

*Jaob Martin* 12/18/2025  
Checked by: *BH* Date 12/19/2025

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
AND DEVELOPMENT**



**CONTRACT  
FOR  
CITY OF THIBODAUX  
FEDERAL AID PROJECT  
STATE PROJECT NO. H.015856  
BOWIE ROAD SIDEWALKS (THIBODAUX)  
LAFOURCHE PARISH**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
CITY OF THIBODAUX  
CONTRACT**

This agreement is made and executed in two (2) originals, between the City of Thibodaux, acting through the duly authorized representative, hereafter designated as the "Contracting Agency," and Byron E. Talbot Contractor, Inc., hereafter designated as the "Contractor,"

The Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, hereafter designated as "Department" did advertise for, receive and accept a bid from the Contractor for work on a construction project for the Contracting Agency identified as,

**SBE GOAL PROJECT  
STATE PROJECT NO.H.015856  
FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. H015856  
DESCRIPTION: BOWIE ROAD SIDEWALKS (THIBODAUX)  
NON-NHS ROUTE: LOCAL ROADS  
PARISH: LAFOURCHE  
LENGTH: 0.268 Miles  
TYPE: GRADING, SIDEWALKS AND RELATED WORK.  
LIMITS: LOCATED ALONG BOWIE ROAD FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH ARDOYNE RD  
TO APPROXIMATELY 550 FEET SOUTH OF ITS JUNCTION WITH ROUTE LA 1 (E 1ST Street), AS  
SHOWN IN THE PLANS.**

The Contractor's submission is evidenced by a copy of the "Vendor's Bid Information Sheet" incorporated herein as part of the Contract Documents defined hereafter.

In consideration of the agreements herein contained, to be performed by the parties hereto and of the payments hereafter agreed to be made, it is mutually agreed by both parties that:

**CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

The contract consists of the "Contract Documents" including but not limited to the following:

- a. Agreement (This Instrument)
- b. Vendor's Bid Information Sheet
- c. Louisiana Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges, 2016 Edition (hereafter referred to as "2016 Standard Specifications")
- d. Construction Proposal (Notice to Contractors, Required Federal Aid Construction Contract Provisions, Required Federal Aid SBE Participation Contract Provisions, Special Provisions, Supplemental Specifications, Schedule of Items)
- e. Plans
- f. Plan revisions
- g. Zero (0) Addenda made or issued prior to receipt of bids
- h. Payment, Performance, and Retainage Bonds or Retainage Agreement.

For these purposes, all of the provisions contained in the listed Contract Documents are incorporated herein by reference with the same force and effect as though said Contract Documents were herein set out in full. The Contract Documents are kept in the official file at the Contracting Agency together with the acknowledgment of receipt correspondence signed by the Contractor.

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**INTENT OF CONTRACT**

In accordance with the 2016 Standard Specifications and the Contract Documents, the Contractor agrees to the terms and requirements for the intent of the contract to provide all materials, equipment and labor and perform the work required to complete the project in a thorough and workmanlike manner, to the satisfaction of the appropriate official of the Contracting Agency.

**CONTRACT AMOUNT**

The Contractor did submit as advertised with his (her) bid, a dollar value amount for each of the items designated in the construction proposal on the "Schedule of Items" and that the "Schedule of Items," attached hereto and incorporated herein as part of the Contract Documents, submitted by the contractor, establish that the total contract amount for this project is **TWO HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX AND 80/100 DOLLARS (\$209,826.80)** as obtained by a summation of the product of the unit bid price submitted by the contractor for each item multiplied by the item quantity as estimated by the Department. The Contractor agrees to accept and the Contracting Agency agrees to pay for the work at the prices stipulated in this contract in lawful money of the United States in a timely manner as set forth in the 2016 Standard Specifications.

**PARTICIPATION IN PAYMENT ADJUSTMENT STATEMENT**

If this project is designated by special provision 109.09 as being subject to payment adjustment for increases in material prices, in accordance with the electronic bidding documents, the contractor has elected not to be subject to the Payment Adjustment Provision as contained in the construction proposal.

**CONTRACT TIME**

The entire contract shall be completed in all details and ready for final acceptance within **ninety (90) calendar days**. Performance of work on this contract shall begin on the date stipulated in the "Notice to Proceed" and shall be completed within the time specified in the Contract Documents, subject to such extensions as may be authorized.

**ALTERATION OF CONTRACT**

In accordance with the 2016 Standard Specifications and the Contract Documents, the Contractor agrees to the terms and requirements for alteration of the contract.

**STIPULATED DAMAGES**

Contractor agrees to the assessment of Stipulated Damages as provided in 108.08 of the 2016 Standard Specifications as amended by the Contract Documents.

**DAMAGE CLAIMS**

Contractor acknowledges that he/she has reviewed and understands 107.17 of the 2016 Standard Specifications and specifically agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions thereof.

**JOINT EFFORT**

This Agreement shall be deemed for all purposes prepared by the joint efforts of the parties hereto and shall not be construed against one party or the other as a result of the preparation, drafting, submittal or other event of negotiation, drafting or execution of the Agreement.

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Form AC-15BB

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
CITY OF THIBODAUX  
CONTRACT FOR STATE PROJECT NO. H.015856

This contract shall become effective on the date all parties hereto have signed the same.

In witness whereof, the Contracting Agency, and the Contractor, has also hereunto subscribed their name.

BYRON E. TALBOT CONTRACTOR, INC.  
CONTRACTOR

72 - 0791732

(Federal Identification Number)

By:

(Signature of Authorized Agent)

Bonnie M. Sanchez  
Witness

Rachelle Carlson  
Witness

12-30-25

(Date)

Byron E. Talbot, President

Typed or Printed Name and Title

STATE OF LOUISIANA

CITY OF THIBODAUX

By:

(Signature of Duly Authorized Representative)

Witness

Witness

(Title of Duly Authorized Representative)

(Date)

**Vendor 1 of 4: Byron E. Talbot Contractor, Inc. (12198000)  
Call Order 014 (Proposal: H.015856.6)**

**Bid Information**

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**Proposal County:** Lafourche  
**Vendor Address:** 24288 HWY. 190  
ROBERT, LA, 70455  
**Signature Check:** Byron E. Talbot  
**Time Bid Received:** December 10, 2025 08:41 AM  
**Amendment Count:** 0

**Bid Checksum:** 2BC3EBEC52  
**Bid Total:** \$209,826.80  
**Items Total:** \$209,826.80  
**Time Total:** \$0.00

**Bidding Errors:**  
None.

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Bid Bond Information

<b>Projects:</b>	<b>Bond Maximum:</b>
<b>Counties:</b>	<b>State of Incorporation:</b>
<b>Bond ID:</b> SLA1203920062	<b>Agency Execution Date:</b> 12/03/2025 08:30:49 PM
<b>Paid by Check:</b> No	<b>Surety Name:</b> Surety2000
<b>Bond Percent:</b> 5%	<b>Bond Agency Name:</b> Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

**FORM CS-6AAA  
BIDDERS ASSURANCE SBE PARTICIPATION**

S.P. #	H.015856.6	Contract Amount: \$	209,826.80
F.A.P.#	H015856	SBE Goal Percentage:	8.00
Letting Date:	12/10/2025	SBE Goal Dollar Value: \$	16,786.14

By its signature affixed hereto, the contractor assures the DOTD that one of the following situations exists (check only one box):

- ☒ The Project goal will be met or exceeded.  
☐ A portion of the project goal can be met, as indicated below. Good faith effort documentation is attached.  
 SBE Goal Participation Amount \_\_\_\_\_ % \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The contractor certifies that each firm listed is currently on the SBE list as maintained by DOTD and is certified for the items of work shown on the attachment(s). The contractor having assured that the goal for SBE participation prescribed in the special provisions will be met or exceeded, or that the portion of the SBE goal will be met or exceeded, attests that negotiations are in progress or complete and that a subcontract(s) will be executed with the firm(s) listed below within 60 calendar days after award of contract.

NAME OF SBE FIRMS(S)	INTENDED SUBCONTRACT PRICE*
Zee Consulting, LLC	17,542.20
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Firms	
<b>PAGE TOTAL \$</b>	<b>\$17,542.20</b>

\*For supplier list only the value of the subcontract that can be credited toward the SBE goal. This amount shall be equal to the amount shown for the supplier on the Attachment to Form CS-6AAA. Details are listed on the attachment(s) to Form CS-6AAA.

The contractor assessed the capability and availability of named firm(s) and sees no impediment to prevent award of subcontract(s) as described on the attachments.

The contractor shall evaluate the subcontract work or services actually performed by the SBE to ensure that a commercially useful function is being served in accordance with the Required Contract Provisions for SBE Participation in Federal Aid Construction Contracts. The contractor understands that no credit toward the SBE goal will be allowed for a SBE that does not perform a commercially useful function.

NAME OF CONTRACTOR		BYRON TALBOT CONTRACTOR, INC.
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE		
TYPED OR PRINTED	Byron E. Talbot	
TITLE	President	
CONTRACTOR'S SBE LIAISON OFFICER	Isabella Coslan	
(typed or printed name)		
PHONE NUMBER	885-447-5764	
DATE	TAX ID#	720791732
DOTD OFFICE USE ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> DBE <input type="checkbox"/> SBE REQUIREMENTS MET		
SIGNATURE		DATE

# ATTACHMENT TO FORM CS-6AAA

S.P.#	H.015856.6	F.A.P.#	H015856
NAME OF SBE:	Zee Consulting, LLC		
PHONE#	(225)413-1603	CONTACT PERSON:	Rachel Zeringue

Fully describe the work to be performed (furnish materials and install, labor only, supply only, manufacture, hauling, etc.) quantity, unit price, and dollar value for each item to be subcontracted to the SBE listed below.

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM & WORK	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	\$ VALUE
203-07-00100	SUPPLY, BORROW (VEHICULAR MEASUREMENT)	100.000	14.87	898.20
402-01-00101	SUPPLY, TRAFFIC MAINTENANCE SURFACING (AGGREGATE) (VEHICULAR MEAS)	37.000	45.00	999.00
NS-700-00100	SUPPLY, TRENCH DRAINS	7.000	3,725.00	15,645.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Items				ITEMS PAGE TOTAL \$
				\$17,542.20

Describe the types of assistance, if any, the contractor will provide to any SBE on this project.

The contractor and SBE subcontractor attest that a subcontract will be executed for the items of work listed above. The contractor acknowledges that it will only receive credit toward the SBE goal if the subcontractor performs a commercially useful function. The SBE understands that it is responsible for performing a commercially useful function.

SBE CONTRACTOR'S SIGNATURE	
TYPED OR PRINTED NAME	Rachel Zeringue
TITLE	MBP BOR
DATE	12/12/2025
TAX ID#	455576134
PRIME CONTRACTOR'S SIGNATURE	
TYPED OR PRINTED NAME	Byron E. Talbot
TITLE	President
DATE	12-15-25





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## Contract Schedule

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Contract ID: H.015856.6

Project(s): H.015856.6

Awarded Vendor: 12198000

Byron E. Talbot Contractor, Inc.

SECTION 1

General Items

\$209,826.80

Proposal Line Number	Item ID Description	Approximate Quantity and Units	Unit Price		Bid Amount	
			Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Cents
0001	203-05-00100 Excavation and Embankment	LUMP SUM			12,000.00	
0002	203-07-00100 Borrow (Vehicular Measurement)	100,000 CUYD	26.00		2,600.00	
0003	204-02-00100 Temporary Hay Bales	105,000 EACH	75.00		7,875.00	
0004	204-08-00100 Temporary Silt Fencing	2,880,000 LNFT	4.00		10,720.00	
0005	402-01-00101 Traffic Maintenance Surfacing (Aggregate) (Vehicular Measurement)	30,000 CUYD	130.00		3,900.00	
0006	706-01-00100 Concrete Walk (4" Thick)	943,600 SQYD	73.00		68,882.80	
0007	706-02-00200 Concrete Drive (6" Thick)	72,200 SQYD	120.00		8,664.00	
0008	713-01-00100 Temporary Signs and Barricades	LUMP SUM			9,700.00	
0009	717-01-00100 Seeding Hulled Bermuda	32,000 LB	30.00		960.00	
0010	718-01-00100 Fertilizer 8-8-8	1,050,000 LB	3.00		3,150.00	
0011	727-01-00100 Mobilization	LUMP SUM			11,500.00	
0012	729-01-00102 Sign (Type A)(Furnish and Install)	6,300 SQFT	250.00		1,575.00	
0013	732-01-02080 Plastic Pavement Striping (24" Width) (Thermoplastic 125 ml)	68,000 LNFT	150.00		9,900.00	



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Proposal Line Number	Item ID Description	Approximate Quantity and Units	Unit Price		Bid Amount	
			Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Cents
0014	740-01-00100 Construction Layout	LUMP SUM			7,200.00	
0015	NS-700-00100 Trench Drains	7.000 EACH	7,000.00		49,000.00	
0016	TS-700-05000 Decorative Sign/Post	1.000 EACH	2,200.00		2,200.00	
Total Bid:					\$209,826.80	

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
PAYMENT, PERFORMANCE, AND RETAINAGE BONDS**

Be it known that **Byron E. Talbot Contractor, Inc.**, as Principal, and  
Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

, as Surety(ies), authorized to do business in Louisiana, hereby bind themselves, in solido, to the **City of Thibodaux**, and other potential claimants, for all obligations incurred by the Principal under its contract for the construction of **STATE PROJECT NO. H.015856, FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. H015856, DESCRIPTION: BOWIE ROAD SIDEWALKS (THIBODAUX), NON-NHS ROUTE: LOCAL ROADS, PARISH: LAFOURCHE**, in the full contract amount of **TWO HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX AND 80/100 DOLLARS (\$209,826.80)**.

The obligations of the Principal and Surety(ies) under these payment, performance, and retainage bonds shall continue in full force and effect until all materials, equipment, and labor have been provided, AND all requirements contained in the contract, plans, and specifications have been completed in a timely, thorough, and workmanlike manner. The parties acknowledge that these bonds are given under the provisions and limitations contained in La. R.S. 48:250 et seq.

By this instrument(s), the Principal and Surety(ies) specifically bind themselves, their heirs, successors, and assigns, in solido, under the following bonds:

**PAYMENT BOND.** To the **City of Thibodaux**, and all "Claimants," as defined in La. R.S. 48:256.5 in the full contract amount of **TWO HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX AND 80/100 DOLLARS (\$209,826.80)**, in order to secure the full and timely claims under the project. The parties agree this bond is statutory in nature and governed by La. R.S. 48:256.3.

Claims pursuant to La. R.S. 48:256.3 shall be delivered to the Contracting Officer of the Contracting Agency.

**PERFORMANCE BOND.** To the **City of Thibodaux**, in the full contract amount of **TWO HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX AND 80/100 DOLLARS (\$209,826.80)**, in order to secure the full and faithful performance and timely completion of the project according to its plans and specifications, inclusive of overpayments to the contractor and stipulated damages as assessed.

**RETAINAGE BOND.** To the **City of Thibodaux**, in the full sum of **TWENTY THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO AND 68/100 DOLLARS (\$20,982.68)**, ten percent (10%) of the contract amount, in lieu of the sums required to be withheld from progress payments under La. R.S. 48:256.1, inclusive of overpayments to the contractor and stipulated damages as assessed.

**CONTRACTOR OPTION: RETAINAGE**

I, Principal, elect to exercise my option to have ten percent retainage withheld from all payments in lieu of the above retainage bond.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Principal

**STATE OF LOUISIANA  
PAYMENT, PERFORMANCE, AND RETAINAGE BONDS**

In witness whereof we have signed this instrument as dated.

Bonnie M. Sanchez  
Witness

Isabella Coslan  
Witness

Jamie Fria  
Witness

Kathryn Suiet  
Witness

BYRON E. TALBOT CONTRACTOR, INC.

By [Signature]  
Principal

12-30-25  
Date

Byron E. Talbot, President  
Typed or Printed Name and Title

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company  
Surety

By Laura Verrett  
Attorney-in-Fact (Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Laura Verrett, Attorney in Fact  
Typed or Printed Name

N/A  
Surety

N/A  
Witness

By N/A  
Attorney-in-Fact (Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

N/A  
Witness

N/A  
Typed or Printed Name

A copy of the contract and subsequent correspondence/communication from LA DOTD or the contracting agency with respect to the contract bonds should be directed to:

(FOR SURETY 1)

(FOR SURETY 2)

Paul's Agency, LLC  
Bonding Agency or Company Name

N/A  
Bonding Agency or Company Name

Laura Verrett  
Local Agent or Representative

N/A  
Local Agent or Representative

P.O. Box 1680  
Address

N/A  
Address

Morgan City, LA 70381

N/A

985-384-4450  
Phone Number

N/A  
Phone Number

985-385-0842  
Fax Number

N/A  
Fax Number

## Power of Attorney

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, an Ohio corporation

hereinafter referred to severally as the "Company" and collectively as "the Companies" does hereby make, constitute and appoint:

LAURA VERRETT; MARK LANE; PHILIP G MCMAHON; RYAN GROS;

each in their individual capacity, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority to sign, seal, and execute on its behalf any and all bonds and undertakings, and other obligatory instruments of similar nature, in penalties not exceeding the sum of

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and to bind the Company thereby, as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Company; and all acts of said Attorney pursuant to the authority given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This power of attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company:

"RESOLVED, that the president, or any vice president be, and each hereby is, authorized and empowered to appoint attorneys-in-fact of the Company, and to authorize them to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company any and all bonds, forms, applications, memorandums, undertakings, recognizances, transfers, contracts of indemnity, policies, contracts guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding positions of public or private trust, and other writings obligatory in nature that the business of the Company may require; and to modify or revoke, with or without cause, any such appointment or authority; provided, however, that the authority granted hereby shall in no way limit the authority of other duly authorized agents to sign and countersign any of said documents on behalf of the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER, that such attorneys-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute and deliver any and all such documents and to bind the Company subject to the terms and limitations of the power of attorney issued to them, and to affix the seal of the Company thereto; provided, however, that said seal shall not be necessary for the validity of any such documents."

This power of attorney is signed and sealed under and by the following bylaws duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company.

Execution of Instruments. Any vice president, any assistant secretary or any assistant treasurer shall have the power and authority to sign or attest all approved documents, instruments, contracts, or other papers in connection with the operation of the business of the company in addition to the chairman of the board, the chief executive officer, president, treasurer or secretary; provided, however, the signature of any of them may be printed, engraved, or stamped on any approved document, contract, instrument, or other papers of the Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this instrument to be sealed and duly attested by the signature of its officer the 20th day of August, 2021.

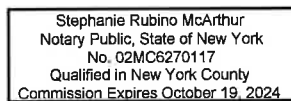


Antonio C. Albanese, Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK: ss

On this 20th day of August, 2021, before me came the above-named officer for the Company aforesaid, to me personally known to be the officer described in and who executed the preceding instrument, and he acknowledged the execution of the same, and being by me duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the officer of the Company aforesaid, that the seal affixed hereto is the corporate seal of said Company, and the said corporate seal and his signature were duly affixed and subscribed to said instrument by the authority and direction of said Company.

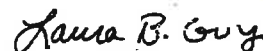


Notary Public  
My Commission Expires  
October 19, 2024

### CERTIFICATE

I, Laura B. Guy, Assistant Secretary of the Company, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original power of attorney issued by the Company; that the resolution included therein is a true and correct transcript from the minutes of the meetings of the boards of directors and the same has not been revoked or amended in any manner; that said Antonio C. Albanese was on the date of the execution of the foregoing power of attorney the duly elected officer of the Company, and the corporate seal and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority of said board of directors; and the foregoing power of attorney is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name as Assistant Secretary, and affixed the corporate seal of said Company this 30<sup>th</sup> day of DECEMBER, 2025.



Assistant Secretary