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**BID BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: THAT we, \_\_\_\_\_, as Principal, and \_\_\_\_\_, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Ojai Unified School District, hereinafter called the District, in the penal sum of PERCENT (10 %) OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE BID of the Principal submitted to the said District for the work described below for the payment of which sum in lawful money of the United States, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that whereas the Principal has submitted the accompanying bid dated \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall not withdraw said bid within the period specified therein after the opening of the same, or, if no period be specified, within sixty (60) days after said opening; and, if the Principal be awarded the contract, and shall within the period specified therefore, or, if no period be specified, within five (5) days after the prescribed forms are presented to him for signature, enter into a written contract with the District, in accordance with the bid as accepted and give bond with good and sufficient surety or sureties, as may be required, for the faithful performance and proper fulfillment of such contract and for the payment for labor and materials used for the performance of the contract, or in the event of the withdrawal of said bid within the period specified or the failure to enter into such contract and give such bonds within the time specified, if the Principal shall pay the District the difference between the amount specified in said bid and the amount for which the District may procure the required work and/or supplies, if the latter amount be in excess of the former, together with all costs incurred by the District in again calling for bids, then the above obligation shall be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the contract on the call for bids, or to the work to be performed thereunder, or the specifications accompanying the same, shall in anywise affect its obligation under this bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of said contract or the call for bids, or to the work, or to the specifications.

In the event suit is brought upon this bond by the District and judgment is recovered, the Surety shall pay all litigation expenses incurred by the District in such suit, including reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, expert witness fees and investigation expenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bound parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_, the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly assigned by its undersigned representative, pursuant to authority of its governing body.

(Corporate Seal)

PRINCIPAL \_\_\_\_\_

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

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

SURETY: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Attorney-in Fact

(Attach Attorney-in-Fact Certificate)