



December 2, 2025

Rick Gutierrez
Far West Contractors Corp.
1031 S. Melrose St.
Placentia, CA 92870

Alliant Insurance Services, Inc.
18100 Von Karman, 10th Floor
Irvine, CA 92612

RE: Oblige: San Bernardino County
Project: County Fire Station 227 New Build, Project No. 10.10.1202
Estimate: \$12,000,000.00
Bid Date: 12/16/2025

P (949) 756-0271

Enclosed please find the above captioned bid bond, executed per your request.

CA License No. 0C36861
alliant.com

The bid bond must be signed by an authorized representative of your company, notarized and sealed with the corporate seal.

Please confirm the bid bond conforms with your needs and instructions to us. Please review the bond and double-check all information, including signatures, dates, amounts and job descriptions for accuracy, and to verify that the bid bond form we executed is the form required by the specification. This will avoid the possibility of having a low bid rejected because of a clerical error. Please also verify that anything unusual that has been requested by the obligee is attached.

The bid bond authorization is based upon your original estimate. **If the actual bid price exceeds this estimate by 10% or more, you must contact us for additional authority!**

Please call our office if you should have any questions or need any further assistance.

Good Luck on your Bid.

Sincerely,

Kim Heredia

Kim Heredia
Account Manager

Your bid results are very important, please mail or fax this information back to the address below within 5 days of the bid opening.

Contractors Name	Contract Price
1. _____	\$ _____
2. _____	\$ _____
3. _____	\$ _____
Where did you place _____ and your price \$ _____	

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Bid Bond

CONTRACTOR:

(Name, legal status and address)

Far West Contractors Corp.
1031 S. Melrose St.
Placentia, CA 92870

OWNER:

(Name, legal status and address)

San Bernardino County
620 South E Street
San Bernardino, CA 92415

SURETY:

(Name, legal status and principal place of business)

United Fire & Casualty Company

PO Box 73909

Cedar Rapids, IA 52407-3909

Mailing Address for Notices

P.O. BOX 73909

Cedar Rapids, IA 52407-3909

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

BOND AMOUNT: 10% Ten Percent of Amount Bid

PROJECT:

(Name, location or address, and Project number, if any)

County Fire Station 227 New Build, San Bernardino, CA, Project Number: 10.10.1202

The Contractor and Surety are bound to the Owner in the amount set forth above, for the payment of which the Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, as provided herein. The conditions of this Bond are such that if the Owner accepts the bid of the Contractor within the time specified in the bid documents, or within such time period as may be agreed to by the Owner and Contractor, and the Contractor either (1) enters into a contract with the Owner in accordance with the terms of such bid, and gives such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents, with a surety admitted in the jurisdiction of the Project and otherwise acceptable to the Owner, for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof; or (2) pays to the Owner the difference, not to exceed the amount of this Bond, between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Owner may in good faith contract with another party to perform the work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect. The Surety hereby waives any notice of an agreement between the Owner and Contractor to extend the time in which the Owner may accept the bid. Waiver of notice by the Surety shall not apply to any extension exceeding sixty (60) days in the aggregate beyond the time for acceptance of bids specified in the bid documents, and the Owner and Contractor shall obtain the Surety's consent for an extension beyond sixty (60) days.

If this Bond is issued in connection with a subcontractor's bid to a Contractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location of the Project, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.

Signed and sealed this 2nd day of December, 2025.

(Witness)

Glen Padgett

Far West Contractors Corp.

(Principal)

(Seal)

By:

Stephen Aguilar, President

United Fire & Casualty Company

(Surety)

(Seal)

By:

Kim Heredia, Attorney-in-Fact

Heather Saltarelli

(Witness) Heather Saltarelli

CALIFORNIA ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CIVIL CODE § 1189

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California

County of Orange }

On December 05, 2025 before me, Haley Groover, Notary Public
Date Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared Stephen Aguilar

Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.



I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Haley Groover

Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal and/or Stamp Above

OPTIONAL

Completing this information can deter alteration of the document or fraudulent reattachment of this form to an unintended document.

Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Bid Bond - County Fire Station 227

Document Date: December 2, 2025 Number of Pages: _____

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above: _____

Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)

Signer's Name: _____

☐ Corporate Officer – Title(s): _____

☐ Partner – ☐ Limited ☐ General

☐ Individual ☐ Attorney in Fact

☐ Trustee ☐ Guardian or Conservator

☐ Other: _____

Signer is Representing: _____

Signer's Name: _____

☐ Corporate Officer – Title(s): _____

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☐ Other: _____

Signer is Representing: _____

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Signature [Signature]
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal Above

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Partner — ☐ Limited ☐ GeneralIndividual ☒ Attorney in FactTrustee ☐ Guardian or Conservator

Other: _____

Signer Is Representing: _____

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Other: _____

Signer Is Representing: _____



UNITED FIRE & CASUALTY COMPANY, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA
UNITED FIRE & INDEMNITY COMPANY, WEBSTER, TX
FINANCIAL PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY, LOS ANGELES, CA
CERTIFIED COPY OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

Inquiries: Surety Department
118 Second Ave SE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

(original on file at Home Office of Company – See Certification)

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, That United Fire & Casualty Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Iowa; United Fire & Indemnity Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas; and Financial Pacific Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California (herein collectively called the Companies), and having their corporate headquarters in Cedar Rapids, State of Iowa, does make, constitute and appoint

MARK RICHARDSON, KEVIN CATHCART, TERAH LANE, NICOLE EVANS, KIM LUU, MIKE PARIZINO, RACHELLE RHEAULT, HEATHER SALTARELLI, LEIGH MCDONOUGH, JERI APODACA, KIM HEREDIA, ELIZABETH SANTOS, VINCENT JARA, EACH INDIVIDUALLY

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute in its behalf all lawful bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature provided that no single obligation shall exceed \$100,000,000.00 and to bind the Companies thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Companies and all of the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given and hereby ratified and confirmed.

The Authority hereby granted is continuous and shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by United Fire & Casualty Company, United Fire & Indemnity Company, and Financial Pacific Insurance Company.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following bylaw duly adopted by the Boards of Directors of United Fire & Casualty Company, United Fire & Indemnity Company, and Financial Pacific Insurance Company.


"Article VI – Surety Bonds and Undertakings"

Section 2, Appointment of Attorney-in-Fact. "The President or any Vice President, or any other officer of the Companies may, from time to time, appoint by written certificates attorneys-in-fact to act in behalf of the Companies in the execution of policies of insurance, bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of like nature. The signature of any officer authorized hereby, and the Corporate seal, may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or special power of attorney or certification of either authorized hereby; such signature and seal, when so used, being adopted by the Companies as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Companies, to be valid and binding upon the Companies with the same force and effect as though manually affixed. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective certificates of authority shall have full power to bind the Companies by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach the seal of the Companies thereto. The President or any Vice President, the Board of Directors or any other officer of the Companies may at any time revoke all power and authority previously given to any attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the COMPANIES have each caused these presents to be signed by its vice president and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed this 15th day of February, 2022

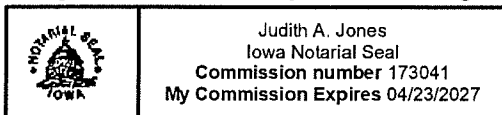


UNITED FIRE & CASUALTY COMPANY
UNITED FIRE & INDEMNITY COMPANY
FINANCIAL PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

By: 
Vice President

State of Iowa, County of Linn, ss:

On 15th day of February, 2022, before me personally came Kyanna M. Saylor to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say; that she resides in Cedar Rapids, State of Iowa; that she is a Vice President of United Fire & Casualty Company, a Vice President of United Fire & Indemnity Company, and a Vice President of Financial Pacific Insurance Company the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that she knows the seal of said corporations; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporations and that she signed her name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporations.

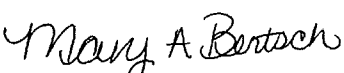



Notary Public
My commission expires: 04/23/2027

I, Mary A. Bertsch, Assistant Secretary of United Fire & Casualty Company and Assistant Secretary of United Fire & Indemnity Company, and Assistant Secretary of Financial Pacific Insurance Company, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the Power of Attorney and affidavit, and the copy of the Section of the bylaws and resolutions of said Corporations as set forth in said Power of Attorney, with the ORIGINALS ON FILE IN THE HOME OFFICE OF SAID CORPORATIONS, and that the same are correct transcripts thereof, and of the whole of the said originals, and that the said Power of Attorney has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said Corporations
this 2nd day of December, 2025.



By: 
Assistant Secretary,
UF&C & UF&I & FPIC