

## SURETY PERFORMANCE BOND

## KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, D.R. Horton, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "Owner" and, Hartford Fire Insurance Company, hereinafter referred to as "Surety", are held and firmly bound unto the BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, hereinafter referred to as "County", in the sum of \$561,953.99, for the payment of which we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents:

WHEREAS, Owner has entered into a contract with the County dated the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, which contract is made a part hereof by reference.

NOW THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is such that if Owner shall promptly and faithfully perform said contract and complete the work contemplated therein by December 16th, 2027, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

If the Owner shall be declared in default of said contract by the County, the Surety shall have sixty (60) days from the date of said default within which to take whatever action it deems necessary in order to insure performance. If, at the expiration of sixty (60) days from the date of said default, no arrangements have been made by the Owner or surety satisfactory to the County for the completion of said contract, then the County shall have the right to complete said contract and the Owner and Surety jointly and severally, shall pay all costs of completing said contract to the County, including but not limited to engineering, legal and other costs, together with any damages, either direct or consequential, which the County may sustain on account of the Owner's default of said contract. After the expiration of the aforesaid grace period, the County shall have the additional right to contract for the completion of said contract upon which the Owner has defaulted and upon the County's acceptance of the lowest responsible bid for the completion of said contract, the Owner and Surety shall become immediately liable for the amount of said bid and in the event the County is required to commence legal proceedings for the collection thereof, interest shall accrue at the rate of six percent (6%) per annum beginning with the commencement of such legal proceedings. The County, in its discretion, may permit the Surety to complete said contract, in the event of Owner's default.

In the event that the County commences suit for the collection of any sums due hereunder, the obligors and each of them agree to pay all costs incurred by the County, including attorney's fees.

EXECUTED this 21st day of November, 2025.

OWNER: D.R. Horton, Inc.

SURETY: Hartford Fire Insurance Company

Noah William Pierce, Attorney



# POWER OF ATTORNEY

Direct Inquiries/Claims to:  
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Hartford, Connecticut 06155  
[Bond.Claims@thehartford.com](mailto:Bond.Claims@thehartford.com)  
call: 888-266-3488 or fax: 860-757-5835

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Agency Name: WILLIS TOWERS WATSON SOUTHEAST INC  
Agency Code: 22-270298

- ☒ **Hartford Fire Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut  
☒ **Hartford Casualty Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana  
☒ **Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut  
☐ **Hartford Underwriters Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut  
☐ **Twin City Fire Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana  
☐ **Hartford Insurance Company of Illinois**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Illinois  
☐ **Hartford Insurance Company of the Midwest**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana  
☐ **Hartford Insurance Company of the Southeast**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Florida

having their home office in Hartford, Connecticut, (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, up to the amount of Unlimited :

Jeannette Porrini of Mount Laurel NJ, Noah William Pierce of Tampa FL, Walter Caldwell, Jennifer B. Gullett, John F. Thomas, Catherine Thompson, Amy R. Waugh of CHARLOTTE, North Carolina

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign its name as surety(ies) only as delineated above by ☒ and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

In Witness Whereof, and as authorized by a Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies on May 23, 2016 the Companies have caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice President and its corporate seals to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary. Further, pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies, the Companies hereby unambiguously affirm that they are and will be bound by any mechanically applied signatures applied to this Power of Attorney.



*Shelby Wiggins*

Shelby Wiggins, Assistant Secretary

*Joelle L. LaPierre*

Joelle L. LaPierre, Assistant Vice President

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SEMINOLE

ss. Lake Mary

On this 13th day of February, 2020, before me personally came Joelle LaPierre, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that (s)he resides in Seminole County, State of Florida; that (s)he is the Assistant Vice President of the Companies, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that (s)he knows the seals of the said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that (s)he signed his/her name thereto by like authority.



*Jessica Ciccone*

Jessica Noelle Ciccone  
My Commission #FF029702  
Expires June 20, 2021

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is still in full force effective as of 11/21/25

Signed and sealed in Lake Mary, Florida.



*Keith D. Dozois*

Keith D. Dozois, Assistant Vice President