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SECTION 23 0501 – COMMON HVAC REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Furnish labor, materials, and equipment necessary for completion of work as described in Contract Documents.
- B. It is the intent of these specifications that the systems specified herein are to be complete and operational before being turned over to the owner. During the bidding process, the contractor is to ask questions or call to the engineer's attention any items that are not shown or may be required to make the system complete and operational. Once the project is bid and the contractor has accepted the contract, it is his responsibility to furnish and install all equipment and parts necessary to provide a complete and operational system without additional cost to the owner.
- C. Furnish and install fire stopping materials to seal penetrations through fire rated structures and draft stops.
- D. Includes But Not Limited To:
 - 1. General procedures and requirements for HVAC.
- E. Related Sections:
 - 1. Section 23 0593: Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Substitutions: By specific designation and description, standards are established for specialties and equipment. Other makes of specialties and equipment of equal quality will be considered provided such proposed substitutions are submitted to the Architect for his approval, complete with specification data showing how it meets the specifications, at least 5 working days prior to bid opening. A list of approved substitutions will be published as an addendum.
 - Submit a single copy of Manufacturer's catalog data including Manufacturer's complete specification for each proposed substitution.
 - 2. The Architect or Engineer is to be the sole judge as to the quality of any material offered as an equal.
- B. Product Data, Shop Drawings: Within 30 days after award of contract, submit 10 sets of Manufacturer's catalog data for each manufactured item.
 - 1. Literature shall include enough information to show complete compliance with Contract Document requirements.
 - 2. Mark literature to indicate specific item with applicable data underlined.
 - 3. Information shall include but not be limited to capacities, ratings, type of material used, guarantee, and such dimensions as are necessary to check space requirements.
 - 4. When accepted, submittal shall be an addition to Contract Documents and shall be in equal force. No variation shall be permitted.
 - 5. Even though the submittals have been accepted by the Engineer, it does not relieve the contractor from meeting all of the requirements of the plans and specifications and providing a complete and operational system.
- C. Drawings of Record: One complete sets of blue line mechanical drawings shall be provided for the purpose of showing a complete picture of the work as actually installed.

- 1. These drawings shall serve as work progress report sheets. Contractor shall make notations neat and legible therein daily as the work proceeds.
- 2. The drawings shall be kept at the job at a location designated by the Mechanical Engineer.
- 3. At completion of the project these "as-built" drawings shall be signed by the Contractor, dated, and returned to the Architect.
- D. Operating Instructions and Service Manual: The Mechanical Contractor shall prepare 2 copies of an Operation and Maintenance Manual for all mechanical systems and equipment used in this project. Manuals shall be bound in hard-backed binders and the front cover and spine of each binder shall indicate the name and location of the project. Use plastic tab indexes for all sections. Provide a section for each different type of equipment item. The following items shall be included in the manual, together with any other pertinent data. This list is not complete and is to be used as a guide.
 - 1. Provide a master index at the beginning of the manual showing all items included.
 - 2. The first section of the manual shall contain:
 - a. Names, addresses, and telephone numbers of Architect, Mechanical Engineer, Electrical Engineer, General Contractor, Plumbing Contractor, Sheet Metal Contractor, and Temperature Control Contractor.
 - b. List of Suppliers which shall include a complete list of each piece of equipment used with the name, address, and telephone number of vendor.
 - c. General Description of Systems including -
 - 1) Location of all major equipment
 - 2) Description of the various mechanical systems
 - 3) Description of operation and control of the mechanical systems
 - 4) Suggested maintenance schedule
 - Copy of contractor's written warranty
 - 3. Provide a copy of approved submittal literature for each piece of equipment.
 - 4. Provide maintenance and operation literature published by the manufacturer for each piece of equipment which includes: oiling, lubrication and greasing data; belt sizes, types and lengths; wiring diagrams; step-by-step procedure to follow in putting each piece of mechanical equipment in operation.
 - 5. Include parts numbers of all replaceable items.
 - 6. Provide control diagram and operation sequence, along with labeling of control piping and instruments to match diagram.
 - 7. Include a valve chart indicating valve locations.
- E. Include air balance and/or water balance reports.

1.4 SUBMITTALS FOR COMMON HVAC REQUIREMENTS

- A. Samples: Sealer and gauze proposed for sealing ductwork.
- B. Quality Assurance / Control:
 - 1. Manufacturer's installation manuals providing detailed instructions on assembly, joint sealing, and system pressure testing for leaks.
 - 2. Specification data on sealer and gauze proposed for sealing ductwork.
- C. Quality Assurance
 - 1. Requirements: Construction details not specifically called out in Contract Documents shall conform to applicable requirements of SMACNA HVAC Duct Construction Standards.
 - 2. Pre-Installation Conference: Schedule conference immediately before installation of ductwork.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Requirements of Regulatory Agencies:
 - 1. Perform work in accordance with applicable provisions of local and state Plumbing Code, Gas Ordinances, and adoptions thereof. Provide materials and labor necessary to comply with rules, regulations, and ordinances.

- 2. In case of differences between building codes, state laws, local ordinances, utility company regulations, and Contract Documents, the most stringent shall govern. Promptly notify Architect in writing of such differences.
- B. Applicable Specifications: Referenced specifications, standards, and publications shall be of the issues in effect on date of Advertisement for Bid.
 - 1. "Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning Guide" published by the American Society of Heating and Air Conditioning Engineers.
 - 2. "Engineering Standards" published by the Heating, Piping, and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association.
 - 3. "2018 International Building Code", "2018 International Mechanical Code", "2018 International Plumbing Code" and "2018 International Fire Code" as published by the International Conference of Building Officials.
 - 4. "National Electrical Code" as published by the National Fire Protection Association.
 - 5. "2018 International Energy Conservation Code".
- C. Identification: Motor and equipment name plates as well as applicable UL and AGA labels shall be in place when Project is turned over to Owner.

1.6 INSPECTIONS AND PERMITS

A. Pay for permits, fees, or charges for inspection or other services. Local and state codes and ordinances must be properly executed without expense to Owner and are considered as minimum requirements. Local and state codes and ordinances do not relieve the Contractor from work shown that exceeds minimum requirements.

1.7 ADDITIONAL WORK:

A. Design is based on equipment as described in the drawing equipment schedule. Any change in foundation bases, electrical wiring, conduit connections, piping, controls and openings required by alternate equipment submitted and approved shall be paid for by this division. All work shall be in accordance with the requirements of the applicable sections.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS FOR COMMON HVAC REQUIREMENTS

- A. Finishes, Where Applicable: Colors as selected by Architect.
- B. Duct Hangers:
 - One inch 25 mm by 18 ga 1.27 mm galvanized steel straps or steel rods as shown on Drawings, and spaced not more than 96 inches 2 400 mm apart. Do not use wire hangers.
 - 2. Attaching screws at trusses shall be 2 inch 50 mm No. 10 round head wood screws. Nails not allowed.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Site Inspection:
 - 1. Examine premises and understand the conditions which may affect performance of work of this Division before submitting proposals for this work.
 - 2. No subsequent allowance for time or money will be considered for any consequence related to failure to examine site conditions.
- B. Drawings:
 - 1. Mechanical drawings show general arrangement of piping, ductwork, equipment, etc, and do not attempt to show complete details of building construction which affect installation. This

Contractor shall refer to architectural, structural, and electrical drawings for additional building detail which affect installation of his work.

- a. Follow mechanical drawings as closely as actual building construction and work of other trades will permit.
- b. No extra payments will be allowed where piping and/or ductwork must be offset to avoid other work or where minor changes are necessary to facilitate installation.
- Everything shown on the mechanical drawings shall be the responsibility of Mechanical Contractor unless specifically noted otherwise.
- 2. Consider architectural and structural drawings part of this work insofar as these drawings furnish information relating to design and construction of building. These drawings take precedence over mechanical drawings.
- 3. Because of small scale of mechanical drawings, it is not possible to indicate all offsets, fittings, and accessories which may be required. Investigate structural and finish conditions affecting this work and arrange work accordingly, providing such fittings, valves, and accessories required to meet conditions. Do not scale drawings for locations of equipment or piping. Refer to large scale dimensioned drawings for exact locations.
- C. Insure that items to be furnished fit space available. Make necessary field measurements to ascertain space requirements including those for connections and furnish and install equipment of size and shape so final installation shall suit true intent and meaning of Contract Documents.
 - 1. If approval is received to use other than specified items, responsibility for specified capacities and insuring that items to be furnished will fit space available lies with this Division.
 - 2. If non-specified equipment is used and it will not fit job site conditions, this Contractor assumes responsibility for replacement with items named in Contract Documents.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Cut carefully to minimize necessity for repairs to existing work. Do not cut beams, columns, or trusses.
 - 1. Patch and repair walls, floors, ceilings, and roofs with materials of same quality and appearance as adjacent surfaces unless otherwise shown. Surface finishes shall exactly match existing finishes of same materials.
 - Each Section of this Division shall bear expense of cutting, patching, repairing, and replacing of
 work of other Sections required because of its fault, error, tardiness, or because of damage done by
 it.
 - 3. Cutting, patching, repairing, and replacing pavements, sidewalks, roads, and curbs to permit installation of work of this Division is responsibility of Section installing work.

3.3 INSTALLATION

A. Arrange pipes, ducts, and equipment to permit ready access to valves, unions, traps, starters, motors, control components, and to clear openings of doors and access panels.

3.4 STORAGE AND PROTECTION OF MATERIALS:

- A. Provide storage space for storage of materials and assume complete responsibility for losses due to any cause whatsoever. Storage shall not interfere with traffic conditions in any public thoroughfare.
- B. Protect completed work, work underway, and materials against loss or damage.
- C. Close pipe openings with caps or plugs during installation. Cover fixtures and equipment and protect against dirt, or injury caused by water, chemical, or mechanical accident.

3.5 EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL

- A. Perform necessary excavation of whatever substance encountered for proper laying of all pipes and underground ducts.
 - 1. Excavated materials not required for fill shall be removed from site as directed by Engineer.

- 2. Excavation shall be carried low enough to allow a minimum coverage over underground piping of 5'-0" or to be below local frost level.
- 3. Excess excavation below required level shall be backfilled at Contractor's expense with earth, sand, or gravel as directed by Engineer. Tamp ground thoroughly.
- 4. Ground adjacent to all excavations shall be graded to prevent water running into excavated areas.
- B. Backfill pipe trenches and allow for settlement.
 - 1. Backfill shall be mechanically compacted to same density as surrounding undisturbed earth.
 - 2. Cinders shall not be used in backfilling where steel or iron pipe is used.
 - 3. No backfilling shall be done until installation has been approved by the Engineer.

3.6 COOPERATION

A. Cooperate with other crafts in coordination of work. Promptly respond when notified that construction is ready for installation of work under Division 23000. Contractor will be held responsible for any delays which might be caused by his negligence or failure to cooperate with the other Contractors or crafts.

3.7 SUPERVISION

A. Provide a competent superintendent in charge of the work at all times. Anyone found incompetent shall be removed at once and replaced by someone satisfactory, when requested by the Architect.

3.8 INSTALLATION CHECK:

- A. An experienced, competent, and authorized representative of the manufacturer or supplier of each item of equipment indicated in the equipment schedule shall visit the project to inspect, check, adjust if necessary, and approve the equipment installation. In each case, the equipment supplier's representative shall be present when the equipment is placed in operation. The equipment supplier's representative shall revisit the project as often as necessary until all trouble is corrected and the equipment installation and operation is satisfactory to the Engineer.
- B. Each equipment supplier's representative shall furnish to the Owner, through the Engineer, a written report certifying the following:
 - 1. Equipment has been properly installed and lubricated.
 - 2. Equipment is in accurate alignment.
 - 3. Equipment is free from any undue stress imposed by connecting piping or anchor bolts.
 - 4. Equipment has been operated under full load conditions.
 - 5. Equipment operated satisfactorily.
- C. All costs for this installation check shall be included in the prices quoted by equipment suppliers.

3.9 CLEANING EQUIPMENT AND PREMISES

- A. Properly lubricate equipment before Owner's acceptance.
- B. Clean exposed piping, ductwork, equipment, and fixtures. Repair damaged finishes and leave everything in working order.
- C. Remove stickers from fixtures and adjust flush valves.
- D. At date of Substantial Completion, air filters shall be new, clean, and approved by Owner's representative.
- E. Trap elements shall be removed during cleaning and flushing period. Replace trap elements and adjust after cleaning and flushing period.

3.10 TESTS

- A. No piping work, fixtures, or equipment shall be concealed or covered until they have been inspected and approved by the inspector. Notify inspector when the work is ready for inspection.
- B. All work shall be completely installed, tested as required by Contract Documents and the city and county ordinances and shall be leak-tight before the inspection is requested.
- C. Tests shall be repeated to the satisfaction of those making the inspections.
- D. Water piping shall be flushed out, tested at 100 psi and left under pressure of supply main or a minimum of 40 psi for the balance of the construction period.

3.11 WARRANTEE

- A. Contractor shall guarantee work under Division 23 to be free from inherent defects for a period of one year from acceptance.
 - 1. Contractor shall repair, revise or replace any and all such leaks, failure or inoperativeness due to defective work, materials, or parts free of charge for a period of one year from final acceptance, provided such defect is not due to carelessness in operation or maintenance.
 - 2. In addition, the Contractor shall furnish all refrigeration emergency repairs, emergency service and all refrigerant required due to defective workmanship, materials, or parts for a period of one year from final acceptance at no cost to the Owner, provided such repairs, service and refrigerant are not caused by lack of proper operation and maintenance.
- B. In addition to warrantee specified in General Conditions, heating, cooling, and plumbing systems are to be free from noise in operation that may develop from failure to construct system in accordance with Contract Documents.

3.12 SYSTEM START-UP, OWNER'S INSTRUCTIONS

A. Off-Season Start-up

- If Substantial Completion inspection occurs during heating season, schedule spring start-up of
 cooling systems. If inspection occurs during cooling season, schedule autumn start-up for heating
 systems.
- 2. Notify Owner 7 days minimum before scheduled start-up.
- 3. Time will be allowed to completely service, test, check, and off-season start systems. During allowed time, train Owner's representatives in operation and maintenance of system.
- 4. At end of off-season start-up, furnish Owner with letter confirming that above work has been satisfactorily completed.

B. Owner's Instructions

- 1. Instruct building maintenance personnel and Owner Representative in operation and maintenance of mechanical systems utilizing Operation & Maintenance Manual when so doing.
- 2. Minimum instruction periods shall be as follows
 - a. Mechanical Four hours.
 - b. Temperature Control Four hours.
 - c. Refrigeration Two hours.
- 3. Instruction periods shall occur after Substantial Completion inspection when systems are properly working and before final payment is made.
- 4. None of these instructional periods shall overlap another.

3.13 PROTECTION

A. Do not run heat pump, air handling units, fan coil units, or other pieces of equipment used for moving supply air without proper air filters installed properly in system.

B. The mechanical systems are not designed to be used for temporary construction heat. If any equipment is to be started prior to testing and substantial completion, such equipment will be returned to new condition with full one year warranties, from date of substantial completion after any construction use. This includes, but is not necessarily limited to: Equipment, filters, ductwork, fixtures, etc.

3.14 COMMON HVAC REQUIREMENTS:

A. INSTALLATION

- 1. During installation, protect open ends of ducts by covering with plastic sheet tied in place to prevent entrance of debris and dirt.
- 2. Make necessary allowances and provisions in installation of sheet metal ducts for structural conditions of building. Revisions in layout and configuration may be allowed, with prior written approval of Architect. Maintain required airflows in suggesting revisions.
- 3. Hangers And Supports:
 - a. Install pair of hangers close to each transverse joint and elsewhere as required by spacing indicated in table on Drawings.
 - Install upper ends of hanger securely to floor or roof construction above by method shown on Drawings.
 - c. Attach strap hangers to ducts with cadmium-plated screws. Use of pop rivets or other means will not be accepted.
 - d. Where hangers are secured to forms before concrete slabs are poured, cut off flush all nails, strap ends, and other projections after forms are removed.
 - e. Secure vertical ducts passing through floors by extending bracing angles to rest firmly on floors without loose blocking or shimming. Support vertical ducts, which do not pass through floors, by using bands bolted to walls, columns, etc. Size, spacing, and method of attachment to vertical ducts shall be same as specified for hanger bands on horizontal ducts.

B. CLEANING

1. Clean interior of duct systems before final completion.

SECTION 23 0553 - IDENTIFICATION FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Furnish and install identification of equipment and piping as described in Contract Documents.
- B. Mechanical Contractor shall touch-up equipment where factory paint has been damaged. Repaint entire item where more than 20 percent of the surface is involved.
- C. Primary painting of walls, ceilings, ductwork, piping and plenums is covered in the general painting section of these Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 PAINT

- A. Benjamin Moore Impervo or equivalent by Paint Manufacturer approved in Section 09 900.
- B. Use appropriate primer.

2.2 LABELS

A. Black Formica with white reveal on engraving.

2.3 EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION

- A. Provide an engraved plastic plate for each piece of equipment stating the name of the item, symbol number, area served, and capacity. Label all control components with plastic embossed mechanically attached labels. Sample:
 - 1. Supply Fan SF-1 North Classrooms
 - 2. 10,000 CFM @ 2.5"

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 APPLICATION

- A. Engraved Plates:
 - 1. Identify thermostats and control panels in mechanical rooms, furnaces, boilers and hot water heating specialties, duct furnaces, air handling units, electric duct heaters, and condensing units with following data engraved and fastened to equipment with screws
 - a. Equipment mark noted on Drawings (i.e., SF-1)
 - b. Area served (i.e., North Classrooms)
 - c. Capacity (10,000 CFM @ 2.5)

SECTION 23 0593 - TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Division 23 0501 - Common HVAC Requirements and Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods Sections apply to work of this section.

1.2 SUMMARY SCOPE

- A. This Section includes TAB to produce design objectives for the following:
 - 1. Air Systems.
 - a. Furnaces.
 - b. Exhaust Fans.
 - c. Rooftop Units.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Agency Data:
 - Submit proof that the proposed testing, adjusting, and balancing agency meets the qualifications specified below. The firm or individuals performing the work herein specified may not be the installing firm.
- B. Engineer and Technicians Data:
 - 1. Submit proof that the Test and Balance Engineer assigned to supervise the procedures, and the technicians proposed to perform the procedures meet the qualifications specified below.
- C. Procedures and Agenda: Submit a synopsis of the testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures and agenda proposed to be used for this project.
- D. Sample Forms: Submit sample forms, if other than those standard forms prepared by the AABC or NEBB are proposed.
- E. Certified Reports: Submit testing, adjusting, and balancing reports bearing the seal and signature of the Test and Balance Engineer. The reports shall be certified proof that the systems have been tested, adjusted, and balanced in accordance with the referenced standards; are an accurate representation of how the systems have been installed; are a true representation of how the systems are operating at the completion of the testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures; and are an accurate record of all final quantities measured, to establish normal operating values of the systems. Follow the procedures and format specified below.
 - 1. Draft Reports: Upon completion of testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures, prepare draft reports on the approved forms. Draft reports may be hand written, but must be complete, factual, accurate, and legible. Organize and format draft reports in the same manner specified for the final reports. Submit 2 complete sets of draft reports. Only 1 complete set of draft reports will be returned.
 - 2. Final Report: Upon verification and approval of draft reports, prepare final reports, type written, and organized and formatted as specified below. Submit 4 complete sets of final reports.
 - 3. Report Format: Report forms shall be those standard forms prepared by the referenced standard for each respective item and system to be tested, adjusted, and balanced. Bind report forms complete with schematic systems diagrams and other data. Divide the contents of the binder into the below listed divisions, separated by divider tabs:
 - a. General Information and Summary
 - b. Air Systems
 - c. Temperature Control System Verification.

- F. Report Contents: Provide the following minimum information, forms, and data:
 - General information and Summary: Inside cover sheet to identify testing, adjusting, balancing agency, Contractor, Owner, Engineer, and Project. Include addresses and contact names and telephone numbers. Also include a certification sheet containing the seal and name, address, telephone number, and signature of the Certified Test and Balance Engineer. Include in this division a listing of the instrumentation used for the procedures along with the instrument calibration sheet.
 - 2. The remainder of the report shall contain the appropriate forms containing as a minimum, the information indicated on the standard report forms prepared by the AABC or NEBB, for each respective item and system. Prepare a schematic diagram for each item of equipment and system to accompany each respective report form. The report shall contain the following information, and all other data resulting from the testing, adjusting, and balancing work:
 - a. All nameplate and specification data for all air handling equipment and motors.
 - b. Actual metered running amperage for each phase of each motor on all pumps and air handling equipment.
 - c. Actual metered voltage at air handling equipment (phase-to-phase for all phases).
 - d. Fan RPM for each piece of air handling equipment.
 - e. Total actual CFM being handled by each piece of air handling equipment.
 - f. Actual CFM of systems by rooms.
 - 3. Certify that all smoke and fire dampers operate properly and can be reset under actual system operating conditions.

G. Calibration Reports:

1. Submit proof that all required instrumentation has been calibrated to tolerances specified in the referenced standards, within a period of six months prior to starting the project.

1.4 CERTIFICATION

A. Agency Qualifications:

- 1. Employ the services of a certified testing, adjusting, and balancing agency meeting the qualifications specified below, to be the single source of responsibility to test, adjust, and balance the building mechanical systems identified above, to produce the design objectives. Services shall include checking installations for conformity to design, measurement, and establishment of the fluid quantities of the mechanical systems as required to meet design specifications, recording and reporting the results, and operation of all systems to demonstrate satisfactory performance to the owner.
- 2. The testing, adjusting, and balancing agency certified by National Environmental Balancing Bureau (NEBB) or Associated Air Balance Council (AABC) in those testing and balancing disciplines required for this project, and having at least one person certified by NEBB or AABC as a Test and Balance supervisor, and a registered professional mechanical engineer, licensed in the state where the work will be performed.

B. Codes and Standard:

- 1. NEBB: "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems."
- 2. AABC: "National Standards for Total System Balance."
- 3. ASHRAE: ASHRAE Handbook, 1984 Systems Volume, Chapter 37, Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing.

1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Systems Operation: Systems shall be fully operation and clean prior to beginning procedures.

1.6 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

A. Test, adjust, and balance the air systems before hydronic, steam, and refrigerant systems within +10% to -5% of contract requirements.

B. The report shall be approved by the Engineer. Test and balance shall be performed prior to substantial completion.

PART 2 - NOT USED

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PRELIMINARY PROCEDURES FOR AIR SYSTEM BALANCING

- A. Before operating the system, perform these steps.
 - Obtain design drawings and specifications and become thoroughly acquainted with the design intent.
 - 2. Obtain copies of approved shop drawings of all air handling equipment, outlets (supply, return, and exhaust) and temperature control diagrams.
 - 3. Compare design to installed equipment and field installations.
 - 4. Walk the system from the system air handling equipment to terminal units to determine variations of installation from design.
 - 5. Check filters for cleanliness and to determine if they are the type specified.
 - 6. Check dampers (both volume and fire) for correct and locked position. Check automatic operating and safety controls and devices to determine that they are properly connected, functioning, and at proper operating setpoint.
 - 7. Prepare report test sheets for both fans and outlets. Obtain manufacturer's outlet factors and recommended procedures for testing. Prepare a summation of required outlet volumes to permit a cross-check with required fan volumes.
 - 8. Determine best locations in main and branch ductwork for most accurate duct traverses.
 - 9. Place outlet dampers in the full open position.
 - 10. Prepare schematic diagrams of system "As-Built" ductwork and piping layouts to facilitate reporting.
 - 11. Lubricate all motors and bearings.
 - 12. Check fan belt tension.
 - 13. Check fan rotation.

3.5 MEASUREMENTS

- A. Provide all required instrumentation to obtain proper measurements, calibrated to the tolerances specified in the referenced standards. Instruments shall be properly maintained and protected against damage.
- B. Provide instruments meeting the specifications of the referenced standards.
- C. Use only those instruments which have the maximum field measuring accuracy and are best suited to the function being measured.
- D. Apply instrument as recommended by the manufacturer.
- E. Use instruments with minimum scale and maximum subdivisions and with scale ranges proper for the value being measured.
- F. When averaging values, take a sufficient quantity of readings which will result in a repeatability error of less than 5%. When measuring a single point, repeat readings until 2 consecutive identical values are obtained.
- G. Take all readings with the eye at the level of the indicated value to prevent parallax.
- H. Use pulsation dampeners where necessary to eliminate error involved in estimating average of rapidly fluctuation readings.
- I. Take measurements in the system where best suited to the task.

3.6 PERFORMING TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures on each system identified, in accordance with the detailed procedures outlined in the referenced standards. Balancing of the air systems and hydronic systems shall be achieved by adjusting the automatic controls, balancing valves, dampers, air terminal devices, and the fan/motor drives within each system.
- B. Cut insulation, ductwork, and piping for installation of test probes to the minimum extent necessary to allow adequate performance of procedures.
- C. Patch insulation, ductwork, and housings, using materials identical to those removed.
- D. Seal ducts and piping, and test for and repair leaks.
- E. Seal insulation to re-establish integrity of the vapor barrier.
- F. Adjust timing relays of environmental equipment motor reduced voltage starters to the optimum time period for the motor to come up to the maximum reduced voltage speed and then transition to the full voltage speed to prevent damage to motor, and to limit starting current spike to the lowest possible and practical.
- G. Mark equipment settings, including damper control positions, valve indicators, fan speed control levers, and similar controls and devices, to show final settings. Mark with paint or other suitable, permanent identification materials.
- Retest, adjust, and balance systems subsequent to significant system modifications, and resubmit test results.

3.7 RECORD AND REPORT DATA

- A. Record all data obtained during testing, adjusting, and balancing in accordance with, and on the forms recommended by the referenced standards, and as approved on the sample report forms.
- B. Prepare report of recommendations for correcting unsatisfactory mechanical performances when system cannot be successfully balanced.
- C. Report shall be certified and stamped by a registered professional mechanical engineer employed by the agency and licensed in the state where the work will be performed.
- D. Engineer is to provide a floor plan and test and balance contractor to include the plan in test and balance report and identify actual cfm on drawing or number the diffusers to match report.

3.8 DEMONSTRATION

- A. If requested, testing, adjusting, and balancing agency shall conduct any or all of the field tests in the presence of the engineer.
- B. Agency shall include a maximum of one (1) call back to the project within the one year warranty period to make additional adjustments if requested by the engineer.

SECTION 23 0710 - MECHANICAL INSULATION AND FIRE STOPPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Furnish and install mechanical insulation and fire stopping as described in Contract Documents including but not limited to the following:
 - 1. Ductwork Insulation
 - 2. Refrigerant Piping
 - 3. Fire Stopping

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Insulation shall have composite (insulation, jacket or facing and adhesive used to adhere facing or jacket to insulation) fire and smoke hazard ratings as tested by Procedure ASTM E-84, NFPA 255 and UL 723 not exceeding: Flame Spread of 25 and Smoke Developed of 50.
- B. Insulation Contractor shall certify in writing, prior to installation, that all products to be used will meet the above criteria.
- C. Accessories, such as adhesives, mastics, cements, and tapes, for fittings shall have the same component ratings as listed above.
- D. Products, or their shipping cartons, shall bear a label indicating that flame and smoke ratings do not exceed above requirements.
- E. Any treatment of jacket or facings to impart flame and smoke safety shall be permanent.
- F. The use of water-soluble treatments is prohibited.

SECTION 23 0716 - DUCTWORK INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Furnish and install insulation on air ducts outside building insulation envelope as described in Contract Documents.
- B. Furnish and install insulation on fresh air ducts and combustion air ducts within building insulation envelope as described in Contract Documents.
- C. Furnish and install insulation on other air ducts where indicated on Drawings.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 INSULATION

- A. 1-1/2 inch thick fiberglass with aluminum foil scrim kraft facing and have a density of one lb/cu ft.
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Manville Microlite FSK
 - 2. CSG Type IV standard duct insulation
 - 3. Owens-Corning FRK
 - 4. Knauf (Duct Wrap FSK)

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install duct wrap in accordance with Manufacturer's recommendations.
- B. Do not compress insulation except in areas of structural interference.
- C. Completely seal joints.

SECTION 23 0717 - ROUND SUPPLY DUCT INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install round supply duct insulation as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Insulation shall be UL rated with FSK (foil-skrim-kraft) facing.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Fiberglass blanket insulation
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Johns-Manville R-4 Microlite (R-4 does not include the vapor barrier material).
 - 2. Owens-Corning faced duct wrap insulation FRK-25 ED-150
 - 3. Certainteed Standard Duct Wrap.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Insulate round air supply ducts.
- B. Facing shall overlap 2" at joints and shall be secured with outward clinch staples on 4" centers.
- C. Ducts over 30" in width shall have spot application of adhesive, weld pins or metal screws and caps on not more than 18" centers applied to underside.
- D. 3" wide vapor barrier paper shall be applied over seams and sealed with vapor barrier adhesive.
- E. Insulate attenuators.
- F. Insulate high and low pressure flex ducts.

SECTION 23 0718 - DUCT LINING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Furnish and install acoustic lining in following above ground metal ductwork as described in Contract Documents unless detailed otherwise:
 - 1. Outside air
 - 2. Supply air
 - 3. Return air
 - 4. Mixed air
 - 5. Transfer air
 - 6. Relief air
 - 7. Elbows, fittings, and diffuser drops greater than 12 inches in length.

1.3 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

A. Duct dimensions shown on Drawings are for free area inside insulation. Allowance must be made for insulation, where applicable.

1.4 RATINGS:

A. Material shall have maximum air friction correction factor of 1.10 at 1000 FPM velocity and have a minimum sound absorption coefficient NRC of .60.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 DUCT LINER

- A. One inch thick, 1-1/2 lb density fiberglass, factory edge coated.
- B. Duct lining materials are to meet the requirements of UL 181 for mold, humidity, and erosion resistance.
- C. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Certainteed Ultralite 150 Certa Edge Coat
 - 2. Knauf Type M
 - 3. Manville Lina-Coustic
 - 4. Owen Corning Fiberglas Aeroflex

2.2 ADHESIVE

- A. Water Base Type:
 - 1. Cain Hydrotak
 - 2. Duro Dyne WSA
 - 3. Kingco 10-568
 - 4. Miracle PF-101
 - 5. Mon-Eco 22-67
 - 6. Techno Adhesive 133
- B. Solvent Base (non-flammable) Type:

- 1. Cain Safetak
- 2. Duro Dyne FPG
- 3. Kingco 15-137
- 4. Miracle PF-91
- 5. Mon-Eco 22-24
- 6. Techno Adhesive 'Non-Flam' 106
- C. Solvent Base (flammable) Type:
 - 1. Cain HV200
 - 2. Duro Dyne MPG
 - 3. Kingco 15-146
 - 4. Miracle PF-96
 - 5. Mon-Eco 22-22
 - 6. Techno Adhesive 'Flammable' 106

2.3 FASTENERS

- A. Adhesively secured fasteners not allowed.
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. AGM Industries Inc "DynaPoint" Series DD-9 pin
 - 2. Cain
 - 3. Duro Dyne
 - 4. Omark dished head "Insul-Pins"
 - 5. Grip nails may be used if each nail is installed by "Grip Nail Air Hammer" or by "Automatic Fastener Equipment" in accordance with Manufacturer's recommendations.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install mat finish surface on air stream side. Secure insulation to cleaned sheet metal duct with continuous 100% coat of adhesive and with 3/4 inch long mechanical fasteners 12 inches on center maximum unless detailed otherwise on Drawings. Pin all duct liner.
- B. Accurately cut liner and thoroughly coat ends with adhesive. Butt joints tightly. Top and bottom sections of insulation shall overlap sides. If liner is all one piece, folded corners shall be tight against metal. Ends shall butt tightly together.
- C. In casings and plenums further contain insulation with wire mesh.

3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. If insulation is installed without longitudinal and end joints butted together, installation will be rejected and work removed and replaced with work that conforms to this Specification.
- B. Insulation shall be installed in accordance with Duct Liner Application Standard SMACNA Manual 15.

3.3 ADJUSTING, CLEANING

A. Keep duct liner clean and free from dust. At completion of project, vacuum duct liner if it is dirty or dusty.

SECTION 23 0720 - REFRIGERANT PIPING INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install insulation on above ground refrigerant suction piping and fittings, including thermal bulb, from thermal expansion valve as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Insulation shall have flame-spread rating of 25 or less and a smoke density rating of 50 or less as tested by ASTM E-84 method.
- B. Ratings:
 - 1. Upper rating of =210 deg. F.
 - 2. Lower rating of -110 deg. F.
 - 3. UV stabilized for ten year life.
 - 4. Thermal conductivity of 0.24.
 - 5. Water vapor transmission of .03 perms per inch.
 - 6. Material to be polyolefin food grade.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 FLEXIBLE FOAMED PIPE INSULATION

- A. Thickness:
 - 1. 1/2 inch for one inch outside diameter and smaller pipe.
 - 2. 3/4 inch for 1-1/8 through 2 inch outside diameter pipe.
 - 3. One inch for 2-1/8 inches outside diameter and larger pipe (two layers of 1/2 inch).
 - 4. One inch sheet for fittings as recommended by Manufacturer.
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Armaflex
 - 2. Halstead "Insul-tube"
 - 3. Rubatex
 - 4. Therma-Cel

2.2 JOINT SEALER

- A. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Armaflex 520
 - 2. BFG Construction Adhesive #105
 - 3. Therma-Cel 950.

2.3 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Nominal 3/4" wall thickness
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. ImcoLock Pipe Insulation

2. or approved equal

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install insulation in snug contact with pipe and in accordance with Manufacturer's recommendations.
- B. Insulation shall be slipped onto pipe prior to connection or applied after pipe is installed, at contractor's option.
- C. Close butt joints and miter joints.
 - 1. Approved Manufacturers:
 - a. IMCOA's Fuse-Seal joining system
 - b. or factory approved contact adhesive
- D. Insulation shall be installed according to manufacturer's recommended procedures.
- E. Exterior exposed Insulation shall be finished with two coats of factory approved finish. Color shall be selected by the Owner's representative.
- F. Stagger joints on layered insulation.
- G. Slip insulation on tubing before tubing sections and fittings are assembled keeping slitting of insulation to a minimum.
- H. Seal joints in insulation.
- I. Insulate flexible pipe connectors.
- J. Insulate thermal expansion valves with insulating tape.
- K. Insulation exposed outside building shall have "slit" joint seams placed on bottom of pipe.
- L. Insulate fittings with sheet insulation and as recommended by Manufacturer.

SECTION 23 0800 - FIRE STOPPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install fire stopping as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Fire stopping material shall meet ASTM E814, E84 and be UL listed.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- Material shall be flexible, long lasting, intumescent acrylic seal to accommodate vibration and building movement.
- B. Caulk simple penetrations with gaps of 1/4" or less with:
 - 1. Dow Corning Fire Stop Sealant
 - 2. Pensil 300
- C. Caulk multiple penetrations and/or penetrations with gaps in excess of 1/4" with:
 - 1. Dow Corning Fire Stop Foam
 - 2. Pensil 200
 - 3. IPC flame safe FS-1900
 - 4. Tremco "Tremstop 1A"

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Follow manufacturer's installation instructions explicitly.
- B. Seal penetrations of ductwork, piping, and other mechanical equipment through one-hour and two-hour rated partitions as shown on Architectural and Mechanical Drawings.
- C. Install fire stopping material on clean surfaces to assure adherence.

SECTION 23 2300 - REFRIGERANT PIPING SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install piping for refrigeration systems as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications:
 - 1. Refrigerant piping shall be installed by a refrigeration contractor licensed by State.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 REFRIGERANT PIPING

- A. Meet requirements of ASTM B 280-88, "Specification for Seamless Copper Tube for Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Field Service", hard drawn straight lengths.
- B. Do not use pre-charged refrigerant lines.

2.2 REFRIGERANT FITTINGS

- A. Wrought copper with long radius elbows.
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Mueller Streamline
 - 2. Nibco Inc
 - 3. Grinnell
 - 4. Elkhart Products Corp

2.3 SUCTION LINE TRAPS

A. Manufactured standard one-piece traps.

2.4 CONNECTION MATERIAL

- A. Brazing Rods:
 - 1. Copper to Copper Connections:
 - 2. AWS Classification BCuP-4 Copper Phosphorus (6% silver).
 - 3. AWS Classification BCuP-5 Copper Phosphorus (15% silver).
 - 4. Copper to Brass or Copper to Steel Connections:
 - 5. AWS Classification BAg-5 Silver (45% silver).
 - 6. Do not use rods containing Cadmium.

2.5 FLUX

- A. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. "Stay-Silv white brazing flux" by J W Harris Co

2. High quality silver solder flux by Handy & Harmon

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Do not install refrigerant piping underground or in tunnels.
- B. Slope suction lines down toward compressor one inch/10 feet. Locate traps at vertical rises against flow in suction lines.
- C. Refrigeration system connections shall be copper-to-copper, copper-to-brass, or copper-to-steel type properly cleaned and brazed with specified rods. Use flux only where necessary.
 - 1. No soft solder (tin, lead, antimony) connections will be allowed in system.
- D. Braze valve, sight glass, and flexible connections.
- E. Circulate dry nitrogen through tubes being brazed to eliminate formation of copper oxide during brazing operation.

3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Make evacuation and leak tests in presence of Architect's Engineer after completing refrigeration piping systems. Positive pressure test will not suffice for procedure outlined below.
 - Draw vacuum on each entire system with vacuum pump to 200 microns using vacuum gauge
 calibrated in microns. Do not use cooling compressor to evacuate system nor operate it while
 system is under high vacuum. Isolate compressor from system piping using shut-off valves prior
 to pulling vacuum.
 - 2. Break vacuum with freon to be used and re-establish vacuum test. Vacuum shall hold for 24 hours at 200 microns without compressor running.
 - 3. Conduct tests at 70 deg F ambient temperature minimum.
 - 4. Do not run systems until above tests have been made and systems started up as specified. Inform Owner's Representative of status of systems at time of final inspection and schedule start-up and testing if prevented by outdoor conditions before this time.
 - 5. After testing, fully charge system with refrigerant and conduct test with Halide Leak Detector.

SECTION 23 2310 - REFRIGERANT SPECIALTIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install refrigeration specialties as described in Contract Documents except for expansion valves on 2 through 5 ton condensing units.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 EXPANSION VALVES

- A. For pressure type distributors, externally equalized with stainless steel diaphragm, and same refrigerant in thermostatic elements as in system.
- B. Size valves to provide full rated capacity of cooling coil served. Coordinate selection with evaporator coil and condensing unit.
- C. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Alco
 - 2. Henry
 - 3. Mueller
 - 4. Parker
 - 5. Singer
 - 6. Sporlan

2.2 FILTER-DRIER

- A. On lines 3/4 inch outside diameter and larger, filter-drier shall be replaceable core type with Schraeder type valve.
- B. On lines smaller than 3/4 inch outside diameter, filter-drier shall be sealed type using flared copper fittings.
- C. Size shall be full line size.
- D. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Alco
 - 2. Mueller
 - 3. Parker
 - 4. Sporlan
 - 5. Virginia

2.3 SIGHT GLASS

- A. Combination moisture and liquid indicator with protection cap.
- B. Sight glass shall be full line size.

- C. Sight glass connections shall be solid copper or brass, no copper-coated steel sight glasses allowed.
- D. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Alco
 - 2. Mueller
 - 3. Parker
 - 4. Superior
 - 5. Virginia

2.4 MANUAL REFRIGERANT SHUT-OFF VALVE

- A. Ball valves designed for refrigeration service and full line size.
- B. Valve shall have cap seals.
- C. Valves with hand wheels are not acceptable.
- D. Provide service valve on each liquid and suction line at compressor.
- E. If service valves come as integral part of condensing unit, additional service valves shall not be required.
- F. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. ConBraCo (Apollo)
 - 2. Henry
 - 3. Mueller
 - 4. Superior
 - 5. Virginia

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Install valves and specialties in accessible locations. Install refrigeration distributors and suction outlet at same end of coil.

SECTION 23 2311 - REFRIGERANT PIPE COVER

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 BASIC COVER

- A. Basic refrigerant line cover shall be 18 gauge steel, hot-dipped galvanized steel meeting the requirements of ASTM<A361-85.
- B. Pop rivet attachments will not be allowed.
- C. All fastening devices shall be plated screws. Arrange covers so they may be taken apart for service.

2.2 MANUFACTURED OUTER COVER

- A. Refrigerant line covers at exterior walls shall be 24 ga steel, hot-dipped galvanized meeting requirements of ASTM<A361-85, "Specification for Steel Sheet, Zinc-Coated (Galvanized) by Hot-Dip Process for Roofing and Siding", 1.25 oz/sq ft and complete with accessories recommended by Manufacturer for proper installation.
 - Approved Manufacturers
 - a. AEP / Span, Dallas, TX or San Diego, CA
 - b. Idose Aluminum Products, Allentown, PA
 - c. Berridge Manufacturing Co., Houston, TX
 - d. Copper Sales Inc., Minneapolis, MN
 - e. Engineered Components Inc., Stafford (Houston), TX
 - f. Fashion Inc., Lenaxa, KS
 - g. Alumax Building Specialties, Mesquite, TX
 - h. MM Systems Corp., Tucker, GA
 - i. Merchant & Evans Industries Inc., Burlington, NJ
 - j. Reynolds Metals Company, Richmond VA

B. Finish:

- 1. Fluoropolymer Resin-base finish for coil coating components. Thermo cured two coat system consisting of primer and top coat factory applied over properly pretreated metal.
- 2. Color as selected by Engineer from Manufacturer's standard colors.
- 3. Approved Manufacturers
 - a. Equal to Duranar 200 by PPG or Fluropon by Desoto containing 70% minimum Kynar 500 by Pennwalt Corp.

PART 3 - INSTALLATION

- 3.1 Do not use pop rivets. All fastening devices shall be plated screws and arranged so covers may be taken off for service.
- 3.2 Provide access opening for viewing the sight glass on the refrigerant line.

SECTION 23 3114 - LOW-PRESSURE STEEL DUCTWORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install above-grade ductwork and related items as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 DUCTS

- A. Fabricate of zinc-coated lockforming quality steel sheets meeting requirements of ASTM 653A/653M, "Specification for Sheet Steel Zinc-Coated (Galvanized) by the Hot-Dip Process, Lock Forming Quality", with G 60 coating.
- B. Use of aluminum, non-metallic, or round ducts is not permitted. [Specification writer: Use of aluminum ducts in areas with high chlorine content (eg.: ventilation for pools, spas, etc.) should be considered on a per job basis.]

2.2 DUCT JOINTS

- A. Ducts with sides up to and including 36 inches shall be as detailed in the SMACNA manual.
- B. Duct sizes over 36 inches shall be fabricated using SMACNA T-24 flange joints or pre-fabricated systems as follows:
 - 1. Ducts with sides over 36 inches to 48 inches:
 - a. transverse duct joint system by Ductmate/25, Nexus, Ward, or WDCI (Lite) (SMACNA "E" or "G" Type connection).
 - 2. Ducts 48 inches & larger:
 - a. Ductmate/35, Nexus, or WDCI (Heavy) (SMACNA "J" Type connection).
 - 3. Approved Manufacturers:
 - a. Ductmate Industries Inc, 10760 Bay Meadows Drive, Sandy, UT 84092 (801) 571-5308
 - b. Nexus, Exanno Corp, P O Box 729, Buffalo, NY 14206 (716) 849-0545
 - c. Ward Industries Inc, 1661 Lebanon Church Road, Pittsburg, PA 15236 (800) 466-9374
 - d. WDCI, P O Box 10868, Pittsburg, PA 15236 (800) 245-3188

2.3 ACCESS DOORS IN DUCTS

- A. At each manual outside air damper and at each motorized damper, install factory built insulated access door with hinges and sash locks. Locate doors within 6 inches of installed dampers. Construction shall be galvanized sheet metal, 24 ga minimum.
- B. Fire and smoke damper access doors shall have a minimum clear opening of 12" x 12" or as specified on Drawings to easily service fire or smoke damper. Doors shall be within 6 inches of fire and smoke dampers and in Mechanical Room if possible.
- C. Identify each door with 1/2" high letters reading "smoke damper" or "fire damper".
- D. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. AirBalance Fire/Seal #FSA 100

- 2. Air Control Products HAD-10
- 3. Cesco-Advanced Air HAD-10
- 4. Elgen Model 85 A
- 5. Kees Inc ADH-D.
- 6. Louvers & Dampers #SMD-G-F
- 7. Nailor-Hart Industries Inc Series 0831
- 8. National Controlled Air Inc Model AD-FL-1

2.4 FLEXIBLE EQUIPMENT CONNECTIONS

- A. 30 oz closely woven UL approved glass fabric, double coated with neoprene.
- B. Fire retardant, waterproof, air-tight, resistant to acids and grease, and withstand constant temperatures of 250 deg F.
- C. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Cain N-100
 - 2. Duro Dyne MFN
 - 3. Elgen ZLN
 - 4. Ventfabrics Ventglas

2.5 CONCEALED CEILING DAMPER REGULATORS

- A. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Cain
 - 2. Duro Dyne
 - 3. Metco Inc
 - 4. Vent-Lock #666
 - 5. Young #303

2.6 VOLUME DAMPERS

A. In Main Ducts:

- 1. 16 gauge galvanized steel, opposed blade type with 3/8 inch pins and end bearings. Blades shall have 1/8 inch clearance all around.
- 2. Damper shall operate within acoustical duct liner.
- 3. Provide channel spacer equal to thickness of duct liner.
- 4. Approved Manufacturers:
 - a. Air Balance Model AC-2
 - b. Air Control Products CD-OB
 - c. American Warming VC-2-AA
 - d. Greenheck VCD-1100
 - e. NCA. Safe Air
 - f. Vent Products 5100

B. In Sheet Metal Branch Ducts:

- Extruded aluminum, opposed blade type. When in open position, shall not extend beyond damper frame.
- 2. Maximum blade length 12 inches.
- 3. Damper Regulator shall be concealed type with operation from bottom or with 90 deg miter gear assembly from side.
- 4. Approved Manufacturers:
 - a. Air Control Products TCD-OB
 - b. Air Guide OB
 - c. Arrow OBDAF-207
 - d. CESCO CDA
 - e. Reliable Metals OBD-RO
 - f. Tuttle & Bailey A7RDDM
 - g. Safe Air

- h. Young 820-AC
- C. Dampers above removable ceiling and in Mechanical Rooms shall have locking quadrant on bottom or side of duct. Otherwise, provide concealed ceiling damper regulator and cover plate.

2.7 MOTORIZED OUTSIDE AIR DAMPERS

- A. Damper Blades:
 - 18 gauge galvanized steel or equivalent aluminum with replaceable rubber blade edges, 9 inches wide maximum.
 - 2. End seals shall be flexible metal compression type.
 - 3. Opposed blade type.
- B. Make provision for damper actuators and actuator linkages to be mounted external of air flow.
- C. Approved Manufacturers & Models:
 - 1. Air Balance AC-2
 - 2. American Warming VC-2-AAVA
 - 3. Arrow OBDAF-207
 - 4. Greenheck VCD-2100
 - 5. Honeywell D641
 - 6. Johnson D1300
 - 7. Louvers & Dampers TSD400
 - 8. Ruskin CD36 or CD60
 - 9. Safe Air 610
 - 10. Vent Products 5800

2.8 BACKDRAFT DAMPER

- A. Backdraft blades shall be nonmetallic and shall be neoprene coated fiberglass.
- B. Stop shall be galvanized steel screen or expanded metal, 1/2 inch mesh.
- C. Frame shall be galvanized steel or extruded aluminum alloy.
- D. Approved Models & Manufacturers:
 - 1. Air Control Products FBD
 - 2. American Warming BD-15
 - 3. CESCO FBD 101
 - 4. Ruskin NMS2
 - 5. Safe Air

2.9 DUCT HANGERS

- A. 1" x 18 gauge galvanized steel straps or steel rods as shown on Drawings, and spaced not more than 8 feet apart. Do not use wire hangers.
- B. Attaching screws at trusses shall be 1-1/2 inch No. 10 round head wood screws. Nails not allowed.

2.10 DUCT SEALER

- A. Cain Duct Butter or Butter Tak
- B. Design Polymerics DP 1010
- C. DSC Stretch Coat

- D. Duro Dyne S2
- E. Hardcast #601 Iron-Grip or Peel-N-Seal Tape
 - 1. Kingco 15-325
 - 2. Mon-Eco 44-41
 - 3. Trans-Continental Equipment Co Multipurpose Duct Sealant
 - 4. United Sheet Metal duct-sealer

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Ducts:

- 1. Straight and smooth on inside with joints neatly finished unless otherwise directed.
- Duct panels through 48 inch dimension having acoustic duct liner need not be crossbroken or beaded.
- 3. Crossbreak unlined ducts and duct panels larger than 48 inch or bead 12 inches on center.
- 4. Securely anchor ducts to building structure with specified duct hangers attached with screws. Do not hang more than one duct from a duct hanger.
- 5. Brace and install ducts so they shall be free of vibration under all conditions of operation.
- 6. Ducts shall not bear on top of structural members.
- 7. Make duct take-offs to branches, registers, grilles, and diffusers as detailed on Drawings.
- 8. Ducts shall be large enough to accommodate inside acoustic duct liner. Dimensions shown on Drawings are net clear inside dimensions after duct liner has been installed.
- 9. Properly flash where ducts protrude above roof.
- 10. Install internal ends of slip joints in direction of flow. Make joints air tight using specified duct sealer.
- 11. Cover horizontal and longitudinal joints on exterior ducts with two layers of Hardcast tape installed with Hardcast HC-20 adhesive according to Manufacturer's recommendations.
- 12. Paint ductwork visible through registers, grilles, and diffusers flat black.
- B. Install flexible inlet and outlet duct connections to each furnace, fan, fan coil unit, and air handling unit.
- C. Install concealed ceiling damper regulators.
 - 1. Paint cover plates to match ceiling tile.
 - Damper regulators will not be required for dampers located directly above removable ceilings or in Mechanical Rooms.
- D. Provide each take-off with an adjustable volume damper to balance that branch.
 - 1. Anchor dampers securely to duct.
 - 2. Install dampers in main ducts within insulation.
 - 3. Dampers in branch ducts shall fit against sheet metal walls, bottom and top of duct, and be securely fastened. Cut duct liner to allow damper to fit against sheet metal.
 - 4. Where concealed ceiling damper regulators are installed, provide a cover plate.
- E. Install grilles, registers, and diffusers. Level floor registers and anchor securely into floor.
- F. Air Turns:
 - 1. Permanently installed, consisting of single thickness curved metal blades with one inch straight trailing edge to permit air to make abrupt turn without appreciable turbulence, in 90 degree elbows of above ground supply and return ductwork.
 - 2. 4-1/2 inch wide minimum vane rail. Do not use junior vane rails.
 - 3. Double thickness vanes not acceptable.
 - 4. Quiet and free from vibration when system is in operation. See SMACNA Manual
- G. Install motorized dampers

SECTION 23 3346 - FLEX DUCT

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install supply air branch duct runouts to diffusers as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 DUCTS

- A. Formable, flexible, circular duct which shall retain its cross-section, shape, rigidity, and shall not restrict air flow after bending.
- B. Nominal 1-1/2 inches thick, 3/4 lb/cu ft density fiberglass insulation with air-tight, polyehtylene or polyester core, sheathed in seamless vapor barrier jacket factory installed over flexible assembly.
- C. Assembly, including insulation and vapor barrier, shall meet Class I requirement of NFPA 90A and be UL 181 rated, with flame spread of 25 or less and smoke developed rating of 50 or under.
- D. Length of flexible ductwork shall not exceed 8'-0".

2.2 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS

- A. ANCO-FLEX 4625
- B. Flex-Aire PF/UPC #090
- C. Hart & Cooley F114
- D. Thermaflex G-KM

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install duct in fully extended condition free of sags and kinks.
- B. Make duct connections by coating exterior of duct collar for 3 inches with duct sealer and securing duct in place over sheet metal collar with 1/2 inch wide metal cinch bands and sheet metal screws.

SECTION 23 3400 - EXHAUST FANS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install exhaust fans as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCES

- A. Requirements of Regulatory Agencies:
 - 1. Bear AMCA seal and UL label.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 CEILING MOUNTED EXHAUST FANS

- A. Acoustically insulated housings.
- B. Sound level rating of 4.6 sones maximum for fan RPM and CFM listed on Drawings.
- C. Include chatterproof integral back-draft damper with no metal to metal contact.
- D. True centrifugal wheels.
- E. Entire fan, motor, and wheel assembly shall be easily removable without disturbing housing.
- F. Suitably ground motors and mount on rubber-in shear vibration isolators.
- G. Provide wall or roof cap, as required.
- H. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Cook-Gemini
 - 2. Greenheck Sp
 - 3. Pace
 - 4. Penn Zephyr
 - 5. Twin City

2.2 ROOF MOUNTED EXHAUST FANS

- A. Direct drive or have adjustable pitch V-belt as noted on Drawings.
- B. Wheels shall be backward curved and housing shall be removable or hinged aluminum.
- C. Isolate motor with vibration dampeners.
- D. Provide quiet type back-draft dampers.
- E. Insulated, pre-fabricated metal roof curb shall be for flat or sloped roof as shown on Drawings.

- F. Approved Manufacturers:
 - I. Fans:
 - a. Penn
 - b. Centri-Master
 - c. Cook
 - d. Greenheck G, GB
 - e. Twin City
 - 2. Standard curbs:
 - a. Penn
 - b. Cook
 - c. Greenheck
 - 3. Sound attenuating curbs:
 - a. Penn
 - b. Greenheck

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Anchor fan units securely to structure or curb.

SECTION 23 3713 - AIR OUTLETS & INLETS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install wall supply registers, transfer grilles, return air grilles, soffit grilles, ceiling diffusers, louvers connected to ductwork, and registers as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 GRILLES & REGISTERS

- A. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Price
 - 2. Anemostat
 - 3. Krueger
 - 4. Titus
 - 5. Tuttle & Bailey

2.2 SPIN-IN FITTINGS

- A. Low pressure round take-offs to diffusers shall be made with spin-in fittings. They shall incorporate a manual balancing damper. The damper shall be spring loaded and a positive locking wing nut shall secure the damper position.
- B. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Sheet metal fittings: Genflex DB-1DEL, Hercules

2.3 LOUVERS

- A. Extruded aluminum, with blades welded or screwed into frames and 1/2 inch mesh 16 gauge aluminum bird screen.
- B. Frames shall have mitered corners.
- C. Louvers shall be recessed, flanged, stationary, or removable as noted on Drawings.
- D. Approved Manufacturers:
 - Airolite
 - 2. American Warming
 - 3. Arrow
 - 4. Industrial Louvers
 - 5. Ruskin
 - 6. Vent Products

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Anchor securely into openings.
- B. Install with screws to match color and finish of grilles and registers.
- C. Touch-up any scratched finish surfaces.
- D. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- E. Check location of outlets and inlets and make necessary adjustments in position to conform with architectural features, symmetry, and lighting arrangement.
- F. Install diffusers to ductwork with air tight connection.
- G. Provide balancing dampers on duct take-off to diffusers, and grilles and registers, despite whether dampers are specified as part of the diffuser, or grille and register assembly.
- H. Paint ductwork visible behind air outlets and inlets matte black. Refer to Section 09 9000.

SECTION 23 4145 – FURNACE AIR PIPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0100 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install furnace vent piping and combustion air intake piping as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 AIR PIPING

- A. Schedule 40 pipe and fittings meeting requirements of one of following:
 - ASTM D 1785-89, "Specification for Poly(Vinyl Chloride)(PVC) Plastic Pipe, Schedules 40, 80, and 120."
 - 2. ASTM D 2661-89, "Specification for Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene (ABS) Plastic Drain, Waste, and Vent Pipe and fittings."
 - 3. ASTM D 2665-89a, "Specification for Poly(Vinyl Chloride)(PVC) Plastic Drain, Waste, and Vent Pipe and Fittings."

2.2 PRIMER & CEMENT

A. Meet requirements of ASTM D 2564-88, "Specification for Solvent Cements for Poly(Vinyl Chloride)(PVC) Plastic Pipe and Fittings."

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Do not combine furnace drain piping with cooling coil drain piping.
- B. Run individual vent and individual combustion intake piping from each furnace to outdoors with location and formation recommended by Furnace Manufacturer. Slope lines downward toward furnaces.
- C. Slope combustion chamber drain downward to funnel drain. Anchor to wall with wall clamps, allowing free movement through clamp for expansion.
- D. Use vent terminal kit or clamping system provided by Furnace Manufacturer. Install vent and combustion air intake piping at clearance and distances required by Furnace Manufacturer.
- E. Attach factory-supplied neoprene coupling to furnace combustion-air inlet connection and secure with clamp.
- F. Ensure that factory-supplied perforated metal disc is installed in flexible coupling, unless its removal is required.

SECTION 23 5416 – SEPERATED COMBUSTION UNIT HEATERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install separated combustion unit heaters as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Provide high-efficiency, separated combustion, gas fired unit heaters as manufactured by Reznor. They are to be designed for a fuel use improvement of 25% and engineered for use in building areas with negative pressure and/or extremely dirty or mildly corrosive atmospheres. The use of a factory-installed power venter to draw combustion air from outside is to prevent dirt, lint, dust, or other contaminants present in the heated space from entering the unit. The combustion air supply pipe and flue exhaust pipe shall be run parallel to a factory-supplied (horizontal), (vertical) vent terminal assembly. The vent terminal assembly shall be arranged to provide preheating of the combustion supply air and to allow a single wall or roof penetration.
- B. The SC series shall be provided with a 24-volt control transformer, a(n) (single-stage), (two-stage), (electronic modulation) gas control system with a regulated combination redundant gas valve and an intermittent spark pilot with electronic flame supervision (and timed lockout). The SC is to include all limit and safety controls, including a combustion air pressure differential switch to verify proper vent flow before allowing operation of the gas valve.
- C. Each unit shall be equipped for use with (natural), (propane) gas and (120/1), (208/3), (203/3), (460/3) volt power supply. The heat exchanger shall be the Reznor Themrocore design of (aluminized), E-3 [408] stainless) steel and include flared ports (burner air shutters) and a stainless steel insert. The units shall be designed for 80% thermal efficiency.
- D. These units are to be propeller fan(s), open drip-proof fan motor(s) with internal overloads, and safety fan guard(s). Horizontal (and vertical) louvers shall be provided for directing air flow. The unit must be arranged for ceiling suspension with threaded hanger connections (and provided with hanger kits). The cabinet shall be constructed of zinc grip steel and finished with baked-on enamel.
- E. All separated-combustion unit heaters must be design-certified by the American Gas Association and bear the A.G.A. label.
- F. Provide with non-programmable 24 V. remote mounted Thermostat.

SECTION 23 5417 – HIGH EFFICIENCY NATURAL GAS FURNACE

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install gas fired condensing high efficiency furnace as described in Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

A. Fabrication:

- 1. Furnaces shall be factory assembled units certified by AGA complete with blower section, furnace section, condensing coil, steel casing, piped, and wired.
- 2. Blower section shall consist of cabinet, blower, and motor.
- 3. Cabinet shall be of 22 gauge minimum cold rolled steel and have finish coat of baked-on enamel.
- 4. Blower shall be Class 1, full DIDW, statically and dynamically balanced.
- 5. Filters shall be one inch thick pleated throw-away type as furnished by furnace manufacturer.
- 6. Provide furnace with accessory side mounted filter box frame and factory available bottom closure.
- 7. Automatic controls:
 - a. 100% cut-off safety pilot
 - b. Manual gas shut-off valve
 - c. Operating automatic gas valve
 - d. Solid state type fan and thermal limit controls
 - e. 24 volt transformer
 - f. Electronic ignition system
 - g. Pressure switch safety for induced draft fan

B. Units:

- Blower shall be driven by motor with adjustable pitch V-belt drive or by a multi-speed direct driven motor.
- Furnace section shall be enclosed in 22 gauge minimum enameled steel casing lined with foil covered insulation.
- 3. Heat exchanger shall be ceramic or glass coated, stainless steel, or 18 gauge aluminized steel with 20 year minimum limited warranty.
- 4. Units shall be rated at 93% minimum AFUE (Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency) calculated in accordance with DOE test procedures.
- 5. 2" or 3" intake and exhaust lines to outside with factory furnished combination flue/intake assembly for roof or sidewall.
- C. Provide with Web enabled 7 day programmable thermostat equal to Honeywell Prestige.
- D. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Lennox
 - 2. Carrier
 - 3. York
 - 4. Trane

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Quality Assurance: Furnace manufacturer's representative shall start up and check out furnace equipment as follows:
 - 1. Verify proper gas orifice sizing for altitude.
 - 2. Clock gas meter for rated input.
 - 3. Verify and set gas pressure at furnace.
 - 4. Check and measure temperature rise.
 - 5. Check safety controls for proper operation.

SECTION 23 5540 - ELECTRIC RADIANT WALL HEATERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install wall heaters as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Units shall be UL listed and comply with NEC.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Fan type for recess mounting in wall.
- B. 20 gauge minimum sheet metal casing.
- C. Heating element shall be encased in steel finned casting and protected by thermal switch.
- D. Fan motor shall be heavy duty enclosed and permanently lubricated.
- E. Fan shall be precision balanced and fan-motor assembly mounted to be vibration free.
- F. Units shall be controlled automatically by integral thermostat when heater is in "ON" position.
- G. Heater shall have built-in fan delay.
- H. Finish Baked-on enamel.
- I. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. O' Mark
 - 2. Berko
 - 3. Thermador
 - 4. Markel

SECTION 23 6213 - AIR-COOLED CONDENSING UNITS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Furnish and install condensing units as described in Contract Documents.

1.3 WARRANTY

- A. Five-year warranty on compressors.
 - 1. Warranty time frame shall be five years from date of "start-up". "Start-up" date shall be recorded on warranty certificate for each unit.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 TWO TON THROUGH FIVE TON UNITS

- A. Condenser coil shall have aluminum plate fins mechanically bonded to seamless copper tubes.
 - Provide coil guard for unit.
- B. Fans shall be direct driven propeller upflow type.
 - 1. Fan motor shall be single or two speed, thermostatically controlled, permanently lubricated, and designed with permanent protection and ball bearings.
 - 2. Motors shall be resiliently mounted.
 - 3. Each fan shall have a safety guard.
- C. Units shall be operable down to 0 deg F outdoor temperature.
- D. Compressor shall be of hermetic design with the following features. Each condenser unit shall have only one compressor.
 - 1. Externally mounted brass service valves with charging connections.
 - 2. Crankcase heater.
 - 3. Resilient rubber mounts.
 - 4. Compressor motor overload protection.
 - 5. Single speed

E. Controls:

- 1. Factory wired and located in separate enclosure.
- Safety devices shall consist of high and low pressure cutout and condenser fan motor overload devices.
- 3. Unit shall have anti-cycle timers to prevent units from starting up again for five minutes after any power interruption.

F. Casing:

- 1. Fully weatherproof for outdoor installation. Finish shall be weather resistant.
- 2. Openings shall be provided for power and refrigerant connections.
- 3. Panels shall be removable for servicing.
- G. Expansion Valves:

- Stainless steel diaphragm and same refrigerant in thermostatic elements as in system. Externally or internally equalized as required by evaporator/condensing system.
- 2. Size valves to provide full rated capacity of cooling coil served.
- 3. Furnished by evaporator coil/condensing unit supplier and coordinated to provide bleed holes for system pressure equalization, if required.
- H. Condensing units shall use R-410A refrigerant. Only one liquid line, one suction line, and one power connection shall be made to each compressor. Provide charging valves.
- I. SEER rating as defined by ARI shall be not less than 13.0.
- J. Set each unit on neoprene isolation pads located at each corner and sized 4" x 4" x 3/4" high minimum.
- K. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. York
 - 2. Carrier
 - 3. Lennox
 - 4. Trane

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Set condensing units as detailed on the drawings.

3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service:
- B. Condensing units shall be started up, checked out, and adjusted by Condensing Unit Manufacturer's authorized factory trained service mechanic.
- C. Mechanic shall use check-out sheet provided by Manufacturer, complete and sign all items on sheet, and submit to Architect.

SECTION 23 6220 - ROOFTOP HEATING-COOLING UNIT

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, General Provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Section 23 0501 apply to this Section.

1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Unit shall be AGA certified.

1.3 WARRANTY

A. Provide five-year warranty on compressors.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Unit shall be one piece combination air-to-air DX mechanical cooling system and gas fired heating system complete with automatic controls.
- B. Equipment shall be shipped completely assembled, pre-charged, piped and wired internally ready for field connections.
- C. Roof mounting frame shall be furnished and installed. Frame shall be steel and mate to bottom perimeter of equipment. When flashed into roof, it shall make a unit mounting curb and provide weather-proof duct connection and entry into conditioning area.
- D. Power Saver: (Fresh Air Dampers)
 - 1. Provide complete with all controls and air mixing damper assembly, including fresh air, recirculated air, and exhaust air dampers.
 - 2. Fresh air section shall be equipped with air filters.
 - 3. Mixing box sections shall contain low leakage dampers with edge seals and inflatable blade seals.

E. Cooling System:

- 1. Coils shall be non-ferrous construction with aluminum fins mechanically bonded to seamless copper tubes.
- 2. Condenser coil shall have sub-cooling rows.
- 3. Compressor shall be resiliently mounted, have built-in 3-mode crankshaft lubrication, crankcase heater, discharge temperature limiter, current and temperature sensing motor overloads.
- Cooling system shall be protected by high and low pressure switches and compressor timed off control.
- 5. Provide with hail guard over condenser coil.

F. Heating System:

- 1. Automatic controls furnished to give 50/50 2-stage operation.
- 2. Cylindrical tube and drum exchanger constructed of Duraglas coated steel or stainless steel.
- 3. Stainless steel burner listed for operation at low outdoor air temperatures.
- 4. Visual inspection of burner flame possible through observation port at rear of heat exchanger.
- 5. Power vented.

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G. Air Movers:

- 1. Twin centrifugal conditioned air blowers with permanently lubricated ball bearings, adjustable belt drive or direct drive as shown on drawings.
- 2. Condenser fans shall be direct driven.
- 3. Motors shall have inherent protection devices.
- H. Frame and Casing:
 - 1. Frame shall be welded construction.
 - 2. Casing shall be galvanized panels with baked-on outdoor enamel finish.
 - 3. Entire cabinet shall be insulated with 1" thick fiberglass.
 - 4. Provide coil guards on exposed condenser coils.
- I. Furnish two sets of 2" throw away filters.
- J. Provide with 7-day programmable thermostat equal to Honeywell Prestige.
- K. Approved Manufacturers:
 - 1. Lennox
 - 2. Trane
 - 3. Carrier
 - 4. York

PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
 - A. Provide manufacturer's startup and warranty.

SECTION 23 7433 - FACTORY FABRICATED PACKAGED, 100% OUTDOOR, HEATING AND COOLING MAKEUP AIR UNITS (DOAS)

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes packaged heating and cooling units capable of supplying 100 percent outdoor air.
- B. Unit shall be captive air or approved equal

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. Provide Factory Submittals to the Engineer.

1.3 SEISMIC DESIGN

A. Should project be located within a seismic zone requiring special provisions for support and restraint of equipment, components, and piping, see Section 23 0548 – Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment for additional requirements.

1.4 OUALITY ASSURANCE

A. All models shall be ETL listed and comply with safety standards UL 1995, and CSA Std. C22.2, No. 236-11. Units outfitted with indirect fired heaters shall also comply with ANSI Z83.8-2013, and CSA 2.6-2013.

1.5 WARRANTY

- A. All units shall be provided with the following standard warranties:
 - 1. 10-Year (non-prorated) parts warranty covering the entire unit when accompanied by a company provided service plan. 5-Year (non-prorated) parts warranty covering the entire unit otherwise.
 - 2. 25-year (non-prorated) parts warranty for SS heat exchanger on indirect fired units.
- B. This warranty shall not apply if:
 - 1. The equipment is not installed by a qualified installer per the manufacturer's installation instructions shipped with the product.
 - 2. The equipment is not installed in accordance with federal, state and local codes and regulations.
 - 3. The equipment is misused or neglected, or not maintained per the manufacturer's maintenance instructions.
 - 4. The equipment is not operated within its published capacity.
 - 5. The invoice is not paid within the terms of the sales agreement.
- C. The manufacturer shall not be liable for incidental and consequential losses and damages potentially attributable to malfunctioning equipment. Should any part of the equipment prove to be defective in material or workmanship within the 10 year period, upon examination by the

manufacturer, such part will be repaired or replaced by manufacturer at no charge. The buyer shall pay all labor costs incurred in connection with such repair or replacement. Equipment shall not be returned without manufacturer's prior authorization and all returned equipment shall be shipped by the buyer, freight prepaid to a destination determined by the manufacturer.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1. GENERAL

A. Supply single zone one piece packaged units that are complete as per the following specification, deliver all capacities scheduled, and conform to design indicated herein.

2.2. CABINET

- A. Unit(s) shall be constructed of minimum 20ga. G-90 galvanized steel riveted together via structural pop-rivets. All metal shall be CNC bent for precise assembly.
 - Rigging Provisions: The unit shall have a structural base constructed of minimum 14ga. G-90 galvanized steel, and include full sized fork pockets and lifting points on all four sides.
 - 2. Roof Construction: The lids shall be fabricated by forming a double-standing, self-locking seam that requires no additional support. Roof shall be pitched to allow for proper drainage.
 - 3. Exterior Wall Construction: All exterior walls shall consist of a double wall, G-90 galvanized steel construction insulated with 2in. thick, foil-faced, R13 closed cell foam.
 - 4. Service Access Doors: All door jambs shall be gasketed around their perimeter, and allow for doors to be mounted via removable, spring actuated, stainless steel hinges with stainless steel rivets, and self-compressing latches. Each compartment shall have removable access panels to allow for ease of service and maintainability. Electrical cabinet access doors shall have a door hold installed to prop doors open. All doors shall have stainless steel latches which are pad lockable. Electrical cabinet doors shall be outfitted with schematic/manual pouches formed into the door, along with wiring diagram attached to the indoor of the door from the factory.
- B. Entire interior and exterior casing shall be constructed of minimum 20 GA G90 galvanized steel with no painting, and shall have surpassed a salt spray corrosion test as per ASTM B 117.

2.3. AIRFLOW CONFIGURATIONS

- A. Unit shall be configurable for both down (vertical) discharge through base of unit, or side discharge through the cabinet. Unit shall also be configurable to both down (vertical) return or side return into the cabinet.
- B. Unit intake airflow configuration shall be through use of a fresh/outdoor air damper.
 - 1. Damper: Shall exceed AMCA Class 1A standard for low leakage. Damper assembly shall be a single assembly, and outfitted with an integral bird screen and louver/gutter system to divert any drainage through the base of the unit intake air hood not required.
 - 2. Actuator: A single direct drive damper actuator shall be used with spring return to ensure that the outdoor air section closes when not powered.

2.4. SUPPLY AIR BLOWER AND MOTOR

- A. All supply fans shall be direct drive (belt-driven not acceptable) variable speed plenum fans.
- B. Blower Motor: Motor shall be a premium efficiency motor available as:
 - 1. Open Drip Proof (ODP) or Totally Enclosed Fan Cooled (TEFC) motor driven by a Variable Frequency Drive.
 - 2. Electronically Commutated Motor (ECM).
- C. Fans to be selected at or near efficiency peak. (Submit fan curves.)
- D. Blower and motor assembly shall be dynamically balanced. The entire blower and motor assembly shall be mounted on rubber vibration isolators. Wheels balanced as per AMCA 204+96, Balance Quality and Vibration Levels for fans.

2.5. REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

- A. Unit shall utilize a variable speed inverter duty scroll compressor with the following features:
 - 1. Modulation: Compressor shall be capable of compressor speed modulation from 15%-100% on 8, 10, & 12.5 Ton units, and 25%-100% on 15, 20, 22, 25, & 30 Ton units.
 - 2. Refrigerant: Unit shall be factory charged with R410A refrigerant.
 - 3. Vibration Isolation: Compressor shall be mounted on rubber vibration isolators to reduce transmission of vibration to the building structure.
 - 4. Internal Overload Protection: Compressor shall include internal thermal overload production to protect against excessive motor temperatures.
 - 5. Crankcase Heater: Compressor shall include a crankcase heater to protect against liquid flood-back and elimination of oil foaming on startup. The crankcase heater must remain powered when compressor is not in operation.
 - 6. Oil Management: Unit shall utilize both passive and active oil return management using Oil Level Sensor and scheduled oil boosts.
 - 7. Monitored Envelope: Unit shall monitor all critical refrigeration points to ensure compressor does not operate outside of safe operating envelope.
 - 8. Throttling Logic: Unit shall allow for high head pressure monitoring throttle mode for high ambient operation, and low suction pressure throttle mode for low capacity operation or any conditions resulting in low suction pressure.
 - 9. Pump-Down: Active pump-down mode with discharge line check valve to protect against liquid migration into compressor during idle times.
 - 10. Defrost mode in optional Heat Pump: When outdoor coils are deemed at risk of freezing, the unit shall simultaneously turn on auxiliary heat while running the heat pump in "cooling" mode to help defrost outdoor coils as needed while still maintain desired leaving air temperatures.
- B. The unit shall be outfitted with the following:

- 1. Indoor Coil: Indoor coil shall be a high efficiency 5-7 row coil design with aluminum fins mechanically bonded to copper tubes. Coil is staggered to increase turbulence, reduce the coil bypass factor, and ultimately the time the air stays within the coil.
- 2. Electronic Expansion Valve: Each refrigeration circuit will be outfitted with an electronic expansion valve metering device which can be throttled from 0-100% open to allow for precise superheat control.
- 3. Indoor Coil Drain Pan: The indoor coil shall be outfitted with a sloped stainless steel drain pan. This pan shall be insulated along the entire base to prevent condensation, and outfitted with a safety overflow switch which will automatically shut down cooling operation prior to water overflowing the drain pan in the event of a drain clog. The entire drain pan shall be 20 GA Stainless Steel construction and wrap beneath the entire coil with flashing on entering side of coil to ensure capture of all condensate. Drain pan discharge pipe shall also be stainless steel construction. Drain pan shall be pitched to exceed ASHRAE 62.1 standard.
- 4. Base of the condensing coil cabinet shall be pitched away from the unit as a safety to ensure all draining exits away from the curb.
- 5. Hot Gas Reheat Coil: The unit shall include an copper tube and aluminum fin hot gas reheat coil mounted downstream of the indoor coil. This coil shall be controlled via fully modulating hot gas reheat valve to provide precise reheat temperature control. This coil shall include the addition of an evaporative coil leaving condition sensor to maintain a coil dew point. This also prevents operation of a dehumidification call when intake dew point conditions are found to be below space dew point conditions, preventing wasted energy.
- 6. Outdoor (Condenser) Coil: Outdoor coil shall be a high efficiency coil design with aluminum fins mechanically bonded to copper tubes. The coil shall be downward sloped to protect coil from hail damage. Optional hail guards may also be outfitted to the outdoor coil for added protection from hail bouncing off of the roof of the unit up the coil.
- 7. Outdoor Fans: The outdoor coil shall have a vertical discharge outfitted with quiet, efficient, fully modulating Electronically Commutated Motor (ECM) condensing fans. These fans shall modulate to maintain a temperature differential between outside air and the outdoor coil.
- C. To help mitigate any long-term potential for leaks or hardware failures, the unit shall be outfitted with the following protection measures:
 - 1. Suction line accumulator for added protection against liquid entering suction line of compressor.
 - 2. Bi-flow, low pressure drop, filter drier.
 - 3. Electronic Expansion Valve (EEV) for precise superheat control. EEV shall open partially allowing system pressure equalization prior to activation of the compressor.
 - 4. On optional heat pump units, use of a single 3-way reheat valve to prevent obstructions due to valve failure.
 - 5. Protective rubber sleeves installed on all distribution lines of indoor coil to prevent wear from rubbing.

- 6. All refrigeration ports shall be short-stub assembly and any access port with a transducer or switch is mounted vertically to mitigate risk of bent/cracked stub joints.
- 7. Refrigeration circuit shall be mechanically CNC pre-bent tubing wherever possible with minimal brazed joints to minimize points for potential refrigeration leaks.
- 8. Factory tested for leaks via high pressure nitrogen decay and helium tracer gas testing.
- 9. Suction line temperature sensor failure detection.
- 10. Preventative failure alerts through a manufacturer provided, cloud based, cellular remote monitoring system.

2.6. HEATING SYSTEM

- A. The gas burner shall be an indirect-fired, push-through type, using (natural) (LP) gas at an inlet-supply pressure to the unit of 7"w.c. minimum Nat. Gas, (11"w.c. minimum LP Gas).
- B. Burner shall be a tubular in-shot fired design capable of using natural or LP type gas. Each burner ignition shall be of the direct-spark design with remote flame sensing at inlet of the last firing tube of the gas manifold.
- C. Direct-sparking sequence shall last through the complete duration of the trial for ignition period for guaranteed light-off. Burner shall always be lit at maximum gas flow and combustion airflow for guaranteed light-off. Each burner ignition module shall have LED indicators for troubleshooting and a set of exposed prongs for testing flame indication signal.
- D. All furnaces shall be controlled by an electronic Vernier-type fully modulating control system capable of achieving 80% combustion efficiency over the entire gas firing range of the unit.
- E. Each furnace shall have:
 - 1. A minimum turndown ratio of 6:1 for natural gas and 5:1 for LP gas while maintaining a constant 80% efficiency (90% for high efficiency furnace option). No cold air bypass of the heat exchanger.
 - 2. Each furnace heat exchanger shall be a bent-tube style design made entirely of type 409 stainless steel.
 - 3. Stainless steel Quick Seal Connection for gas connection.
 - 4. Manifold and Input gas pressure gauges.
 - 5. Factory piped condensate drain to exterior of cabinet.
 - 6. A combustion flue to be installed on adjacent side as combustion intake with integrated high velocity wind cap.
 - 7. A blocked vent safety airflow switch with high temperature silicone tubing operating off of absolute pressure measured inside of the power-vent blower housing.
 - 8. A high temperature auto-recycling limit with a maximum non-adjustable set point.
 - 9. A manual reset high temperature flame roll out switch with a non-adjustable set point.

- 10. Each furnace compartment shall have a removable post and panel that allows the furnace to be easily removed for service and maintainability.
- 11. A power-vent assembly for exhausting flue gases with a PSC or ECM type motor that is securely mounted and easily accessible/removable for service.
- 12. A 0-10"w.c. gas pressure gauge installed on the gas manifold.

2.7. FILTERS

- A. Provide filters as part of unit. All filters shall be furnished and installed to meet the performance requirements set forth in the schedule and as specified under another section of this work.
- B. All filters shall be installed on tracks for easy removal from the unit.
- C. Up to 3 layers of outdoor air filtration installed. Unit shall ship with a 2" washable metal mesh outdoor air filter. Mixed air shall have optional 2" MERV-8 and MERV-13 filters, 4" MERV-15 or 4" MERV-17 HEPA filter banks factory installed.
- D. Unit shall have an optional adjustable pressure differential sensor for the filter bank to alert in the event of a clogged filter.

2.8. ELECTRICAL

- A. All controls shall be pre-wired and housed in an insulated electrical cabinet within the unit to protect against risk of condensation.
- B. All direct fired and cooling only units shall be provided with single point electrical connection.
- C. Unit shall be provided with a door safety switch that de-energizes the supply fan when the door is opened.
- D. Unit shall be provided with a factory mounted averaging supply air temperature sensor to allow for accurate discharge temperature readings within unit when a downstream sensor is not installed. Field mounted and wired discharge air sensors will not be accepted.
- E. Unit shall be provided with a factory mounted averaging intake air temperature sensor to allow for accurate intake temperature reading regardless of how the OA/RA dampers are positioned.
- F. The electrical cabinet shall be outfitted with the following:
 - 1. LED electrical cabinet service light with automatic activation upon door switch.
 - 2. Color wiring schematics, laminated to the interior wall of the cabinet doors.
 - 3. Factory mounted disconnect with unit bottom knockouts.
 - 4. A LED backlit, LCD Human-Machine Interface (HMI) shall be mounted within the unit's control cabinet to allow for all set points configuration and refrigeration system monitoring at the unit.
 - 5. Up to 4 additional space mounted HMIs available. Additional HMIs shall allow for full programming capabilities and are outfitted with integral temperature and humidity sensors. Additional HMIs shall be capable of being individually averaged for space temperature/humidity readings. All HMIs shall be wired using standard CAT5/6 cables.

- 6. Optional 120V, 15A unit powered or unpowered convenience outlet.
- G. All sensors shall be wired back to the main control board that continuously monitors all critical components and makes decisions based on pre-determined logic to accurately control the following:
 - PID logic to control heater modulation ensuring precise discharge/space temperature control.
 - 2. PID logic to control compressor speed to provide precise control over evaporative coil temperatures, leaving dew point, and discharge/space temperatures.
 - 3. PID logic for Outdoor fan modulation to maintain an optimal outdoor coil temperature.
 - 4. PID logic for Electronic Expansion Valve (EEV) position to maintain a precise superheat temperature
 - 5. PID logic for Modulating Reheat valve to limit supply air temperature and relative humidity based off of space or discharge conditions.

2.9. CONTROLS

- A. Unit shall be outfitted with a control board to allow for full control of the entire unit.
- B. Provide air flow switch on the supply fan system to sense air flow with available set of contacts for connection to BMS for airflow alerts.
- C. All unit controls shall be compatible with BACnet and LonWorks based building management systems.
- D. All units shall be outfitted with CASLink cloud based monitoring, which monitors every point of operation. Provides configurable automated fault alert e-mails, and remote control capabilities.
- E. Integrated cellular module to provide remote connection to monitoring services to view both real time and historical unit operation. Data shall be stored a minimum of 3 years on the cloud. Data sample rate shall be a maximum of 60 seconds.
- F. Temperature Control System
 - 1. **Low-Ambient Cooling:** Unit is factory outfitted with logic allowing for low-ambient operation of the DX system down to 15F outdoor temperatures purely through software utilizing the standard factory modulating components.

2. **Discharge Temp Control (Heating)**

Unit modulates the burner flame (current supply in the case of electric heating) to accurately maintain the desired discharge temperature set point and compensate for fluctuations in entering air temperature, air volume and % of OA using heating PID controls designed specifically for the DOAS.

3. **Discharge Temp Control (Cooling)**

Unit modulates the compressor frequency to accurately maintain the desired discharge temperature set point and compensate for fluctuations in entering air temperature, air volume and % of OA using proprietary cooling PID controls designed specifically for the DOAS.

4. Discharge Humidity Control (Dehumidification)

Unit modulates the compressor frequency to accurately maintain a desired evaporative coil dew point measured via a coil mounted temperature sensor between the evaporative and hot gas reheat coils. A fully modulating hot gas reheat valve shall utilize excess waste heat from the condensing section feed the hot gas reheat coil with the precise amount of heat needed to accurately reheat the airstream in order to maintain a desired discharge temperature compensating for fluctuations in entering air temperature, air volume and % of OA using proprietary dehumidification PID controls designed specifically for the DOAS.

5. **Advanced Total Unit Economizer:** The control system is outfitted standard, without need for any additional hardware, with an Advanced Total Unit Economizer which will take maximum advantage of as much energy available in the outdoor air conditions in order to run the compressor the minimum amount required at any given incoming air conditions. If the outdoor enthalpy (temperature and relative humidity) permits, the unit will be capable of completely modulating and shutting off compressor to provide "free" cooling and dehumidification as the outdoor air conditions allow.

G. Activation Controls:

1. Activate Based on Intake (Heating)

Unit will activate heating when the intake temperature drops below the desired set point.

2. Activate Based on Intake (Cooling)

Unit will activate cooling when the intake temperature rises above the desired set point.

3. Activate Based on Intake (Dehumidification)

Unit will activate dehumidification when the intake conditions rise above the desired intake set point, with activation set points configured to a Dew Point, Relative Humidity or a combination of Dew Point/Relative Humidity.

2.10. ROOF CURB

- A. Unit shall be factory assembled, and constructed of 18GA galvanized steel, with optional 16GA available.
- B. Curb shall be fully insulated with 1" acoustical and thermal insulation.
- C. Curb shall be factory outfitted with duct support hangers.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Examine areas and conditions under which packaged units are to be installed. Do not proceed with work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected in manner acceptable to Installer.

3.2 INSTALLATION

A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, drawings, written specifications, manufacturer's installation manual and all applicable building codes.

3.3 CONNECTIONS

A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Division 23 Sections. Drawings indicate the general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties. Install piping to allow service and maintenance.

- B. Duct installation requirements are specified in other Division 23 Sections. Drawings indicate the general arrangement of ducts.
- C. Electrical: Conform to applicable requirements in Division 26 Sections.

3.4 SYSTEM START-UP

A. System start up is performed by a factory trained Service Technician

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