

20) **Award a Public Works Agreement to Lancet Contracting, Inc. for the Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights (CIP Project #Z40041)**

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## REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

**To:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

**From:** Jason Simpson, City Manager

**Prepared by:** Rick De Santiago, Public Works Manager

**Date:** May 14, 2024

**Subject:** Award a Public Works Agreement to Lancet Contracting, Inc. for the Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights (CIP Project #Z40041)

### **Recommendation**

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### **Background**

The project scope is to construct and install 32 solar lights provided by the City on the levee road behind the Lake Elsinore Diamond Stadium. The Levee lights will be installed on the west side of the road. City staff will work with Lancet Contracting to ensure proper placement. They will stretch from the entrance of the levee out to roughly the 2-mile mark. As indicated in the footing design, Lancet Contracting will construct solar light pole footings for a 25-foot solar light pole.

On March 7, 2024, the City posted on PlanetBids the notice of Request for Proposals for the Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights (CIP Project #Z40041). On March 20, 2024, a site visit and job walk were conducted at the project site. All responses to the notice of Request for Proposals questions were posted on PlanetBids. Eleven (11) bids were received on or before the deadline of 2:00 p.m. on April 8, 2024. The Public Works Department reviewed all bids and determined Lancet Contracting Inc. was the lowest bidder. Public Works Staff interviewed Lancet Contracting Inc. and were satisfied with their experience and knowledge in performing the project.

### **Discussion**

The companies listed below submitted a proposal and attended the mandatory job site visit. Staff verified the references and work product of the lowest bidder, and the contractor was briefed on the scope of work and performed a thorough site visit to assess the work requirements better. The submitted proposals for the Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights are listed below.

<b>Company</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Lancet Contracting, Inc.	\$94,621.00
Techsico, Inc.	\$97,750.00
Metrocell Construction, Inc.	\$110,000.00
Building Resources Co.	\$119,848.00
Cotter Construction	\$120,000.00
Ace Electric, Inc.	\$124,400.00
Champion Electric, Inc.	\$138,000.00
Amtek Construction	\$144,333.00
M. Brey Electric, Inc.	\$145,000.00
J. Peace Builders	\$149,000.00
High Light Electric	\$217,777.00

Following the approval of this agenda item, the Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights will begin.

### **Fiscal Impact**

Funds are available in the Fiscal Year 23-24 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) budget, CIP Project #Z40041.

### **Attachments**

Attachment 1- Agreement  
Exhibit A- Bidder's Proposal

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**AGREEMENT FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION**

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**Lancet Contracting, Inc.**

**For the**

**Installation of Lake Levee  
Solar Lights**

**CIP PROJECT NO. Z40041**

This Agreement for Public Works Construction ("Agreement") is made and entered into as of May 14, 2024 by and between the City of Lake Elsinore, a municipal corporation ("City") and Lancet Contracting, Inc. ("Contractor").

The City and Contractor, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants set forth herein, agree as follows:

1. The Project and Project Documents. Contractor agrees to construct the following public improvements ("work") identified as:

Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights (the "Project")

The City-approved plans for the construction of the Project, which are incorporated herein by reference and prepared by N/A, are identified as:

N/A

The Project Documents include this Agreement and all of the following: (1) the Notice Inviting Bids, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Documents including Bidder's Proposal as submitted by the Contractor, Contract Documents, General Specifications, Special Provisions, and all attachments and appendices; (2) everything referenced in such documents, such as specifications, details, standard plans or drawings and appendices, including all applicable State and Federal requirements; (3) all required bonds, insurance certificates, permits, notices, and affidavits; and (4) any and all addenda or supplemental agreements clarifying, amending or extending the work contemplated as may be required to insure completion in an acceptable manner. All of the provisions of the above-listed documents are made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein.

2. Compensation.

a. For and in consideration of the payments and agreements to be made and performed by City, Contractor agrees to construct the Project, including furnishing all materials and performing all work required for the Project, and to fulfill all other obligations as set forth in the Bidder's Proposal, such contract price being Ninety-Four Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-One and zero cents (\$94,621.00).

b. City hereby promises and agrees to employ, and does hereby employ, Contractor to provide the materials, do the work, and fulfill the obligations according to the terms and conditions herein contained and referred to, for the prices set forth, and hereby contracts to pay the same at the time, in the manner, and upon the conditions set forth in the Project Documents.

c. Contractor agrees to receive and accept the prices set forth in the Bidder's Proposal as full compensation for furnishing all materials, performing all work, and fulfilling all obligations hereunder. Such compensation shall cover all expenses, losses, damages, and consequences arising out of the nature of work during its progress or prior to its acceptance including those for well and faithfully completing the work and the whole thereof in the manner and time specified in the Project Documents; and also including those arising from actions of the elements, unforeseen difficulties or obstructions encountered in the prosecution of the work, suspension or discontinuance of the work, and all other unknowns or risks of any description connected with the work.

### 3. Completion of Work.

a. Contractor shall perform and complete all work within **50** working days from the date of commencement specified in the Notice to Proceed, and shall provide, furnish and pay for all the labor, materials, necessary tools, expendable equipment, and all taxes, utility and transportation services required for construction of the Project.

b. All work shall be performed and completed in a good workmanlike manner in strict accordance with the drawings, specifications and all provisions of this Agreement as hereinabove defined and in accordance with applicable laws, codes, regulations, ordinances and any other legal requirements governing the Project.

c. Contractor shall not be excused with respect to the failure to so comply by any act or omission of the City, the City Engineer, a City inspector, or a representative of any of them, unless such act or omission actually prevents the Contractor from fully complying with the requirements of the Project Documents, and unless the Contractor protests at the time of such alleged prevention that the act or omission is preventing the Contractor from fully complying with the Project Documents. Such protest shall not be effective unless reduced to writing and filed with the City within three (3) working days of the date of occurrence of the act or omission preventing the Contractor from fully complying with the Project Documents.

d. City and Contractor recognize that time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement and further agree that if the work called for under the Agreement is not completed within the time hereinabove specified, damages will be sustained by the City and that, it is and will be impracticable or extremely difficult to ascertain and determine the actual amount of damages the City will sustain in the event of, and by reason of, such delay. It is, therefore, agreed that such damages shall be presumed to be in the amount of \$500 [Click or tap here to enter text.](#) per calendar day, and that the Contractor will pay to the City, or City may retain from amounts otherwise payable to Contractor, such amount for each calendar day by which the Contractor fails to complete the work, including corrective items of work, under this Agreement within the time hereinabove specified and as adjusted by any changes to the work.

4. Changes to Work. City and Contractor agree that the City may make changes to the work, or suspend the work, and no matter how many changes, such changes or suspensions are within the contemplation of the Contractor and City and will not be a basis for a compensable delay claim against the City nor be the basis for a liquidated damage claim against the Contractor.

Any change to the work shall be by way of a written instrument ("change order") signed by the City and the Contractor, stating their agreement to the following:

- a. The scope of the change in the work;
- b. The amount of the adjustment to the contract price; and
- c. The extent of the adjustment to the Schedule of Performance.

The City Engineer is authorized to sign any change order provided that sufficient contingency funds are available in the City's approved budget for the Project. All change in the work authorized by the change order shall be performed under the applicable conditions of the Project Documents. City and Contractor shall negotiate in good faith and as expeditiously as possible the appropriate adjustments for such changes.

5. Bonds. Contractor shall provide, before commencing work, a Faithful Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Bond, each for one-hundred percent (100%) of the contract price in the form that complies with the Project Documents and is satisfactory to the City Attorney.

6. Non-Assignability. Neither this Agreement nor any rights, title, interest, duties or obligations under this Agreement may be assigned, transferred, conveyed or otherwise disposed of by Contractor without the prior written consent of City.

7. Licenses. Contractor represents and warrants to City that it holds the contractor's license or licenses set forth in the Project Documents, is registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5, and holds such other licenses, permits, qualifications, insurance and approvals of whatsoever nature which are legally required of Contractor. Contractor represents and warrants to City that Contractor shall, at its sole cost and expense, keep in effect or obtain at all times during the term of this Agreement, any licenses, permits, insurance and approvals which are legally required of Contractor to practice its profession. Contractor shall maintain a City of Lake Elsinore business license.

8. Indemnity. Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City and its officials, officers, employees, agents, the County and Board Supervisors, and volunteers from and against any and all losses, liability, claims, suits, actions, damages, and causes of action arising out of any personal injury, bodily injury, loss of life, or damage to property, or any violation of any federal, state, or municipal law or ordinance, to the extent caused, in whole or in part, by the willful misconduct or negligent acts or omissions of Contractor or its employees, subcontractors, or agents, by acts for which they could be held strictly liable, or by the quality or character of their work. The foregoing obligation of Contractor shall not apply when (1) the injury, loss of life, damage to property, or violation of law arises from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City or its officers, employees, agents, or volunteers and (2) the actions of Contractor or its employees, subcontractor, or agents have contributed in no part to the injury, loss of life, damage to

property, or violation of law. It is understood that the duty of Contractor to indemnify and hold harmless includes the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code. Acceptance by City of insurance certificates and endorsements required under this Agreement does not relieve Contractor from liability under this indemnification and hold harmless clause. This indemnification and hold harmless clause shall apply to any damages or claims for damages whether or not such insurance policies shall have been determined to apply. By execution of this Agreement, Contractor acknowledges and agrees to the provisions of this Section and that it is a material element of consideration.

9. Insurance Requirements.

a. Insurance. Contractor, at Contractor's own cost and expense, shall procure and maintain, for the duration of the Agreement, unless modified by the City's Risk Manager, the following insurance policies.

i. Workers' Compensation Coverage. Contractor shall maintain Workers' Compensation Insurance and Employer's Liability Insurance for his/her employees in accordance with the laws of the State of California. In addition, Contractor shall require each subcontractor to similarly maintain Workers' Compensation Insurance and Employer's Liability Insurance in accordance with the laws of the State of California for all of the subcontractor's employees. Any notice of cancellation or non-renewal of all Workers' Compensation policies must be received by the City at least thirty (30) days prior to such change. The insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against City, its officers, agents, employees and volunteers for losses arising from work performed by Contractor for City. In the event that Contractor is exempt from Worker's Compensation Insurance and Employer's Liability Insurance for his/her employees in accordance with the laws of the State of California, Contractor shall submit to the City a Certificate of Exemption from Workers Compensation Insurance in a form approved by the City Attorney.

ii. Commercial General Liability Coverage. Contractor shall maintain commercial general liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage. If a commercial general liability insurance form or other form with a general aggregate limit is used, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to the work to be performed under this Agreement or the general aggregate limit shall be at least twice the required occurrence limit. Required commercial general liability coverage shall be at least as broad as Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability occurrence form CG 0001 (ed. 11/88) or Insurance Services Office form number GL 0002 (ed. 1/73) covering comprehensive General Liability and Insurance Services Office form number GL 0404 covering Broad Form Comprehensive General Liability. No endorsement may be attached limiting the coverage.

iii. Automobile Liability Coverage. Contractor shall maintain automobile liability insurance covering bodily injury and property damage for all activities of the Contractor arising out of or in connection with the work to be performed under this Agreement, including coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles, in an amount of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) combined single limit for each occurrence. Automobile liability coverage must be at least as broad as Insurance Services Office Automobile Liability form CA 0001 (ed. 12/90) Code 1 ("any auto"). No endorsement may be attached limiting the coverage.

iv. Builder's Risk Coverage. Prior to the commencement of any construction of the Project, Design-Builder shall obtain (or cause to be obtained) and keep in force during the term of any construction, builder's risk insurance insuring for all risks of physical loss of or damage (excluding the perils of earthquake and flood).

v. Professional Liability Coverage. Contractor shall maintain professional errors and omissions liability insurance appropriate for Contractor's profession for protection against claims alleging negligent acts, errors or omissions which may arise from Contractor's services under this Agreement, whether such services are provided by the Contractor or by its employees, subcontractors, or sub consultants. The amount of this insurance shall not be less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) on a claims-made annual aggregate basis, or a combined single limit per occurrence basis.

b. Endorsements. Each general commercial liability and automobile liability insurance policy shall be with insurers possessing a Best's rating of no less than A:VII and shall be endorsed with the following specific language:

i. The City, its elected or appointed officers, officials, employees, agents and volunteers are to be covered as additional insured with respect to liability arising out of work performed by or on behalf of the Contractor, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work or operations.

ii. This policy shall be considered primary insurance as respects the City, its elected or appointed officers, officials, employees, agents and volunteers. Any insurance maintained by the City, including any self-insured retention the City may have, shall be considered excess insurance only and shall not contribute with it.

iii. This insurance shall act for each insured and additional insured as though a separate policy had been written for each, except with respect to the limits of liability of the insuring company.

iv. The insurer waives all rights of subrogation against the City, its elected or appointed officers, officials, employees or agents.

v. Any failure to comply with reporting provisions of the policies shall not affect coverage provided to the City, its elected or appointed officers, officials, employees, agents or volunteers.

vi. The insurance provided by this Policy shall not be suspended, voided, canceled, or reduced in coverage or in limits except after thirty (30) days written notice has been received by the City.

c. Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. At the City's option, Contractor shall demonstrate financial capability for payment of such deductibles or self-insured retentions.

d. Certificates of Insurance. Contractor shall provide certificates of insurance with original endorsements to City as evidence of the insurance coverage required herein. Certificates of such insurance shall be filed with the City on or before commencement of



performance of this Agreement. Current certification of insurance shall be kept on file with the City at all times during the term of this Agreement.

10. Notices. Any notice required to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and either served personally or sent prepaid, first class mail. Any such notice shall be addressed to the other party at the address set forth below. Notice shall be deemed communicated within 48 hours from the time of mailing if mailed as provided in this section.

If to City:                      City of Lake Elsinore  
   Attn: City Manager  
   130 South Main Street  
   Lake Elsinore, CA 92530

With a copy to:                City of Lake Elsinore  
   Attn: City Clerk  
   130 South Main Street  
   Lake Elsinore, CA 92530

If to Contractor:              Lancet Contracting, Inc.  
   Attn: David Amin  
   16784 Arrow Blvd.  
   Fontana, CA 92335

11. Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the complete and exclusive statement of agreement between the City and Contractor. All prior written and oral communications, including correspondence, drafts, memoranda, and representations, are superseded in total by this Agreement.

12. Amendments. This Agreement may be modified or amended only by a written document executed by both Contractor and City and approved as to form by the City Attorney.

13. Assignment and Subcontracting. Contractor shall be fully responsible to City for all acts or omissions of any subcontractors. Assignments of any or all rights, duties or obligations of the Contractor under this Agreement will be permitted only with the express consent of the City. Nothing in this Agreement shall create any contractual relationship between City and any subcontractor nor shall it create any obligation on the part of the City to pay or to see to the payment of any monies due to any such subcontractor other than as otherwise is required by law.

14. Waiver. Waiver of a breach or default under this Agreement shall not constitute a continuing waiver of a subsequent breach of the same or any other provision under this Agreement.

15. Severability. If any term or portion of this Agreement is held to be invalid, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.

16. Controlling Law Venue. This Agreement and all matters relating to it shall be governed by the laws of the State of California and any action brought relating to this Agreement shall be held exclusively in a state court in the County of Riverside.

17. Litigation Expenses and Attorneys' Fees. If either party to this Agreement commences any legal action against the other party arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its reasonable litigation expenses, including court costs, expert witness fees, discovery expenses, and attorneys' fees.

18. Mediation. The parties agree to make a good faith attempt to resolve any disputes arising out of this Agreement through mediation prior to commencing litigation. The parties shall mutually agree upon the mediator and share the costs of mediation equally. If the parties are unable to agree upon a mediator, the dispute shall be submitted to JAMS or its successor in interest. JAMS shall provide the parties with the names of five qualified mediators. Each party shall have the option to strike two of the five mediators selected by JAMS and thereafter the mediator remaining shall hear the dispute. If the dispute remains unresolved after mediation, either party may commence litigation.

19. Authority to Enter Agreement and Administration. Contractor has all requisite power and authority to conduct its business and to execute, deliver, and perform the Agreement. Each party warrants that the individuals who have signed this Agreement have the legal power, right, and authority to make this Agreement and to bind each respective party. The City Manager is authorized to enter into an amendment or otherwise take action on behalf of the City to make the following modifications to the Agreement: (a) a name change; (b) grant extensions of time; (c) non-monetary changes in the scope of services; and/or (d) suspend or terminate the Agreement. The City Engineer shall act as the Project administrator on behalf of the City.

20. Prohibited Interests. Contractor maintains and warrants that it has not employed nor retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement. Further, Contractor warrants that it has not paid nor has it agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, City shall have the right to rescind this Agreement without liability. For the term of this Agreement, no member, officer or employee of City, during the term of his or her service with City, shall have any direct interest in this Agreement, or obtain any present or anticipated material benefit arising therefrom.

21. Equal Opportunity Employment. Contractor represents that it is an equal opportunity employer and it shall not discriminate against any subcontractor, employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, handicap, ancestry, sex or age. Such non-discrimination shall include, but not be limited to, all activities related to initial employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination.

22. Prevailing Wages.

a. Contractor and all subcontractors shall adhere to the general prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined and as published by the State Director of the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code Sections 1770, 1773, and 1773.2. Copies of these rates and the latest revisions thereto are on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Lake Elsinore and are available for review upon request.

b. Contractor's attention is directed to the provisions of Labor Code Sections 1774, 1775, 1776, 1777.5 and 1777.6. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of these Sections. The statutory provisions for penalties for failure to comply with the State's wage and the hours laws will be enforced.

c. Labor Code Sections 1774 and 1775 require the Contractor and all subcontractors to pay not less than the prevailing wage rates to all workmen employed in the execution of the contract and specify forfeitures and penalties for failure to do so. The minimum wages to be paid are those determined by the State Director of the Department of Industrial Relations. Labor Code Section 1776 requires the Contractor and all subcontractors to keep accurate payroll records, specifies the contents thereof, their inspection and duplication procedures and certain notices required of the Contractor pertaining to their location. The statutory penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages will be enforced. If the Project has been awarded to Contractor on or after April 1, 2015, Contractor and its subcontractors must furnish electronic certified payroll records to the Labor Commissioner. Beginning January 1, 2016, Contractor and its subcontractors must furnish electronic certified payroll records to the Labor Commissioner without regard to when the Project was awarded to Contractor.

d. Labor Code Section 1777.5 requires Contractor or subcontractor employing tradesmen in any apprenticeable occupation to apply to the Joint Apprenticeship Committee nearest the site of the public works project, which administers the apprenticeship program in that trade for a certificate of approval. The certificate will also fix the ratio of apprentices to journeymen to be used in the performance of the Agreement. The Contractor is required to make contributions to funds established for the administration of apprenticeship programs if the Contractor employs registered apprentices or journeymen in any apprenticeable trade and if other contractors on the public works site are making such contributions. Information relative to apprenticeship standards, contributions, wage schedules and other requirements may be obtained from the State Director of Industrial Relations or from the Division of Apprenticeship Standards. Labor Code Section 1777.6 provides that it shall be unlawful to refuse to accept otherwise qualified employees as registered apprentices solely on the grounds of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or age.

e. Eight hours labor constitutes a legal day's work, as set forth in Labor Code Section 1810.

23. Execution. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall constitute one and the same instrument and shall become binding upon the parties when at least one copy hereof shall have been signed by both parties hereto. In approving this Agreement, it shall not be necessary to produce or account for more than one such counterpart.

[Signatures on next page]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed on the date first written above.

“CITY”

CITY OF LAKE ELSINORE, a municipal corporation

“CONTRACTOR”

Lancet Contracting, Inc., a Corporation

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Manager

\_\_\_\_\_  
By: David Amin

Its: President

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
By: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Its: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant City Manager

EXHIBIT A  
CONTRACTOR'S PROPOSAL  
[ATTACHED]

EXHIBIT B

LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS

[ATTACHED]



909.373.7427



[info@lancetcontracting.com](mailto:info@lancetcontracting.com)

16784 Arrow Blvd, Fontana, CA 92335

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Dear esteemed City representatives,

Thank you for taking the time to consider our proposal. My name is David Amin, President of Lancet Contracting Inc. and I have the honor of having the authority to negotiate on behalf of said Lancet Contracting Inc. I am submitting our proposal with the intent of having it binding for no less than 120 days. We look forward to the opportunity to work with your great City.

Sincerely,

**David Amin – President - Lancet Contracting Inc.**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Amin".



 909.373.7427     [info@lancetcontracting.com](mailto:info@lancetcontracting.com)    16784 Arrow Blvd, Fontana, CA 92335

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Dear esteemed City representatives,

Lancet Contracting is a C Corporation in business since 2011 and holds a General B Contractor's license with our office located in Fontana, Ca. Here at Lancet we specialize in both new ground up construction as well as tenant improvements, we are both a commercial and residential contractor and 95% of our work portfolio consists of Public Works. We do extensive amounts of work throughout the year for the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department and the County's Probation Department along with numerous other cities and counties. One area we excel is our professional and knowledgeable field staff consisting of highly skilled Journeyman and apprentices ranging in all trades from carpenters, masons, electricians, iron workers, plumbers painters and much more.

At the end of 2023 we completed a job for the San Bernardino County Probation Department installing basketball courts which required us to build foundations virtually identical to the ones required in your Lake Levee Solar Light Project.

**REFERENCES:**

**James Steele – San Bernardino County Probation Maintenance Supervisor**

- [james.steele@prob.sbcounty.gov](mailto:james.steele@prob.sbcounty.gov)

- (909) 222-9077

**Kenny Hansen – San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department Facilities Operations Supervisor**

- [khansen@sbcasd.org](mailto:khansen@sbcasd.org)

- (909) 205-0298

**Mary Aguilar – City of Fontana Housing Department Project Specialist**

- [maguilar@fontanaca.gov](mailto:maguilar@fontanaca.gov)

- (909) 350-6786



**Priscilla Luis – San Bernardino County Sheriff's Facilities Coordinator**

- [pvaughn@sbcisd.org](mailto:pvaughn@sbcisd.org)

- (909) 501-2142

Sincerely,

**David Amin – President - Lancet Contracting Inc.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Amin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" and last name "Amin" clearly distinguishable.

## Attachment A:

### Cost Proposal Sheet – Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights

Please provide the fee quotes as follows in the blow chart:

**Company Name:** Lancet Contracting Inc.

ITEM	SECTION		UNIT OF MEASURE		COST PER UNIT OF MEASURE
1	Move In		Lump Sum		\$400.00
2	Dig, Form, Rebar, Concrete Footings		Lump Sum		\$45,214.00
3	Install Solar Lights Poles and Lights.		Lump Sum		\$18,285.00
4	Clean-up		Lump Sum		\$1,200.00
5	Dig Alert		Lump Sum		\$100.00
6	Permits		Lump Sum		\$500.00
7	Concrete		Lump Sum		\$20,284.00
8	Equipment		Lump Sum		\$5,914.00
9	Bonds				\$2,724.00
<b>Total</b>					<b>\$94,621.00</b>

**SCHEDULE A Total Bid:** \$94,621.00

**(Figures)**

**SCHEDULE A Total Bid:** Ninety Four Thousand Six Hundred Twenty One Dollars

**(Words)**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

CONTRACTORS  
STATE LICENSE BOARD  
ACTIVE LICENSE



**963145**

License Number

Entity **CORP**

**LANCET CONTRACTING INC**

Business Name

Classification(s) **B**



**07/31/2025**

Expiration Date

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# MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY<sup>TM</sup>

MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) P.O. BOX 14498, DES MOINES, IOWA 50306-3498  
PHONE: (800) 678-8171 FAX: (515) 243-3854

## Bid Bond

**CONTRACTOR:**

(Name, legal status and address)

Lancet Contracting Inc.

16784 Arrow Blvd.

Fontana, CA 92335

**OWNER:**

(Name, legal status and address)

City of Lake Elsinore

521 North Langstaff Street

Lake Elsinore, CA 92530

**BOND AMOUNT:** (10% of Total Amount Bid)

Ten Percent of Total Amount Bid

**PROJECT:**

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

Installation of Lake Levee Solar Lights

CIP No. Z10030

Bond Number: BID

**SURETY:**

(Name, legal status and principal place of business)

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

P.O. Box 14498

Des Moines, IA 50306-3498

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.

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.

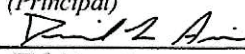
When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location of the Project, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement 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 5th day of April, 2024

  
(Witness)


Lancet Contracting Inc.

(Principal)



(Title) David Amin, President

(Seal)

  
(Witness)

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

(Surety)

(Title) Susan Fournier, Attorney-In-Fact

(Seal)

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## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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 Sacramento

On APR 05 2024 before me, Traci E. Nakagaki, Notary Public  
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Susan Fournier  
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  (Seal)



**MERCHANTS**  
**BONDING COMPANY™**  
**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, d/b/a Merchants National Indemnity Company (in California only) (herein collectively called the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually,

Christine Stradford; Katherine DuPont; Ryan Tash; Susan Fournier

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 following By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) on April 23, 2011 and amended August 14, 2015 and adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., on October 16, 2015.

"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-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 27th day of December, 2022.



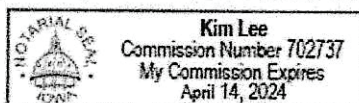
MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)  
MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.  
d/b/a MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY

By

*Larry Taylor*  
President

STATE OF IOWA  
COUNTY OF DALLAS ss.

On this 27th day of December, 2022, 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) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.; 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.



*Kim Lee*  
Notary Public

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

I, William Warner, Jr., Secretary of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., 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 5th day of April, 2024.



*William Warner Jr.*  
Secretary