

Bond No: 107746463

Norman Utilities Authority  
WW0178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
State Highway 9 Between Chautauqua and Jenkins

Contract K-2223-118  
Bid No. 2223-53  
B-2223-62

**PERFORMANCE BOND**

Know all men by these presents that Krapff-Reynolds Construction Co as PRINCIPAL, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and authorized to transact business in the State of Oklahoma, as SURETY, are held and firmly bound unto NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, a Public Trust of the State of Oklahoma, herein called AUTHORITY, in the sum of Five Hundred and Ninety-Three Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty Dollars (\$ 593,630.00) for the payment of which sum PRINCIPAL and SURETY bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, the conditions of this obligation are such, that the PRINCIPAL, being the successful bidder on the following PROJECT:

**City of Norman Utilities Authority  
Contract No. K-2223-118  
Project No. WW0178 - Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
State Highway No. 9 from Chautauqua to Jenkins**

has entered into a written CONTRACT K-2223-118 with the AUTHORITY, dated \_\_\_\_\_ to perform and complete said PROJECT, that CONTRACT being incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, if PRINCIPAL shall, in all particulars, well and truly perform and abide by the CONTRACT and all specifications and covenants thereto; and if the PRINCIPAL shall promptly pay or cause to be paid all indebtedness incurred for labor and materials and repairs to and parts for equipment furnished in the making of this PROJECT, whether incurred by the PRINCIPAL or subcontractors; and if the PRINCIPAL shall protect and hold harmless the AUTHORITY from all loss, damage, and expense to life or property suffered or sustained by any person, firm, or corporation caused by the PRINCIPAL or his or its agents, servants, or employees in the construction of the PROJECT, or by or in consequence of any negligence, carelessness or misconduct in guarding and protecting the same, or from any act or omission of the PRINCIPAL or his or its agents, servants, or employees; and if the PRINCIPAL shall protect and save the AUTHORITY harmless from all suits and claims of infringement or alleged infringement or patent rights or processes, then this obligation shall be null and void. Otherwise this obligation shall remain in full force and effect.

It is further expressly agreed and understood by the parties hereto that no changes or alterations in the CONTRACT and no deviations from the plan or mode of procedure herein fixed shall have the effect of releasing the sureties, or any of them, from the obligations of this Bond.

It is further expressly agreed that the PRINCIPAL'S obligations under this Bond include payment of not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages as established by the Commissioner of Labor and by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor or as determined by a court on appeal.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PRINCIPAL has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal (where applicable) to be hereunto affixed by its duly authorized representative(s), on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and the SURETY has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed by its authorized representative(s) on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

(Corporate Seal) (where applicable)

ATTEST

[Signature]  
Corporate Secretary (where applicable)



Krapff-Reynolds Construction Company

PRINCIPAL

Signed:

[Signature]  
Authorized Representative

James L. King President  
Name and Title

Address:

2400 N.E. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Oklahoma City, OK  
73117

Telephone:

(405) 733-9682

(Corporate Seal)

ATTEST

[Signature]  
Corporate Secretary

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

SURETY

Signed:

[Signature]  
Authorized Representative

Deborah L. Raper, Attorney-in-Fact

Name and Title

Address:

9401 Cedar Lake Avenue, OKC, OK 73114

Telephone:

405-418-8600

Norman Utilities Authority  
WW0178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
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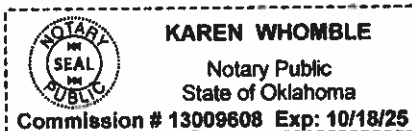
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**CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF Oklahoma)  
COUNTY OF Oklahoma) §

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 26 day of March

20 23, by James L. King, pres. of Knapps-Reynolds Conservation Co.  
Name and Title Contractor  
a Oklahoma corporation, on behalf of the corporation.



WITNESS my hand and seal this 26 day of March 2023.

Karen Whomble  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10/18/2025

**INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_) §  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 \_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ an individual.  
Name and Title

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Norman Utilities Authority  
WW0178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
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**PARTNERSHIP ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_)

)§

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 \_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ partner (or agent) on behalf of  
Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_, a partnership.

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

APPROVED as to form and legality this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
AUTHORITY Attorney

Approved by the Trustees of the NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY this \_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

ATTEST

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

Title: Chairman

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

Norman Utilities Authority  
WW0178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
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**STATUTORY BOND**

Know all men by these presents that Krapff-Reynolds Construction Co as PRINCIPAL, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and authorized to transact business in the State of Oklahoma, as SURETY, are held and firmly bound unto NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, a Public Trust of the State of Oklahoma, herein called AUTHORITY, in the sum of Five Hundred and Ninety-Three Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty Dollars (\$ 593,630.00 ) for the payment of which sum PRINCIPAL and SURETY bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, the conditions of this obligation are such, that the PRINCIPAL, being the lowest and best bidder on the following PROJECT:

**City of Norman Utilities Authority  
Contract No. K-2223-118  
Project No. WW0178 - Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
State Highway No. 9 from Chautauqua to Jenkins**

has entered into a written CONTRACT K-2223-118 with the AUTHORITY, dated \_\_\_\_\_ to perform and complete said PROJECT, that CONTRACT being incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the PRINCIPAL, shall properly and promptly complete the work on this PROJECT in accordance with the CONTRACT, and shall well and truly pay all indebtedness incurred for labor and materials and repairs to and parts for equipment furnished in the making of the PROJECT, whether incurred by the PRINCIPAL, his subcontractors, or any material men, then this obligation shall be void. Otherwise this obligation shall remain in full force and effect. If debts are not paid within thirty (30) days after the same becomes due and payable, the person, firm, or corporation entitled thereto may sue and recover on this Bond, subject to the provisions of 61 O.S. 1981 §2, for the amount so due and unpaid.

It is further expressly agreed and understood by the parties hereto that no changes or alterations in said CONTRACT and no deviations from the plan or mode of procedure herein fixed shall have the effect of releasing the SURETIES, or any of them, from the obligation of this Bond.

It is further expressly agreed that the PRINCIPAL'S obligations under this Bond include payment of not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages as established by the Commissioner of Labor of the State of Oklahoma and by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor or as determined by a court on appeal.

Norman Utilities Authority  
WWD178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
State Highway 9 Between Chautauqua and Jenkins

Contract K-2223-118  
Bid No. 2223-53  
B-2223-63

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PRINCIPAL has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal (where applicable) to be hereunto affixed by its duly authorized representative(s), on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and the SURETY has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed by its authorized representative on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

(Corporate Seal) (where applicable)

ATTEST



Krapff-Reynolds Construction Company  
PRINCIPAL

Signed:

Authorized Representative

James L. King President  
Name and Title

Address:

2400 N.E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. Oklahoma City, OK 73115

Telephone:

(405) 733-9682

(Corporate Seal)

ATTEST

Becky Killman  
Corporate Secretary

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America  
SURETY

Signed:

Authorized Representative

Deborah L. Raper, Attorney-in-Fact  
Name and Title

Address:

9401 Cedar Lake Avenue, OKC, OK 73114

Telephone:

405-418-8600

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**CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

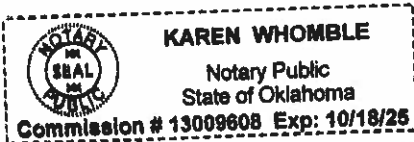
STATE OF OKLAHOMA )

COUNTY OF Oklahoma )§

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 20 day of March

20 23, by James L. King, Pres. of Graves Reynolds Construction Co  
Name and Title

a Oklahoma corporation, on behalf of the corporation.



WITNESS my hand and seal this 20 day of March 20 23.

Karen Whomble  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10/18/2025

**INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA )

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )§

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

20 \_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ an individual.  
Name and Title

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARTNERSHIP ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA                    )  
  )§  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 \_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ partner (or agent) on behalf of  
  Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_, a partnership.

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

APPROVED as to form and legality this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
AUTHORITY Attorney

Approved by the Trustees of the NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY this \_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

ATTEST

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

Title:       Chairman

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary



Norman Utilities Authority  
WW0178 – Sanitary Sewer Stream Crossing Replacement  
State Highway 9 Between Chautauqua and Jenkins

Contract K-2223-118  
Bid No. 2223-53  
MB-2223-51

**MAINTENANCE BOND**

Know all men by these presents that Krapff-Reynolds Construction Co as PRINCIPAL, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and authorized to transact business in the State of Oklahoma, as SURETY, are held and firmly bound unto NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, a Public Trust of the State of Oklahoma, herein called AUTHORITY, in the sum of Five Hundred and Ninety-Three Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty Dollars (\$ 593,630.00 ) for the payment of which sum PRINCIPAL and SURETY bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns jointly and severally.

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has entered into a written CONTRACT K-2223-118 with the AUTHORITY, dated \_\_\_\_\_ to perform and complete said PROJECT, that CONTRACT being incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth.

WHEREAS, under the ordinances of the AUTHORITY, the PRINCIPAL is required to furnish to the AUTHORITY a maintenance bond covering said construction of this PROJECT, the bond to include the terms and provisions hereinafter set forth, as a condition precedent to final acceptance of the PROJECT.

NOW THEREFORE, if the PRINCIPAL shall keep and maintain, subject to normal wear and tear, the construction, except for defects not occasioned by improper workmanship, materials, or failure to protect new work until it is accepted, and if the PRINCIPAL shall promptly repair, without notice from the AUTHORITY or expense to the AUTHORITY any and all defects arising from improper workmanship, materials, or failure to protect new work until it is accepted; all for a period of two (2) years from the date of the written final acceptance by the AUTHORITY, then this obligation shall be null and void. Otherwise, this obligation shall remain in full force and effect at all times.

Provided further, however, that upon neglect, failure or refusal of the PRINCIPAL to maintain or make any needed repairs upon the construction on the PROJECT, as set out in the preceding paragraph, within ten (10) days after the mailing of notice to the PRINCIPAL by letter deposited in the United States Post Office at Norman, Oklahoma, addressed to the PRINCIPAL at the address set forth below, then the PRINCIPAL and SURETY shall jointly and severally be liable to the AUTHORITY for the cost and expense for making such repair, or otherwise maintaining the said construction.


If is further expressly agreed and understood by the parties hereto that no changes or alterations in said CONTRACT and no deviations from the plan or mode of procedure herein fixed shall have the effect of releasing the sureties, or any of them, from the obligations of this Bond.

Norman Utilities Authority  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said PRINCIPAL has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal (where applicable) to be hereunto affixed by its duly authorized representative(s), on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and the SURETY has caused these presents to be executed in its name and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed by its authorized representative(s) on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

(Corporate Seal) (where applicable)  
ATTEST

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Corporate Secretary (where applicable)



Krapff-Reynolds Construction Company  
PRINCIPAL

Signed:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative

James L. King President  
Name and Title

Address:

2400 N.E. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Oklahoma City, OK 73117

Telephone:

(405) 733-9682

(Corporate Seal)

ATTEST

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Corporate Secretary

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

SURETY

Signed:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF Oklahoma)

COUNTY OF Oklahoma)

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 20 day of March,

20 23, by James L. King, pres of Kaplan Reynolds Construction Co.  
Name and Title

a Oklahoma corporation, on behalf of the corporation.



**KAREN WHOMBLE**

Notary Public  
State of Oklahoma

Commission # 13008608 Exp: 10/18/25

WITNESS my hand and seal this 20 day of March 20 23.

Karen Whomble  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10/18/2025

**INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_)

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 \_\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ an individual.  
Name and Title

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Norman Utilities Authority  
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**PARTNERSHIP ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_)

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COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

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20 \_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ partner (or agent) on behalf of  
Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_, a partnership.

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

APPROVED as to form and legality this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
AUTHORITY Attorney

Approved by the Trustees of the NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY

ATTEST

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

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

Secretary \_\_\_\_\_



**Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America**  
**Travelers Casualty and Surety Company**  
**St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint **Deborah L. Raper** of **OKLAHOMA CITY**, **Oklahoma**, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings and other writings obligatory 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.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed, and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this **21st** day of **April**, **2021**.



State of Connecticut

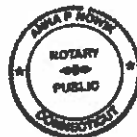
City of Hartford ss.

By:   
 Robert L. Raney, Senior Vice President

On this the **21st** day of **April**, **2021**, before me personally appeared **Robert L. Raney**, who acknowledged himself to be the Senior Vice President of each of the Companies, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of said Companies by himself as a duly authorized officer.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

My Commission expires the **30th** day of **June**, **2026**



  
 Anna P. Nowik, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of each of the Companies, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows:

**RESOLVED**, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

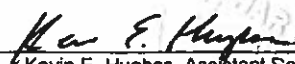
**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, any Assistant Secretary, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary, or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, **Kevin E. Hughes**, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of each of the Companies, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which remains in full force and effect.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.



  
 Kevin E. Hughes, Assistant Secretary

**To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, please call us at 1-800-421-3880.**  
**Please refer to the above-named Attorney(s)-in-Fact and the details of the bond to which this Power of Attorney is attached.**