

**OWNER-CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT**

This is an Agreement made and entered into the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, by and between East Central College (hereinafter called the "Owner") and \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ with offices located at \_\_\_\_\_, (hereinafter called the "Contractor").

The project is identified as East Central College – Center for Advanced Manufacturing & Workforce Development, located at 42 Prairie Dell Plaza Drive, Union, MO 63084, EDA Project No. 05-01-05778, (hereinafter called "Project")

The Engineer is Cochran, located at 530A East Independence Drive, Union, Missouri 63084 (hereinafter called the "Engineer").

**WITNESSETH:**

The Contractor and the Owner, for the consideration set forth herein, agree as follows:

**ARTICLE I**

**The Contract Documents**

The Contract Documents include the Conditions of the Contract (General Conditions of Owner-Contractor Agreement, Supplementary Conditions and other Conditions), State Wage Determination, Non-Collusion Affidavit, Performance and Payment Bond, Drawings, Specifications, the Construction Schedule, all Addenda issued prior to the execution of this Contract, and all Modifications issued after execution of this Contract, which together with this Agreement form the Contract, and are all as fully a part of the Contract as if attached to this Agreement or repeated herein. All definitions set forth in the General Conditions of Owner-Contractor Agreement are applicable to this Agreement.

The Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties, and supersedes prior negotiations, representations and agreements, whether written or oral. An enumeration of the Contract Documents, other than Modifications, is set forth in Article X.

**ARTICLE II**

**Scope of Work**

The Contractor, acting as an independent contractor, shall faithfully and fully perform the Work described in, and shall do everything required by, the Contract Documents or reasonably inferable therefrom, for the complete construction of the project. The Contractor represents and warrants that he has special skills which qualify him to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract and that he is free to perform all such Work and is not a party to any other agreement, written or oral, the performance of which would prevent or interfere with the performance, in whole or in part, of the Work.

**ARTICLE III**

**Time of Completion**

(a) All time limits stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence. The Work to be performed under the Contract shall commence within seven (7) consecutive calendar days of the date of the written Notice to Proceed from the Owner to the Contractor, and shall be completed within **187** consecutive calendar days from and including the date of said written Notice to Proceed, subject to adjustments of this Contract Time as provided in the Contract Documents.

(b) Contractor shall pay, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, the sum of **\$2,000.00** for each consecutive calendar day after the Substantial Completion date that the Work has not been completed. The total amount so payable to the Owner as liquidated damages may be deducted from any sums due or to become due to Contractor from Owner.

(c) Contractor shall pay, as liquidated damages, the sum of **\$2,000.00** per day for each day longer than fourteen (14) days after Substantial Completion Date that the work has not been completed. The total amount so payable to the Owner as liquidated damages may be deducted from any sums due or to become due to Contractor from Owner.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

##### **The Contract Sum and Payments**

The Owner agrees to pay, and the Contractor agrees to accept, for the performance of the Contract, the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ (\$ \_\_\_\_\_), subject to additions and deductions as provided in the Contract Documents. Based upon proper Applications for Payment submitted by the Contractor to the Owner on or before the twentieth day of the month for Work performed, payment will be made in the form of progress payments as follows and as provided elsewhere in the Contract Documents:

(1) On or about the tenth day of each following month, ninety percent (90%) of the portion of the Contract Sum properly allocable to labor, materials and equipment incorporated into the Work, and ninety percent (90%) of the portion of the Contract Sum properly allocable to materials and equipment suitably stored at the site to be incorporated into the Work, through the period ending up to the twentieth day of the preceding month, less the aggregate of all previous progress payments;

(2) Final payment within 30 days after the Work is fully completed and accepted by the Owner and the Contract is fully performed.

#### **ARTICLE V**

##### **Performance of the Work**

(a) Within 10 days after being awarded the Contract, the Contractor shall prepare and submit for the Owner's approval, (1) a Construction Schedule for the Work in a Gantt Chart format, which Construction Schedule shall indicate the dates for starting and completing the various stages of construction, and (2) a Traffic Control Plan indicating the location of all proposed signage, detours, road closures throughout the Project which adequately address the Traffic Control Plan of the proposed Work. All traffic control shall be according to the standards of the latest edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices developed by the Federal Highway Administration. No Work will commence until the Contractor's Schedule and Traffic Control Plan is submitted and approved by the Owner.

(b) Completion of the Work in accordance with the time limits set forth in the Construction Schedule is an essential condition of the Contract.

(c) After commencement of the Work, and until final completion of the Work, the Contractor shall report to the Owner at such intervals as the Owner may reasonably direct, the actual progress of the Work compared to the Construction Schedule. If the Contractor falls behind the Construction Schedule for any reason, he shall promptly take, and cause his Subcontractors to take, such action as is necessary to remedy the delay, and shall submit