

# MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY™

MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) P.O. BOX 14498, DES MOINES, IA 50306-3498

PHONE: (800) 678-8171 FAX: (515) 243-3854

## OFFICIAL BOND

THE STATE OF Florida

Pinnellas

COUNTY

BOND No. 101536635

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Julie Marcus  
as Principal, and Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual), a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State  
of Florida, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Pinnellas County Government,  
in the penal sum of  
Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ( \$25,000.00 ) Dollars.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that whereas the above bounden Principal was duly elected or  
appointed to the office of Supervisor of Elections  
on the 5th day of November, 2024 for the term beginning on the 7th day of January, 2025,  
and ending on the 2nd day of January, 2029.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal shall faithfully perform and discharge all the duties of said office during his/her con-  
tinuance therein then the above obligation to be void, to otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force and the number of claims  
which may be made against this bond, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative and the aggregate liability of the  
Surety for any and all claims, suits, or actions under this bond shall not exceed the amount stated above. Any revision  
of the bond amount shall not be cumulative.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that this bond may be canceled by the Surety by sending written notice to the party to whom this  
bond is payable stating that, not less than thirty (30) days thereafter, the Surety's liability hereunder shall terminate as to  
subsequent acts of the Principal.

Signed and dated this 11th day of June, 2025.

Julie Marcus

By:

Julie Marcus

Principal

Countersigned (if required):

By:

By:

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

Steve Shike Attorney-in-Fact

Taken and approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Approving Officer

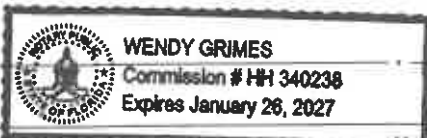
## OATH OF OFFICE

THE STATE OF Florida  
Pinnellas County

I, Julie Marcus, solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the  
State of Florida, and that I will faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of the office upon which I am about to  
enter, to the best of my ability.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day  
June, 2025

of



Notary Public

Julie Marcus

Principal

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### POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know All Persons By These Presents, that MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., both being corporations of the State of Iowa, and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY, an assumed name of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., (herein collectively called the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually,

**Steve Shike**

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to sign its name as surety(ies) and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

This Power-of-Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by authority of the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of the Companies.

"The President, Secretary, Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary or any Vice President shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof."

"The signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile or electronic transmission to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed."

In connection with obligations in favor of the Florida Department of Transportation only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact includes any and all consents for the release of retained percentages and/or final estimates on engineering and construction contracts required by the State of Florida Department of Transportation. It is fully understood that consenting to the State of Florida Department of Transportation making payment of the final estimate to the Contractor and/or its assignee, shall not relieve this surety company of any of its obligations under its bond.

In connection with obligations in favor of the Kentucky Department of Highways only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact cannot be modified or revoked unless prior written personal notice of such intent has been given to the Commissioner of Department of Highways of the Commonwealth of Kentucky at least thirty (30) days prior to the modification or revocation.

In Witness Whereof, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed this 11th day of June, 2025.



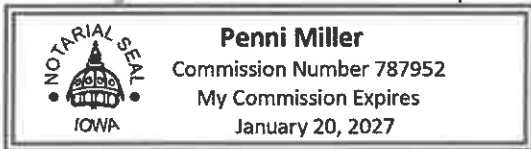
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MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.  
MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY

By

President

STATE OF IOWA  
COUNTY OF DALLAS ss.

On this 11th day of June, 2025, before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY; and that the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument are the Corporate Seals of the Companies; and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors.



(Expiration of notary's commission  
does not invalidate this instrument)

Notary Public

I, Elisabeth Sandersfeld, Secretary of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the POWER-OF-ATTORNEY executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect and has not been amended or revoked.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Companies on this 11th day of June, 2025.



Secretary

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## OBLIGEE

Pinnellas County Government

Largo, FL 33773

## AGENCY INFORMATION 10156

Gallagher Affinity Insurance Services Inc  
4285 Commercial St SE, Ste 110

Salem, OR 97302

PREMIUM	\$355.00
COMMISSION	\$142.00
NET PREMIUM	\$213.00

TOTAL DUE

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Dina Zinn  
06/11/2025  
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