

APPENDIX C

FORM OF CONTRACT – FIXED GUARANTEED MAXIMUM PRICE

SAMPLE

FORM OF CONSTRUCTION MANAGER AT RISK CONTRACT FIXED GUARANTEED MAXIMUM PRICE

State Construction File Number:

THIS AGREEMENT, made this _____ day of _____ in the year of _____

for Science Technology Engineering Math (STEM) Building by and between *To Be Determined*, hereinafter called the Construction Manager at Risk, and the State of North Carolina, through Western Carolina University, hereinafter called the Owner.

WITNESSETH:

Whereas the Owner has published a Request for Proposals seeking the submission of competitive proposals to act as a Construction Manager at Risk to furnish professional construction management services during the design and construction of the Project identified and described in that Request for Proposals; and,

Whereas, the undersigned Construction Manager at Risk submitted a competitive proposal that was evaluated by the Owner; and,

Whereas, the Owner, through its awarding authority, has made an award of the work to the undersigned Construction Manager at Risk, and pursuant to the terms of the Request for Proposals this form is to be executed to form and memorialize the contractual relationship between the parties;

Now therefore, the Construction Manager at Risk and the Owner agree as follows:

1. This form of contract hereby shall be incorporated and accompanied by; Owner's letter for recommendation of award dated _____, Owner's Request for Proposal dated _____, Construction Manager at Risk's response to proposal dated _____, Construction Manager at Risk's HUB plan approved by Owner dated _____, Designer's drawing and specification lists dated _____, Construction Manager at Risk's payment and performance bonds dated _____, Power of Attorney, Construction Manager at Risk's Insurance Certificate dated _____, Statement of GMP including schedule of values for cost of the work and General Conditions dated _____, and incorporated herein by reference the contract for Pre-Construction Services dated _____.
2. For the sums set forth in the Construction Manager at Risk's fee proposal (or any subsequently amended fee agreement), the Construction Manager at Risk undertakes to act as the Owner's fiduciary (N.C.G.S.143-128.1) and to furnish professional construction management services during the construction of the Project.

3. The providing of the Construction Manager at Risk services shall be in compliance with the requirements of the Request for Proposal (including all its appendices and attachments) and the Construction Manager at Risk's proposal (Hereinafter, together: the Contract Documents). To the extent that any term, requirement, or specification in the Construction Manager at Risk's proposal shall be in conflict with the Request for Proposal, the terms, requirements, and specifications of the Request for Proposal shall control and the conflicting contents of the Construction Manager at Risk's proposal shall be deemed surplusage except where provided otherwise.

4. That the Construction Manager at Risk shall commence provision of construction phase services under this agreement on a date to be specified in a written order of the Owner and shall fully complete all services hereunder and accomplish the final completion of the project within _____ consecutive calendar days from the date of Notice to Proceed. The Construction Manager at Risk shall furnish to the Owner various schedules as provided in the Contract Documents setting forth planned progress of the project broken down by the various divisions or part of the work and by calendar days. If the Construction Manager at Risk fails to begin the work under the contract within the time specified, or the progress of the work is not maintained on schedule, or the work is not completed within the time above specified, or shall allow the work to be performed unsuitably or shall discontinue the prosecution of the work, or if the Construction Manager at Risk shall become insolvent or be declared bankrupt or commit any act of bankruptcy or insolvency, or allow any final judgment to stand against him unsatisfied for a period of forty-eight (48) hours, or shall make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or for any other cause whatsoever shall not carry on the work in an acceptable manner, the Owner may give notice in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the Construction Manager at Risk and his surety of such delay, neglect or default, specifying the same, and if the Construction Manager at Risk within a period of fifteen (15) days after such notice shall not proceed in accordance therewith, then the Owner shall, declare this contract in default, and, thereupon, the surety shall promptly take over the work and complete the performance of this contract in the manner and within the time frame specified. In the event the surety shall fail to take over the work to be done under this contract within fifteen (15) days after being so notified and notify the Owner in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, that he is taking the same over and stating that he will diligently pursue and complete the same, the Owner shall have full power and authority, without violating the contract, to take the prosecution of the work out of the hands of said Construction Manager at Risk, to appropriate or use any or all contract materials and equipment on the grounds as may be suitable and acceptable and may enter into an agreement, either by public letting or negotiation, for the completion of said contract according to the terms and provisions thereof or use such other methods as in his opinion shall be required for the completion of said contract in an acceptable manner. All costs and charges incurred by the Owner, together with the costs of completing the work under contract, shall be deducted from any monies due or which may become due said Construction Manager at Risk and surety. In case the expense so incurred by the Owner shall be less than the sum which would have been payable under the contract, if it had been completed by said Construction Manager at Risk, then the said Construction Manager at Risk and surety shall be entitled to receive the difference, but in case such expense shall exceed the sum which would have been payable under the contract, then the Construction Manager at Risk and the surety shall be liable and shall pay to the Owner the amount of said excess.

5. It is further mutually agreed between the parties hereto that if at any time after the execution of this agreement and the surety bonds hereto attached for its faithful performance, the Owner shall deem the surety or sureties upon such bonds to be unsatisfactory, or if, for any reason, such bonds cease to be adequate to cover the performance of the work, the Construction Manager at Risk shall, at its expense, within five (5) days after the receipt of notice from the Owner so to do, furnish an additional bond or bonds in such form and amount, and with such surety or sureties as shall be satisfactory to the Owner. In such event no further payment to the Construction Manager at Risk shall be deemed to be due under this agreement until such new or additional security for the faithful performance of the work shall be furnished in manner and form satisfactory to the Owner.

6. Fixed Guaranteed Maximum Price

Cost of the Work	\$
Construction Management Fee	\$
Construction Manager's Bonds and Insurance	\$
Construction Manager's Construction Contingency	\$ _____
Total Fixed Guaranteed Maximum Price	\$

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and date first above written in four (4) counterparts, each of which shall without proof or accounting for other counterparts, be deemed an original contract.

Witness: (Proprietorship or Partnership)

Construction Manager at Risk:

(Trade or Corporate Name)

By: _____

Attest: (Corporation)

Title: _____
(Owner, Partner, or Corp. Pres. or Vice Pres. only)

By: _____

Title: _____
(Corporate Sec. or Asst. Sec. only)

(CORPORATE SEAL)

Witness:

The State of North Carolina through

(Agency, Department or Institution)

By: _____

Title: _____