

TO: Loudoun Water

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RE: General Bonding Requirements for Developer Agreements

The following is the list of requirements and provisions that must be included in a bond in order for it to be acceptable for use by the Authority:

- 1. The Developer must post a performance and payment bond ("Bond") for the facilities that the Developer is installing pursuant to the Developer Agreement between the Developer and the Loudoun County Sanitation Authority.
 - a. The Bond may be reduced to 20% of the original sum upon Authority's issuance of a written determination (following Developer's written request) that the facilities are sufficiently complete to be placed into service.
 - b. The Bond may further be reduced to 5% of the original sum to cover the one (1) year maintenance warranty pursuant to the Developer Agreement but only after the Authority issues a written determination that the facilities have been deed to and accepted by the Authority.
- 2. The Bond must give Authority right to draw upon Developer's breach of performance, payment or maintenance obligations under the Developer Agreement.
- 3. The Bond must be issued by a surety with an AM Best rating of A VII or higher.
- 4. The Bond must list the Loudoun County Sanitation Authority as the Obligee.
- 5. The Bond must include the LSCA Project Identification Number.
- 6. The Bond must reference the developer agreement and the date it was signed.
- The individual signing the bond must provide evidence of the authority to do so on behalf of the Surety.
- 8. The Bond must be properly signed and notarized.
- The Surety must provide a printout from the State Corporation Commission website that it is licensed to do business in Virginia.
- 10. The Surety must provide a copy of its current credit rating from a national rating company.

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