



**“The Source for Commercial Roofing”**

**Louisiana Contractor's License # 39349**

**503 Coleman Place**

**P. O. Box 370**

**Kenner, Louisiana 70063**

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**504-305-5309**

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**“BID PROPOSAL FOR”**

**Replacement of The Existing Roof At The  
Grand Isle Library For The Jefferson Parish  
Library Department**

**Bid Number: 50-00140323**

**Submit To  
Jefferson Parish Purchasing Department  
200 Derbigny Street, Suite 4400  
General Government Building  
Bids Due: December 15, 2022 By 2:00P.M.**

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503 Coleman Place  
Kenner, Louisiana 70062  
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3450 Buffington Center • Suite B  
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TO: JEFFERSON PARISH  
PURCHASING DEPT  
200 DERBIGNY ST. SUITE 4400  
GRETN, LA 70053  
 (Owner to provide name and address of owner)

BID FOR: Furnish Labor, Materials, Equip  
Transportation for the Replacem  
the Existing Roof at the Grand  
Library for the Jefferson Paris  
 (Owner to provide name of project and  
 other identifying information)

The undersigned bidder hereby declares and represents that she/he; a) has carefully examined and understands the Bidding Documents, b) has not received, relied on, or based his bid on any verbal instructions contrary to the Bidding Documents or any addenda, c) has personally inspected and is familiar with the project site, and hereby proposes to provide all labor, materials, tools, appliances and facilities as required to perform, in a workmanlike manner, all work and services for the construction and completion of the referenced project, all in strict accordance with the Bidding Documents prepared by: Jefferson Parish Library Department

and dated: November 16, 2022

(Owner to provide name of entity preparing bidding documents.)

Bidders must acknowledge all addenda. The Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following **ADDENDA**: (Enter the number the Designer has assigned to each of the addenda that the Bidder is acknowledging) \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL BASE BID:** For all work required by the Bidding Documents (including any and all unit prices designated "Base Bid" \* but not alternates) the sum of:

One Hundred Fifty One Thousand Dollars (\$ ) 151,000.00

**ALTERNATES:** For any and all work required by the Bidding Documents for Alternates including any and all unit prices designated as alternates in the unit price description.

**Alternate No. 1** (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

N/A Dollars (\$ ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate No. 2** (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

N/A Dollars (\$ ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate No. 3** (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

N/A Dollars (\$ ) \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF BIDDER:** RYCARS Construction, LLC

**ADDRESS OF BIDDER:** P. O. Box 370, Kenner, Louisiana 70063

**LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER:** 39349

**NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER:** Ryan E. Burks

**TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER:** President

**SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER \*\*:** 

**DATE:** December 15, 2022

**THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE TO BE INCLUDED WITH THE SUBMISSION OF THIS LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM:**

\* The Unit Price Form shall be used if the contract includes unit prices. Otherwise it is not required and need not be included with the form. The number of unit prices that may be included is not limited and additional sheets may be included if needed.

\*\* **A CORPORATE RESOLUTION OR WRITTEN EVIDENCE** of the authority of the person signing the bid for the public work as prescribed by LA-R.S. 38:2218 (B)(5).

**BID SECURITY** in the form of a bid bond, certified check or cashier's check as prescribed by LA-R.S. 38:2218.(A) is attached to and made a part of this bid.



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### **Certification of Signature Authority**

Be it known that as of March 12, 2022 the Members and Managers of RYCARS Construction, LLC (a Louisiana organized limited liability company) hereby authorizes and empowers its Member, Ryan E. Burks to negotiate for and sign any and all bid proposal documents and/or contracts which this Limited Liability Company might enter into for the furnishing of services for the Company under such terms, conditions and stipulates, and for such consideration as he might deem to the best interest of the Company.

Respectfully,  
RYCARS Construction, LLC

Ryan E. Burks  
Managing Member

Company Seal



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Austin, Texas 78701  
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**CORPORATE RESOLUTION**

RYCARS CONSTRUCTION, LLC IS A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

SEE THE ATTACHED CERTIFICATE OF SIGNATURE AUTHORITY

EXCERPT FROM MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF  
N/A

INCORPORATED.

AT THE MEETING OF DIRECTORS OF \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  
INCORPORATED, DULY NOTICED AND HELD ON \_\_\_\_\_ N/A,  
A QUORUM BEING THERE PRESENT, ON MOTION DULY MADE AND SECONDED. IT  
WAS:

RESOLVED THAT \_\_\_\_\_ N/A, BE AND IS HEREBY  
APPOINTED, CONSTITUTED AND DESIGNATED AS AGENT AND ATTORNEY-IN-  
FACT OF THE CORPORATION WITH FULL POWER AND AUTHORITY TO ACT ON  
BEHALF OF THIS CORPORATION IN ALL NEGOTIATIONS, BIDDING, CONCERNS  
AND TRANSACTIONS WITH THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON OR ANY OF ITS AGENCIES,  
DEPARTMENTS, EMPLOYEES OR AGENTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE  
EXECUTION OF ALL BIDS, PAPERS, DOCUMENTS, AFFIDAVITS, BONDS, SURETIES,  
CONTRACTS AND ACTS AND TO RECEIVE ALL PURCHASE ORDERS AND NOTICES  
ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ANY SUCH BID OR CONTRACT, THIS  
CORPORATION HEREBY RATIFYING, APPROVING, CONFIRMING, AND ACCEPTING  
EACH AND EVERY SUCH ACT PERFORMED BY SAID AGENT AND ATTORNEY-IN-  
FACT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO BE  
A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF AN  
EXCERPT OF THE MINUTES OF THE ABOVE  
DATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF  
DIRECTORS OF SAID CORPORATION, AND  
THE SAME HAS NOT BEEN REVOKED OR  
RESCINDED.

N/A

\_\_\_\_\_  
**SECRETARY-TREASURER**

12/15/2022

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**



12-13-2022

## Bid Bond in Accordance with Contract Specifications

SLA12135660

RYCARS Construction, LLC

Bond Number

Principal Name

503 Coleman Place, Kenner, LA, 70062, US

Principal Address

Principal Signature

Jefferson Parish

200 Derbigny Street, Gretna, LA, 70053, US

Owner/Obligee Name

Owner/Obligee Address

### Bond Information

12-15-2022

Great Midwest Insurance Company

39349000

Bid Date

Surety

Contractor Vendor ID Number

50-00140323

Contract ID Number

Replacement of Existing Roof at Grand Isle Library for Jefferson Parish Library Dept

Description of Job

5% of amount bid

5%

Amount of Bid Security

Bid Security Maximum

Bid Security Percentage

Steven M. Baas

Attorney-in-Fact

Houchens Insurance Group

Bond Entered and Executed By

Primary Agency

Attorney-In-Fact Signature

Know all men by these presents that Great Midwest Insurance Company, a Corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of TX, are held and firmly bound unto the above owner/obligee by the transmission. The surety agrees to waive the statute of Fraud defense and further agrees that the owner/obligee is a third party beneficiary of the waiver for the purposes of enforcing this bid bond.







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## CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

1/5/2022

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> Houchens Insurance Group 1240 Fairway Street Bowling Green, KY 42103	<b>CONTACT NAME:</b> Destiny Spears	
	<b>PHONE (A/C, No, Ext):</b> (270) 563-7119 4290 <b>FAX (A/C, No):</b> (270) 843-8808	
	<b>E-MAIL ADDRESS:</b> dspears@higusa.com	
<b>INSURED</b>  RYCARS Construction LLC PO Box 370 Kenner, LA 70063	<b>INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE</b>	<b>NAIC #</b>
	<b>INSURER A:</b> Burlington Insurance Company	23620
	<b>INSURER B:</b> Auto-Owners Insurance Company	18988
	<b>INSURER C:</b> Scottsdale Insurance Company	41297
	<b>INSURER D:</b> Amerisafe, Inc.	
	<b>INSURER E:</b> Lloyds	
	<b>INSURER F:</b>	

## 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.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR  GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:			268BG06491	1/1/2022	1/1/2023	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 100,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000 \$
B	<b>AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY</b> <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY			53-173-742-00	1/1/2022	1/1/2023	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
C	<input type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIAB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED RETENTION \$			XLS0121682	1/1/2022	1/1/2023	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 AGGREGATE \$ 1,000,000 \$
D	<b>WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY</b> ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Y/N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below		N/A	AVWCLA3053162022	1/1/2022	1/1/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000
E	<b>Inland Marine</b>			21MRSNU200001	1/1/2022	1/31/2022	Leased/Rented 100,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

## CERTIFICATE HOLDER

## CANCELLATION

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

Evidence of Coverage

ACORD 25 (2016/03)

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**Public Works Bid****AFFIDAVIT****STATE OF** Louisiana**PARISH/COUNTY OF** Jefferson

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared: Ryan E. Burks  
\_\_\_\_\_, (Affiant) who after being by me duly sworn, deposed and said that  
he/she is the fully authorized President of RYCARS Construction, LLC (Entity),  
the party who submitted a bid in response to Bid Number 50-00140323, to the Parish of  
Jefferson.

Affiant further said:

Campaign Contribution Disclosures

**(Choose A or B, if option A is indicated please include the required attachment):**

**Choice A** \_\_\_\_\_ Attached hereto is a list of all campaign contributions, including the date and amount of each contribution, made to current or former elected officials of the Parish of Jefferson by Entity, Affiant, and/or officers, directors and owners, including employees, owning 25% or more of the Entity during the two-year period immediately preceding the date of this affidavit or the current term of the elected official, whichever is greater. Further, Entity, Affiant, and/or Entity Owners have not made any contributions to or in support of current or former members of the Jefferson Parish Council or the Jefferson Parish President through or in the name of another person or legal entity, either directly or indirectly.

**Choice B** X there are **NO** campaign contributions made which would require disclosure under Choice A of this section.



Affiant further said:

Debt Disclosures

**(Choose A or B, if option A is indicated please include the required attachment):**

**Choice A** \_\_\_\_\_ Attached hereto is a list of all debts owed by the affiant to any elected or appointed official of the Parish of Jefferson, and any and all debts owed by any elected or appointed official of the parish to the Affiant.

**Choice B**   X   There are **NO** debts which would require disclosure under Choice A of this section.

Affiant further said:

That Affiant has employed no person, corporation, firm, association, or other organization, either directly or indirectly, to secure the public contract under which he received payment, other than persons regularly employed by the Affiant whose services in connection with the construction, alteration or demolition of the public building or project or in securing the public contract were in the regular course of their duties for Affiant; and

That no part of the contract price received by Affiant was paid or will be paid to any person, corporation, firm, association, or other organization for soliciting the contract, other than the payment of their normal compensation to persons regularly employed by the Affiant whose services in connection with the construction, alteration or demolition of the public building or project were in the regular course of their duties for Affiant.

Affiant further said:

Affiant personally has not been convicted of, nor has he/she entered into a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any of the crimes or equivalent federal crimes listed below. No individual partner, incorporator, director, manager, officer, organizer, or member, who has a minimum of a ten percent ownership in the Bidding Entity, has been convicted of, or has entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any of the crimes or equivalent federal crimes listed below. A conviction of or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to the following state crimes or equivalent federal crimes shall permanently bar any person or the bidding entity from bidding on public projects:

- (a) Public bribery (R.S. 14:118)
- (b) Corrupt influencing (R.S. 14:120)
- (c) Extortion (R.S. 14:66)
- (d) Money laundering (R.S. 14:230)



A conviction of or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to the following state crimes or equivalent federal crimes shall bar any person or the bidding entity from bidding on public projects for a period of five years from the date of conviction or from the date of the entrance of the plea of guilty or nolo contendere:

- (a) Theft (R.S. 14:67)
- (b) Identity Theft (R.S. 14:67, 16)
- (c) Theft of a business record (R.S. 14:67.20)
- (d) False accounting (R.S. 14:70)
- (e) Issuing worthless checks (R.S. 14:71)
- (f) Bank fraud (R.S. 14:71.1)
- (g) Forgery (R.S. 14:72)
- (h) Contractors; misapplication of payments (R.S. 14:202)
- (i) Malfeasance in office (R.S. 14:134)

The five-year prohibition provided for in this section shall apply only if the crime was committed during the solicitation or execution of a contract or bid awarded pursuant to these provisions. If evidence is submitted substantiating that a false attestation has been made and the project must be readvertised or the contract cancelled, the awarded entity making the false attestation shall be responsible to the public entity for the costs of rebidding, additional costs due to increased costs of bids and any and all delay costs due to the rebid or cancellation of this project.

*[The remainder of this page is intentionally left blank.]*

Affiant further said:

- (1) Entity is registered and participates in a status verification system to verify that all employees in the State of Louisiana are legal citizens of the United States or are legal aliens.
- (2) Entity shall continue, during the term of the contract, to utilize a status verification system to verify the legal status of all new employees in the State of Louisiana.
- (3) Entity shall require all subcontractors to submit to the Entity a sworn affidavit verifying compliance with statements (1) and (2).

Signature of Affiant

Ryan E. Burks

Printed Name of Affiant

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

ON THE 15th DAY OF December, 2022.

Notary Public

Claudette Madere

Printed Name of Notary

84527

Notary/Bar Roll Number



My commission expires Perpetual.

APPENDIX A: The ensuing contract for this bid solicitation may be eligible for FEMA reimbursement. As such Appendix A will be applicable accordingly and shall be considered a part of the bid documents. All applicable certifications must be duly completed, signed and included in the submission. Failure to do so will result in rejection. (Bid No. 50-00140323 - Furnish Labor, Materials, Equipment, and Transportation for the Replacement of the Existing Roof at the Grand Isle Library for the Jefferson Parish Library Department)

Anti-Lobbying Form

**CERTIFICATION OF RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING**

I, Ryan E. Burks, President, hereby certify on  
(name and title of bidder's official)

behalf of RYCARS Construction, LLC that:  
(name of bidder)

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Executed this 15th day of December, 2022.

By   
(signature of authorized official)

President  
(title of authorized official)



APPENDIX A: The ensuing contract for this bid solicitation may be eligible for FEMA reimbursement. As such Appendix A will be applicable accordingly and shall be considered a part of the bid documents. All applicable certifications must be duly completed, signed and included in the submission. Failure to do so will result in rejection. (Bid No. 50-00140323 - Furnish Labor, Materials, Equipment, and Transportation for the Replacement of the Existing Roof at the Grand Isle Library for the Jefferson Parish Library Department)

Debarment/Suspension Form

### DEBARMENT/SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION

**Debarment:**

Federal Executive Order (E.O.) 12549 "Debarment" requires that all contractors receiving individual awards, using federal funds, and all subrecipients certify that the organization and its principals are not debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded by any Federal department or agency from doing business with the Federal Government. By signing this document you certify that your organization and its principals are not debarred. Failure to comply or attempts to edit this language may disqualify your bid. Information on debarment is available at the following websites: [www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov) and <https://acquisition.gov/far/index.html> see section 52.209-6.

Your signature certifies that neither you nor your principal is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Ryan E. Burks, President

(Name and Title of bidder's official)

RYCARS Construction, LLC

(Name of bidder/company)

P. O. Box 370

(Address)

Kenner, Louisiana 70063

(Address)

PHONE 504-305-5309 FAX 504-305-5308

EMAIL [ryanburks@rycars.com](mailto:ryanburks@rycars.com)

 Signature December 15, 2022 Date

**Request for Taxpayer  
Identification Number and Certification**

Give Form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.

Print or type  
See Specific Instructions on page 2.

Name (as shown on your income tax return) <b>RYCARS CONSTRUCTION, LLC</b>	
Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
Check appropriate box for federal tax classification: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ <b>S</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Exempt payee <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶	
Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) <b>503 Coleman Place</b>	Requester's name and address (optional)
City, state, and ZIP code <b>Kenner, Louisiana 70062</b>	
List account number(s) here (optional)	

**Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)**

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
			-						
Employer identification number									
3	7	-	1	4	2	3	2	8	8

**Part II Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶ 	Date ▶ <b>12/14/2022</b>
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**General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Purpose of Form**

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

Note. If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.