in its entirety, shall be binding upon all the parties hereto, their respective successors, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns.

**§ 8.7.11** Execution of this Agreement shall constitute approval and acceptance of all terms, covenants and conditions as modified and contained in the Contract Documents.

**§ 8.7.12** This Agreement is subject to all applicable federal and state laws, rules, and regulations. Invalidity of any portion of this Agreement under the laws of the State of Mississippi or of the United States shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Agreement.

**§ 8.7.13** By signing this Agreement, Contractor represents and warrants the following to the Owner (in addition to any other representations and warranties contained in the Contract Documents), as a material inducement to the Owner to execute this Agreement, which representations and warranties shall survive the execution and delivery of this Agreement, any termination of this Agreement, and the final completion of the Work

- .1 The Contractor is authorized to do business in Mississippi under Mississippi Code §31-3-1 et seq. and is otherwise properly licensed by all necessary governmental and public and quasi-public authorities having jurisdiction over the Contractor and over the Work and the Project.
- .2 Contractor is financially solvent, able to pay all debts as they mature, and possessed of sufficient working capital to complete the Work and perform all obligations hereunder and that it has no reasonable belief that any of its subcontractors are not financially solvent, able to pay all debts as they mature, and possessed of sufficient working capital to complete their respective portion of the Work.
- .3 The Contractor can furnish the plant, tools, materials, supplies, equipment, and labor required to complete the Work and perform its obligations hereunder and has sufficient experience and competence to do so.
- .4 The Contractor's execution of this Agreement and performance thereof is within the Contractor's duly authorized powers.
- .5 The Contractor's duly authorized representative has visited the site of the Project, is familiar with the local conditions under which the Work is to be performed and has correlated observations with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- .6 The Contractor possesses a high level of experience and expertise in the business administration, construction, construction management, and superintendence of projects of the size, complexity, and nature of this Project and will perform the Work with the care, skill, and diligence of such a contractor.

**§ 8.7.14** No delay or omission by Owner in exercising any right or power accruing upon the noncompliance or failure of performance by Contractor of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall impair any such right or power or be construed to be a waiver thereof. A waiver by the Owner of any of the covenants, conditions or agreements hereof to be performed by Contractor shall not be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent breach thereof or of any other covenant, condition or agreement herein contained.

**§ 8.7.15** Contractor stipulates that Owner is a political subdivision of the State of Mississippi, and as such, enjoys immunities from suit and liability as provided by the Constitution and laws of the State of Mississippi. By entering into this Agreement, Owner does not waive any of its immunities from suit and/or liability, except as otherwise specifically provided herein and as specifically authorized by law.

## **ARTICLE 9 ENUMERATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

**§ 9.1** This Agreement is comprised of the following documents:

- .1 AIA Document A101™-2017, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor
- .2 AIA Document A201™-2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction
- .3 Drawings: dated 07 March 2024  
G101 Title Sheet  
A110 Demo / New Floor Plans, Reflected Ceiling Plans & Notes



- A111 New Floor Plan - Elevation Tags & Interior Elevations
- A112 New Floor Plan - Wall / Door Tags, Dimensions & Door Schedule
- I101 New Floor Finish Plan, Wall Finish Plan & Finish Schedule
- I501 Millwork Sections & Details
- A113 New Furniture (NIC) & A/V Reference Plans
- E001 Electrical Symbols Legend & Details
- E002 Electrical Schedules & Details
- E101 Electrical Floor Plan Demolition
- E201 Electrical Floor Plans - New Work
- .4 Specifications: dated 07 March 2024
  - 00 0101 Project Title Page
  - 00 0115 List of Drawing Sheets
  - Advertisement For Bids
  - 00 2113 Instructions to Bidders
  - 00 3100 Available Project Information
  - Asbestos-Containing Materials Survey and Assessment
  - 00 4100 Bid Form
  - 00 5000 Contracting Forms and Supplements
  - 00 5200 Agreement Form
  - 00 6000 Project Forms
  - 00 7200 General Conditions
  - 01 1000 Summary
  - 01 2000 Price and Payment Procedures
  - 01 2100 Allowances
  - 01 3000 Administrative Requirements
  - 01 3216 Construction Progress Schedule
  - 01 4000 Quality Requirements
  - 01 5000 Temporary Facilities and Controls
  - 01 6000 Product Requirements
  - 01 7000 Execution and Close-Out Requirements
  - 01 7800 Closeout Submittals
  - 02 4100 Demolition
  - 06 1000 Rough Carpentry
  - 06 4100 Architectural Wood Casework
  - 08 1213 Hollow Metal Frames
  - 08 1416 Flush Wood Doors
  - 08 7100 Door Hardware
  - 09 2116 Gypsum Board Assemblies
  - 09 2216 Non-Structural Metal Framing
  - 09 5100 Acoustical Ceilings
  - 09 6500 Resilient Flooring
  - 09 6813 Tile Carpeting
  - 09 7200 Wall Coverings
  - 09 8430 Sound-Absorbing Wall and Ceiling Units
  - 09 9123 Interior Painting
  - 10 1400 Signage
  - 11 9000 Audio/Visual Systems
  - 12 3600 Countertops
  - 26 0500 General Requirements for Electrical Systems
  - 26 0505 Selective Electrical Demolition
  - 26 0519 Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors
  - 26 0526 Grounding & Bonding for Electrical Systems
  - 26 0529 Hangers & Supports for Electrical Systems
  - 26 0533 Raceways & Boxes for Electrical Systems
  - 26 0553 Identification for Electrical Systems
  - 26 2416 Panelboards
  - 26 2726 Wiring Devices

- 26 2816 Enclosed Switches & Circuit Breakers
- 26 5119 Interior Lighting
- 26 5723 Lighting Control Devices
- 26 5726 Lighting Control System
- 27 0500 General Requirements for Communication Systems
- 27 0505 Selective Communication Systems Demolition
- 27 0528 Pathways for Communication Systems
- 28 0500 General Requirements for Safety & Security Systems
- 28 0505 Selective Safety & Security Systems Demolition

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28 4627 Existing Fire Detection & Alarm System

.5	Addenda, if any:		
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	Addendum No. 01	27 March 2024	05

(Paragraphs deleted)

.6 Other Exhibits:  
*(Check all boxes that apply and include appropriate information identifying the exhibit where required.)*

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 (Paragraphs deleted)

] General Conditions of the Contract:

Document	Title	Date	Pages
00 7200	General Conditions	AIA 201-2017	43

(Paragraphs deleted)

.7 Other documents, if any, listed below:  
*(List here any additional documents that are intended to form part of the Contract Documents. AIA Document A201™–2017 provides that the advertisement or invitation to bid, Instructions to Bidders, sample forms, the Contractor's bid or proposal, portions of Addenda relating to bidding or proposal requirements, and other information furnished by the Owner in anticipation of receiving bids or proposals, are not part of the Contract Documents unless enumerated in this Agreement. Any such documents should be listed here only if intended to be part of the Contract Documents.)*

N/A

This Agreement entered into as of the day and year first written above

\_\_\_\_\_  
**OWNER** (Signature)  
  
 Gerald Steen, President Madison County Board of Supervisors  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Printed name and title)

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
**CONTRACTOR** (Signature)  
  
 Joshua Stevens, President  
 J.E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Printed name and title)



.5 Addenda, if any:  
**Section**

**Title**

**Date**

**Pages**

Addendum  
Addendum No. 01

Date  
27 March 2024

Pages  
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.7 Addenda, if any:

**Number**

**Date**

**Pages**

Portions of Addenda relating to bidding or proposal requirements are not part of the Contract Documents unless the bidding or proposal requirements are also enumerated in this Article 9.

.8 .6 Other Exhibits:

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[ ] AIA Document E204™ 2017, Sustainable Projects Exhibit, dated as indicated below:  
(Insert the date of the E204-2017 incorporated into this Agreement.)

[ ] ~~The Sustainability Plan: X~~ ] General Conditions of the Contract:  
**Title** **Date** **Pages**

Document Title Date Pages  
00 7200 General Conditions AIA 201-2017 43

[ ] Supplementary and other Conditions of the Contract:

**Document** **Title** **Date** **Pages**

.9 .7 Other documents, if any, listed below:

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Gerald Steen, President Madison County Board of Supervisors

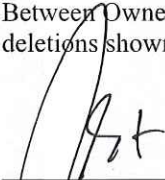
Joshua Stevens, President J.E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC



## **Certification of Document's Authenticity**

**AIA® Document D401™ – 2003**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, that I created the attached final document simultaneously with its associated Additions and Deletions Report and this certification at 15:08:57 ET on 04/10/2024 under Order No. 2114498498 from AIA Contract Documents software and that in preparing the attached final document I made no changes to the original text of AIA® Document A101™ – 2017, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor where the basis of payment is a Stipulated Sum, other than those additions and deletions shown in the associated Additions and Deletions Report.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Dated)



Bond No. 1107915

# Document A312™ – 2010

Conforms with The American Institute of Architects AIA Document 312

## Performance Bond

**CONTRACTOR:**

(Name, legal status and address)

J. E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
216 Avalon Cir, Ste A  
Brandon, MS 39047

**SURETY:**

(Name, legal status and principal place of business)

The Hanover Insurance Company  
440 Lincoln Street  
Worcester, MA 01653  
Mailing Address for Notices

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

**OWNER:**

(Name, legal status and address)

Madison County Board of Supervisors  
146 West Center Street  
Canton, MS 39046

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT**

Date: April 15, 2024

Amount: \$ 360,500.00

Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100

**Description:**

(Name and location)

Madison County Board of Supervisors Madison County Office Building Board Room Improvements Re-bid Canton, Mississippi

**BOND**

Date: April 15, 2024

(Not earlier than Construction Contract Date)

Amount: \$ 360,500.00

Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100

Modifications to this Bond:

None

See Section 16

**CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL**

Company: (Corporate Seal)

J. E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC

Signature: 

Name and Title: *J. E. Stevens  
President*

**SURETY**

Company: (Corporate Seal)

The Hanover Insurance Company

Signature: 

Name and Title: Stephen Wesley Price, Jr.  
Attorney-in-Fact



(Any additional signatures appear on the last page of this Performance Bond.)

(FOR INFORMATION ONLY — Name, address and telephone)

**AGENT or BROKER:**

Fisher Brown Bottrell Insurance, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1490  
Jackson, MS  
601-960-8200

**OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE:**

(Architect, Engineer or other party:)

JH&H Architects, Planners, Interiors PA  
1047 North Flowood Drive  
Flowood, MS 39232-9533

§ 1 The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to the Owner for the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference.

§ 2 If the Contractor performs the Construction Contract, the Surety and the Contractor shall have no obligation under this Bond, except when applicable to participate in a conference as provided in Section 3.

§ 3 If there is no Owner Default under the Construction Contract, the Surety's obligation under this Bond shall arise after

- .1 the Owner first provides notice to the Contractor and the Surety that the Owner is considering declaring a Contractor Default. Such notice shall indicate whether the Owner is requesting a conference among the Owner, Contractor and Surety to discuss the Contractor's performance. If the Owner does not request a conference, the Surety may, within five (5) business days after receipt of the Owner's notice, request such a conference. If the Surety timely requests a conference, the Owner shall attend. Unless the Owner agrees otherwise, any conference requested under this Section 3.1 shall be held within ten (10) business days of the Surety's receipt of the Owner's notice. If the Owner, the Contractor and the Surety agree, the Contractor shall be allowed a reasonable time to perform the Construction Contract, but such an agreement shall not waive the Owner's right, if any, subsequently to declare a Contractor Default;
- .2 the Owner declares a Contractor Default, terminates the Construction Contract and notifies the Surety; and
- .3 the Owner has agreed to pay the Balance of the Contract Price in accordance with the terms of the Construction Contract to the Surety or to a contractor selected to perform the Construction Contract.

§ 4 Failure on the part of the Owner to comply with the notice requirement in Section 3.1 shall not constitute a failure to comply with a condition precedent to the Surety's obligations, or release the Surety from its obligations, except to the extent the Surety demonstrates actual prejudice.

§ 5 When the Owner has satisfied the conditions of Section 3, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense take one of the following actions:

§ 5.1 Arrange for the Contractor, with the consent of the Owner, to perform and complete the Construction Contract;

§ 5.2 Undertake to perform and complete the Construction Contract itself, through its agents or independent contractors;

§ 5.3 Obtain bids or negotiated proposals from qualified contractors acceptable to the Owner for a contract for performance and completion of the Construction Contract, arrange for a contract to be prepared for execution by the Owner and a contractor selected with the Owner's concurrence, to be secured with performance and payment bonds executed by a qualified surety equivalent to the bonds issued on the Construction Contract, and pay to the Owner the amount of damages as described in Section 7 in excess of the Balance of the Contract Price incurred by the Owner as a result of the Contractor Default; or

§ 5.4 Waive its right to perform and complete, arrange for completion, or obtain a new contractor and with reasonable promptness under the circumstances:

- .1 After investigation, determine the amount for which it may be liable to the Owner and, as soon as practicable after the amount is determined, make payment to the Owner; or
- .2 Deny liability in whole or in part and notify the Owner, citing the reasons for denial.

§ 6 If the Surety does not proceed as provided in Section 5 with reasonable promptness, the Surety shall be deemed to be in default on this Bond seven days after receipt of an additional written notice from the Owner to the Surety demanding that the Surety perform its obligations under this Bond, and the Owner shall be entitled to enforce any remedy available to the Owner. If the Surety proceeds as provided in Section 5.4, and the Owner refuses the payment or the Surety has denied liability, in whole or in part, without further notice the Owner shall be entitled to enforce any remedy available to the Owner.



§ 7 If the Surety elects to act under Section 5.1, 5.2 or 5.3, then the responsibilities of the Surety to the Owner shall not be greater than those of the Contractor under the Construction Contract, and the responsibilities of the Owner to the Surety shall not be greater than those of the Owner under the Construction Contract. Subject to the commitment by the Owner to pay the Balance of the Contract Price, the Surety is obligated, without duplication, for

- .1 the responsibilities of the Contractor for correction of defective work and completion of the Construction Contract;
- .2 additional legal, design professional and delay costs resulting from the Contractor's Default, and resulting from the actions or failure to act of the Surety under Section 5; and
- .3 liquidated damages, or if no liquidated damages are specified in the Construction Contract, actual damages caused by delayed performance or non-performance of the Contractor.

§ 8 If the Surety elects to act under Section 5.1, 5.3 or 5.4, the Surety's liability is limited to the amount of this Bond.

§ 9 The Surety shall not be liable to the Owner or others for obligations of the Contractor that are unrelated to the Construction Contract, and the Balance of the Contract Price shall not be reduced or set off on account of any such unrelated obligations. No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to any person or entity other than the Owner or its heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns.

§ 10 The Surety hereby waives notice of any change, including changes of time, to the Construction Contract or to related subcontracts, purchase orders and other obligations.

§ 11 Any proceeding, legal or equitable, under this Bond may be instituted in any court of competent jurisdiction in the location in which the work or part of the work is located and shall be instituted within two years after a declaration of Contractor Default or within two years after the Contractor ceased working or within two years after the Surety refuses or fails to perform its obligations under this Bond, whichever occurs first. If the provisions of this Paragraph are void or prohibited by law, the minimum period of limitation available to sureties as a defense in the jurisdiction of the suit shall be applicable.

§ 12 Notice to the Surety, the Owner or the Contractor shall be mailed or delivered to the address shown on the page on which their signature appears.

§ 13 When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location where the construction was to be performed, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.

#### § 14 Definitions

§ 14.1 **Balance of the Contract Price.** The total amount payable by the Owner to the Contractor under the Construction Contract after all proper adjustments have been made, including allowance to the Contractor of any amounts received or to be received by the Owner in settlement of insurance or other claims for damages to which the Contractor is entitled, reduced by all valid and proper payments made to or on behalf of the Contractor under the Construction Contract.

§ 14.2 **Construction Contract.** The agreement between the Owner and Contractor identified on the cover page, including all Contract Documents and changes made to the agreement and the Contract Documents.

§ 14.3 **Contractor Default.** Failure of the Contractor, which has not been remedied or waived, to perform or otherwise to comply with a material term of the Construction Contract.

§ 14.4 **Owner Default.** Failure of the Owner, which has not been remedied or waived, to pay the Contractor as required under the Construction Contract or to perform and complete or comply with the other material terms of the Construction Contract.

§ 14.5 **Contract Documents.** All the documents that comprise the agreement between the Owner and Contractor.

§ 15 If this Bond is issued for an agreement between a Contractor and subcontractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

§ 16 Modifications to this bond are as follows:

*(Space is provided below for additional signatures of added parties, other than those appearing on the cover page.)*

**CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Corporate Seal)*

**SURETY**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Corporate Seal)*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title:  
Address

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title:  
Address



Bond No. 1107915

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## Payment Bond

**CONTRACTOR:**

*(Name, legal status and address)*

J. E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
216 Avalon Cir, Ste A  
Brandon, MS 39047

**SURETY:**

*(Name, legal status and principal place of business)*

The Hanover Insurance Company  
440 Lincoln Street  
Worcester, MA 01653  
Mailing Address for Notices

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

**OWNER:**

*(Name, legal status and address)*

Madison County Board of Supervisors  
146 West Center Street  
Canton, MS 39046

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT**

Date: April 15, 2024

Amount: \$ 360,500.00 Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100

Description:

*(Name and location)*

Madison County Board of Supervisors Madison County Office Building Board Room Improvements Re-bid Canton, Mississippi

**BOND**

Date: April 15, 2024

*(Not earlier than Construction Contract Date)*

Amount: \$ 360,500.00 Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100

Modifications to this Bond:  None  See Section 18

**CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL**

Company: *(Corporate Seal)*

J. E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: *Joshua Stevens  
President*

**SURETY**

Company: *(Corporate Seal)*

The Hanover Insurance Company

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: Stephen Wesley Price, Jr.  
Attorney-in-Fact



*(Any additional signatures appear on the last page of this Payment Bond.)*

*(FOR INFORMATION ONLY — Name, address and telephone)*

**AGENT or BROKER:**

Fisher Brown Bottrell Insurance, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1490  
Jackson, MS  
601-960-8200

**OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE:**

*(Architect, Engineer or other party:)*

JH&H Architects, Planners, Interiors PA  
1047 North Flowood Drive  
Flowood, MS 39232-9533

§ 1 The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to the Owner to pay for labor, materials and equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference, subject to the following terms.

§ 2 If the Contractor promptly makes payment of all sums due to Claimants, and defends, indemnifies and holds harmless the Owner from claims, demands, liens or suits by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, then the Surety and the Contractor shall have no obligation under this Bond.

§ 3 If there is no Owner Default under the Construction Contract, the Surety's obligation to the Owner under this Bond shall arise after the Owner has promptly notified the Contractor and the Surety (at the address described in Section 13) of claims, demands, liens or suits against the Owner or the Owner's property by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract and tendered defense of such claims, demands, liens or suits to the Contractor and the Surety.

§ 4 When the Owner has satisfied the conditions in Section 3, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner against a duly tendered claim, demand, lien or suit.

§ 5 The Surety's obligations to a Claimant under this Bond shall arise after the following:

§ 5.1 Claimants, who do not have a direct contract with the Contractor,

- .1 have furnished a written notice of non-payment to the Contractor, stating with substantial accuracy the amount claimed and the name of the party to whom the materials were, or equipment was, furnished or supplied or for whom the labor was done or performed, within ninety (90) days after having last performed labor or last furnished materials or equipment included in the Claim; and
- .2 have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Section 13).

§ 5.2 Claimants, who are employed by or have a direct contract with the Contractor, have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Section 13).

§ 6 If a notice of non-payment required by Section 5.1.1 is given by the Owner to the Contractor, that is sufficient to satisfy a Claimant's obligation to furnish a written notice of non-payment under Section 5.1.1.

§ 7 When a Claimant has satisfied the conditions of Sections 5.1 or 5.2, whichever is applicable, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense take the following actions:

§ 7.1 Send an answer to the Claimant, with a copy to the Owner, within sixty (60) days after receipt of the Claim, stating the amounts that are undisputed and the basis for challenging any amounts that are disputed; and

§ 7.2 Pay or arrange for payment of any undisputed amounts.

§ 7.3 The Surety's failure to discharge its obligations under Section 7.1 or Section 7.2 shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of defenses the Surety or Contractor may have or acquire as to a Claim, except as to undisputed amounts for which the Surety and Claimant have reached agreement. If, however, the Surety fails to discharge its obligations under Section 7.1 or Section 7.2, the Surety shall indemnify the Claimant for the reasonable attorney's fees the Claimant incurs thereafter to recover any sums found to be due and owing to the Claimant.

§ 8 The Surety's total obligation shall not exceed the amount of this Bond, plus the amount of reasonable attorney's fees provided under Section 7.3, and the amount of this Bond shall be credited for any payments made in good faith by the Surety.

§ 9 Amounts owed by the Owner to the Contractor under the Construction Contract shall be used for the performance of the Construction Contract and to satisfy claims, if any, under any construction performance bond. By the Contractor furnishing and the Owner accepting this Bond, they agree that all funds earned by the Contractor in the performance of the Construction Contract are dedicated to satisfy obligations of the Contractor and Surety under this Bond, subject to the Owner's priority to use the funds for the completion of the work.



§ 10 The Surety shall not be liable to the Owner, Claimants or others for obligations of the Contractor that are unrelated to the Construction Contract. The Owner shall not be liable for the payment of any costs or expenses of any Claimant under this Bond, and shall have under this Bond no obligation to make payments to, or give notice on behalf of, Claimants or otherwise have any obligations to Claimants under this Bond.

§ 11 The Surety hereby waives notice of any change, including changes of time, to the Construction Contract or to related subcontracts, purchase orders and other obligations.

§ 12 No suit or action shall be commenced by a Claimant under this Bond other than in a court of competent jurisdiction in the state in which the project that is the subject of the Construction Contract is located or after the expiration of one year from the date (1) on which the Claimant sent a Claim to the Surety pursuant to Section 5.1.2 or 5.2, or (2) on which the last labor or service was performed by anyone or the last materials or equipment were furnished by anyone under the Construction Contract, whichever of (1) or (2) first occurs. If the provisions of this Paragraph are void or prohibited by law, the minimum period of limitation available to sureties as a defense in the jurisdiction of the suit shall be applicable.

§ 13 Notice and Claims to the Surety, the Owner or the Contractor shall be mailed or delivered to the address shown on the page on which their signature appears. Actual receipt of notice or Claims, however accomplished, shall be sufficient compliance as of the date received.

§ 14 When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location where the construction was to be performed, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.

§ 15 Upon request by any person or entity appearing to be a potential beneficiary of this Bond, the Contractor and Owner shall promptly furnish a copy of this Bond or shall permit a copy to be made.

#### § 16 Definitions

§ 16.1 Claim. A written statement by the Claimant including at a minimum:

- .1 the name of the Claimant;
- .2 the name of the person for whom the labor was done, or materials or equipment furnished;
- .3 a copy of the agreement or purchase order pursuant to which labor, materials or equipment was furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract;
- .4 a brief description of the labor, materials or equipment furnished;
- .5 the date on which the Claimant last performed labor or last furnished materials or equipment for use in the performance of the Construction Contract;
- .6 the total amount earned by the Claimant for labor, materials or equipment furnished as of the date of the Claim;
- .7 the total amount of previous payments received by the Claimant; and
- .8 the total amount due and unpaid to the Claimant for labor, materials or equipment furnished as of the date of the Claim.

§ 16.2 Claimant. An individual or entity having a direct contract with the Contractor or with a subcontractor of the Contractor to furnish labor, materials or equipment for use in the performance of the Construction Contract. The term Claimant also includes any individual or entity that has rightfully asserted a claim under an applicable mechanic's lien or similar statute against the real property upon which the Project is located. The intent of this Bond shall be to include without limitation in the terms "labor, materials or equipment" that part of water, gas, power, light, heat, oil, gasoline, telephone service or rental equipment used in the Construction Contract, architectural and engineering services required for performance of the work of the Contractor and the Contractor's subcontractors, and all other items for which a mechanic's lien may be asserted in the jurisdiction where the labor, materials or equipment were furnished.

§ 16.3 Construction Contract. The agreement between the Owner and Contractor identified on the cover page, including all Contract Documents and all changes made to the agreement and the Contract Documents.

**§ 16.4 Owner Default.** Failure of the Owner, which has not been remedied or waived, to pay the Contractor as required under the Construction Contract or to perform and complete or comply with the other material terms of the Construction Contract.

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**CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Corporate Seal)*

**SURETY**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Corporate Seal)*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title:  
Address

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title:  
Address



THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY  
CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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.

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY and MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY, both being corporations organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, and CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, (hereinafter individually and collectively the "Company") does hereby constitute and appoint,

Stephen Wesley Price, Jr.

Of Jackson, MS individually, if there be more than one named, as its true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact to sign, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver for, and on its behalf, and as its act and deed any place within the United States, any and all surety bonds, recognizances, undertakings, or other surety obligations. The execution of such surety bonds, recognizances, undertakings or surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Company, in their own proper persons. Provided however, that this power of attorney limits the acts of those named herein; and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner stated and to the extent of any limitation stated below:

Any such obligations in the United States, not to exceed Forty Million and No/100 (\$40,000,000) in any single instance

That this power is made and executed pursuant to the authority of the following Resolutions passed by the Board of Directors of said Company, and said Resolutions remain in full force and effect:

Surety Bond Number: 1107915  
Principal: J. E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC  
Obligee: Madison County Board of Supervisors

RESOLVED: That the President or any Vice President, in conjunction with any Vice President, be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to appoint Attorneys-in-fact of the Company, in its name and as it acts, to execute and acknowledge for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, waivers of citation and all other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, with power to attach thereto the seal of the Company. Any such writings so executed by such Attorneys-in-fact shall be binding upon the Company as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company in their own proper persons.

RESOLVED: That any and all Powers of Attorney and Certified Copies of such Powers of Attorney and certification in respect thereto, granted and executed by the President or Vice President in conjunction with any Vice President of the Company, shall be binding on the Company to the same extent as if all signatures therein were manually affixed, even though one or more of any such signatures thereon may be facsimile. (Adopted October 7, 1981 – The Hanover Insurance Company; Adopted April 14, 1982 – Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company; Adopted September 7, 2001 – Citizens Insurance Company of America and affirmed by each Company on March 24, 2014)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY, MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY and CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA have caused these presents to be sealed with their respective corporate seals, duly attested by two Vice Presidents, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023



The Hanover Insurance Company  
Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company  
Citizens Insurance Company of America

*James H. Kawiecki*  
James H. Kawiecki, Vice President

The Hanover Insurance Company  
Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company  
Citizens Insurance Company of America

*Joellen M. Mendoza*  
Joellen M. Mendoza, Vice President

STATE OF CONNECTICUT )  
COUNTY OF HARTFORD ) ss.

On this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023 before me came the above named Executive Vice President and Vice President of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, to me personally known to be the individuals and officers described herein, and acknowledged that the seals affixed to the preceding instrument are the corporate seals of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, respectively, and that the said corporate seals and their signatures as officers were duly affixed and subscribed to said instrument by the authority and direction of said Corporations.

Wendy Latounes  
Notary Public, State of Connecticut  
My Commission Expires July 31, 2025

*Wendy Latounes*  
Wendy Latounes, Notary Public  
My commission expires July 31, 2025

I, the undersigned Vice President of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Original Power of Attorney issued by said Companies, and do hereby further certify that the said Powers of Attorney are still in force and effect.

GIVEN under my hand and the seals of said Companies, at Worcester, Massachusetts, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024.

CERTIFIED COPY

The Hanover Insurance Company  
Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company  
Citizens Insurance Company of America  
*John Rowedder*  
John Rowedder, Vice President





# CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

4/11/2024

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

**IMPORTANT:** If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

<b>PRODUCER</b> Fisher Brown Bottrell Insurance, Inc. P. O. Box 1490 Jackson, MS 39215	<b>CONTACT NAME:</b> Hunter Cox, CBIA <b>PHONE (A/C, No, Ext):</b> (601) 960-8236 <b>FAX (A/C, No):</b> (601) 208-3063 <b>E-MAIL ADDRESS:</b> hcox@fbbins.com													
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### COVERAGES

CERTIFICATE NUMBER:

REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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C	Installation/Builder			BMO2467641346	4/15/2024	10/15/2025	Job Cost: 360,500
D	Owners & Contractors			04OCP002007309	4/15/2024	10/15/2025	Job Cost: 360,500

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)  
The General Liability Policy contains automatic Additional Insured wording with the named insured listed above, includes automatic Ongoing and Completed Operations coverage and is Primary/Non-Contributory for Additional Insureds when required by written contract with the named insured listed above.

The General Liability Policy contains an automatic Waiver of Subrogation provision when required by written contract with the named insured listed above.

The Umbrella Policy provides coverage for Products-Completed Operations per the policy wording;

SEE ATTACHED ACORD 101

### CERTIFICATE HOLDER

### CANCELLATION

JH&H Architects  
1047 N. Flowood Drive  
Flowood, MS 39232

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE



### ADDITIONAL REMARKS SCHEDULE

AGENCY <b>Fisher Brown Bottrell Insurance, Inc.</b>		NAMED INSURED <b>J.E. Stevens Construction Group, LLC</b> 216 Avalon Cir, Ste A Brandon, MS 39047	
POLICY NUMBER <b>SEE PAGE 1</b>			
CARRIER <b>SEE PAGE 1</b>	NAIC CODE <b>SEE P 1</b>	EFFECTIVE DATE: <b>SEE PAGE 1</b>	

**ADDITIONAL REMARKS**

**THIS ADDITIONAL REMARKS FORM IS A SCHEDULE TO ACORD FORM,  
FORM NUMBER: ACORD 25 FORM TITLE: Certificate of Liability Insurance**

**Description of Operations/Locations/Vehicles:**

**The Workers Compensation Policy contains a Blanket Waiver of Subrogation when required by written contract with the named insured listed above.**

**Joshua Stevens is an excluded officer on the policy.**

**Madison County Board of Supervisors is the owner of the Owners and Contractors Protective Liability Policy;**

**PROJECT:**

**Madison County Board of Supervisors Boardroom Renovations;**