

EPA REGION-10 CONTRACT FOR INTERIOR REMODELING

WOOD AND PLASTIC — PROCUREMENT LANGUAGE

PRODUCT-SPECIFIC LANGUAGE

DIVISION 6 - WOOD AND PLASTICS

CASEWORK

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GENERAL

ANY CASEWORK INSTALLED ON THE SITE MUST BE CONSTRUCTED FROM NON-TOXIC, FORMALDEHYDE-FREE, LOW VOC MATERIALS. WHERE ECONOMICALLY FEASIBLE, PREVIOUSLY USED MATERIALS IN GOOD AND USABLE CONDITION SHOULD BE USED FIRST, FOLLOWED BY PRODUCTS WITH A HIGH PERCENTAGE OF RECYCLED CONTENT.

ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

ALL SUBSTRATE MATERIALS TO BE MANUFACTURED WITHOUT THE USE OF UREA FORMALDEHYDE ADDITIVES OR PERMANENTLY SEALED TO PREVENT OUT-GASSING. ADDITIONALLY, NON-TOXIC GLUES AND LOW VOC PRODUCTS SHOULD BE USED IN THE FABRICATION OF ANY WOODWORK.

1. MEDEX/MEDITE, OR EQUIVALENT PRODUCT.
2. COMPLY SHEATHING WITH 100% WOOD FIBER PRODUCT

VENEER SHOULD BE FROM RED OAK SPECIES HARVESTED AND PROCURED IN THE UNITED STATES OR CANADA FROM CERTIFIED LUMBER PROVIDERS, CERTIFIED AS PRACTICING SUSTAINABLE FOREST MANAGEMENT AS RECOGNIZED BY INDEPENDENT FOREST MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION AGENCY. CONTACT JEFF WARTELLE, CERTIFIED FOREST PRODUCTS COUNCIL FOR SOURCES AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

3. ACCEPTABLE CERTIFIERS SHALL BE THE SMART WOOD PROGRAM (212-677-1900) OR THE FOREST CONSERVATION PROGRAM (510-832-1415) OR FOREST STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL ACCREDITED EQUIVALENT.
4. THE CONTRACTOR MUST SUBMIT TO THE TENANT CHAIN OF CUSTODY DOCUMENTATION (I.E. INVOICES AND CERTIFICATES) FOR LUMBER PURCHASED FOR THIS PROJECT, PROVING THAT EACH SOURCE OF LUMBER IS CERTIFIED. SUCH DOCUMENTATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE DESIGNER FOR APPROVAL PRIOR TO FABRICATION.

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

5. PARTICLE BOARD AND PLYWOOD MATERIALS ARE TO BE MANUFACTURED WITH NO FORMALDEHYDE-BASED GLUES OR RESINS.
2. VENEER TO BE SUPPLIED FROM CERTIFIED LUMBER PROVIDERS.

SUBSTITUTIONS

THE PRODUCTS LISTED ABOVE ARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE TENANT. ANY OTHER PRODUCTS MUST RECEIVE APPROVAL BY THE TENANT'S REPRESENTATIVE PRIOR TO FURNISHING AND INSTALLATION. SUBSTITUTIONS REQUESTS SHALL BE MADE ACCORDING TO SECTION 01630.

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WOOD AND PLASTIC DOORS

BUILDING STANDARD DOOR FRAME SPECIFICATIONS

PLAIN SLICED SOLID PREMIUM GRADE RED OAK, READY FOR FINISH.

NOMINAL FRAME DIMENSIONS 1-1/2" X 4-3/4".

FRAME AND DOOR FINISHES TO MATCH.

FRAME SIZE SHALL RECEIVE 1-3/4" THICKNESS, HEIGHT AND WIDTH PER SCHEDULE, SOLID CORE, OR RELITE GLAZING AS REQUIRED.

DOOR SPECIFICATIONS

SEE SHEET A2 FOR DOOR SCHEDULE.

DOOR GROUP A:

REUSE EXISTING BUILDING STANDARD. TOUCH UP AS REQUIRED. REQUEST LIST OF ACCEPTABLE CLEANING PRODUCTS FROM TENANT.

DOOR GROUP B:

NEW FULL HEIGHT DOOR WITH ARCHITECTURAL GLASS. PLAIN SLICED PREMIUM GRADE RED OAK VENEER READY FOR FINISH. PREMACHINED FOR CYLINDRICAL BORE. MATCH EXISTING DOOR STAIN COLOR.

DOOR GROUP C

NEW SLIDING DOOR PROVIDED BY SMED MANUFACTURING AND INSTALLED BY CONTRACTOR.

DOOR GROUP D:

NEW BUILDING STANDARD BI-FOLD CLOSET DOOR, 30" WIDE. . PLAIN SLICED PREMIUM GRADE RED OAK VENEER READY FOR FINISH. MATCH EXISTING DOOR STAIN COLOR.

DOOR GROUP E

REUSE EXISTING STANDARD BI-FOLD CLOSET DOOR, 72 " WIDE. TOUCH UP AS REQUIRED. REQUEST LIST OF ACCEPTABLE CLEANING PRODUCTS FROM TENANT.

EXECUTION

REUSE ANY DOORS OR RELITES WHICH FIT THE OVERALL PROJECT DESIGN. ANY DOORS OR RELITES NOT USED ARE TO BE STORED AT A LOCATION DESIGNATED BY THE TENANT.

DOOR AND FRAME FINISHES

ACCEPTABLE PRODUCTS

A. SEMI-TRANSPARENT FINISHES

1. OSTERMANN & SCHEIWE (OS) COLOR WOOD WAX FINISH, US SUPPLIER: ENVIRONMENTAL HOME CENTER, 1724 FOURTH AVENUE SOUTH, SEATTLE WA, 206/682-7332.
2. LIVOS KALDET OIL AND RESIN FINISH

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

1. CONTAINS PLANT-SOURCED OILS AND SOLIDS UTILIZING ONLY NATURAL AND/OR ALIPHATIC

SOLVENTS.

B. TRANSPARENT FINISHES

1. **SAFECOAT POLYURESEAL BP BY AMERICAN FORMULATING AND MANUFACTURING, 350 WEST ASH STREET, SUITE 700, SAN DIEGO, CA 92101, (619)239-0321.**

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

1. **SATIN WATER-BORNE POLYURETHANE CONTAINING NO FORMALDEHYDE.**
2. **TOTAL VOC BELOW 200G/L.**

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FASTENERS AND ADHESIVES

GENERAL

ALL ADHESIVES EMPLOYED ON THE PROJECT INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ADHESIVES FOR CARPET, CARPET TILE, PLASTIC LAMINATE, WOOD ADHESIVE, OR SEALANTS ARE TO BE THOSE WITH THE LOWEST POSSIBLE VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUND "VOC" CONTENT AND WHICH MEET REQUIREMENTS OF THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PRODUCTS INVOLVED OR ADHERED.

CERAMIC TILE SHALL BE SET WITH THIN-SET METHOD.

ACCEPTABLE PRODUCTS

1. **MILLIKEN PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE FOR MODULAR CARPET TILES.**
2. **SAFECOAT 3 IN 1 ADHESIVE, A LOW-ODOR, NON-TOXIC, WATER-BASED ADHESIVE DESIGNED FOR HARD COMPOSITION WALL AND FLOOR TILES. RECOMMENDED FOR ADHERING HARD COMPOSITION FLOOR AND WALL TILES AND CARPET.**
3. **ENVIROTECH ADHESIVE #2045, AN ACRYLIC CLEAR-SET, PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE USED TO ADHERE PADDING TO SUBSTRATE.**
4. **ENVIROTECH ADHESIVE #2055, USED TO ADHERE CARPET TO PADDING. IT IS A HIGH-SOLIDS, HIGH TACK, FAST DRYING ADHESIVE FORMULATED FOR BOND 'N PEEL INSTALLATION OF A WIDE VARIETY OF CARPETS.**
5. **ENVIROTECH ADHESIVE #2058 IS A LATEX-BASED ECONOMY GRADE FLOOR COVERING ADHESIVE DEVELOPED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF MANY TYPES OF CARPETS AND SHEET GOODS DESTINED FOR DIRECT GLUE DOWN, EXCLUDING THOSE WITH VINYL BACKINGS. ENVIROTECH IS A LOW VOC ADHESIVE.**

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

1. **TOTAL VOC BELOW 50G/L.**
2. **CONTAINS NO FORMALDEHYDE.**

SUBSTITUTIONS

THE PRODUCTS LISTED ABOVE ARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE TENANT. ANY OTHER PRODUCTS MUST RECEIVE PRIOR APPROVAL BY THE TENANT'S REPRESENTATIVE. SUBSTITUTIONS REQUESTS SHALL BE MADE ACCORDING TO SECTION 01630.

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PAINTING AND STAINING

INSTALLATION

10 PRIME ALL PAINTED WOOD SURFACES AND, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, PAINT WITH A MINIMUM OF TWO FINISH COATS, COLOR TO BE SELECTED BY TENANT.

11. FINISH FOR EXISTING PRE-FINISHED DOORS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY CONDUCTING A TEST PATCH AREA ON A DOOR TO BE DISCARDED. LOW TOXIC FINISH WHICH IS COMPATIBLE SHALL BE DETERMINED.

12. UPON COMPLETION OF WORK, REMOVE EXCESS PAINT, STAIN, VARNISH, ADHESIVE, CAULK, ETC. FROM ALL OTHER SURFACES THAT WERE NOT SPECIFIED TO RECEIVE SAME.

ACCEPTABLE PAINT PRODUCTS

1. SAFECOAT FLAT ZERO VOC BY AMERICAN FORMULATING AND MANUFACTURING, 350 WEST ASH STREET, SUITE 700, SAN DIEGO, CA 92101, (619)239-0321.
2. ICI LIFEMASTER 2000, CLEVELAND OHIO 44115, 800/984-5444

DOCUMENT 00200 - WASTE MANAGEMENT/POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN

TARGET BUILDING MATERIALS

THE HANDLING OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED IN THE PLAN.

METALS

1. STEEL STUDS
2. WIRING AND ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT
3. HARDWARE
4. DUCT WORK AND HVAC EQUIPMENT

MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

5. INSULATION
6. WOOD
7. CARDBOARD
4. PACKAGING

DIVISION 2 - DEMOLITION

GENERAL

WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN MUST BE APPROVED PRIOR TO BEGINNING DEMOLITION.

EXECUTION

3. SEPARATE CARPET, WOOD WASTE, DRYWALL, EXCESS METALS AND OTHER MATERIALS AS APPROPRIATE FOR RECYCLING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND PLACE IN DESIGNATED AREAS AND/OR CONTAINERS FOR RECYCLING.
4. CAREFULLY REMOVE AND SALVAGE OR STORE AND REUSE PLUMBING, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL FIXTURES AND ALL DOORS AND RELITES PER THE CONTRACT DRAWINGS AND

SPECIFICATIONS

OTHER APPLICABLE CONTRACT LANGUAGE

DIVISION 1 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

SUMMARY OF THE WORK

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WORK COVERED BY THE CONTRACT INCLUDES DEMOLITION OF EXISTING PARTITIONS, CARPETING, AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS; INSTALLATION OF NEW CARPETING, PARTITIONS, WALLBOARD, DOORS AND MILLWORK, FINISHES, PLUMBING FIXTURES, LIGHTING FIXTURES AND CONTROLS AND WIRING FOR THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (TENANT) PARK PLACE BUILDING, 1200 SIXTH AVE., SEATTLE

SPECIAL CONDITIONS ARISE FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL FOCUS OF THE PROJECT. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS PROJECT, "ENVIRONMENTALLY SUSTAINABLE" MEANS REDUCING, REUSING AND RECYCLING CONSTRUCTION, DEMOLITION AND WORKER WASTE, AND THE SELECTION AND INSTALLATION OF ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERABLE BUILDING PRODUCTS AND MATERIALS.

ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERABLE PRODUCTS AND MATERIALS ARE THOSE WHICH MINIMIZE THE CONTENT OF TOXIC OR HARMFUL SUBSTANCES; RELEASE MINIMAL AMOUNTS OF VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS (VOCS) OR CFCs INTO THE ENVIRONMENT; CONTAIN SIGNIFICANT AMOUNTS OF POST-CONSUMER RECYCLED MATERIALS; ARE RECYCLABLE; ARE PRODUCED TRANSPORTED AND INSTALLED IN AN ENERGY EFFICIENT MANNER; AND DO NOT IMPACT RARE OR ENDANGERED NATURAL RESOURCES.

SPECIAL PROJECT PROCEDURES

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PRODUCT CURING

ALL DRY FURNISHINGS AND MATERIALS (SUCH AS CARPET, FLOOR TILE, ACOUSTICAL TILE, TEXTILES, WOOD SHELVING, AND FURNISHINGS, ETC.) SHALL BE ALLOWED TO VENT OR CURE FOR 48 HOURS PRIOR TO BEING BROUGHT ON SITE.

VENTING SHALL BE CONDUCTED BY REMOVING ALL PACKAGING MATERIALS, ALLOWING FUMES AND ODORS TO VENT TO THE ATMOSPHERE FOR 48 HOURS, WHILE PROTECTING THE MATERIALS FROM DAMAGE OR DEGRADATION PRIOR TO INSTALLATION. WORK SEQUENCING

THE WORK SHALL BE ARRANGED TO AVOID CONTAMINATION OF BUILDING MATERIALS AND SYSTEMS BY CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS AND DUST. "DRY" FURNISHINGS AND MATERIALS SHALL NOT BE INSTALLED UNTIL "WET" MATERIALS HAVE BEEN APPLIED AND ALLOWED TO DRY TO THE EXTENT FEASIBLE AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH OTHER GOOD BUILDING PRACTICES. THE CONTRACTOR IS TO COMPLY WITH ANY RECOMMENDED MEASURES IN THE MSDS TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PERSONNEL.

SPACE FLUSH-OUT

A FLUSH OUT PERIOD OF 7 DAYS AT AMBIENT TEMPERATURES WITH 100% OUTSIDE AIR VENTILATION PRIOR TO OCCUPANCY, AS APPROVED BY THE TENANT. ALL TOXIN EMITTING MATERIALS, EXCEPT FURNISHINGS, SHALL BE IN PLACE, UNPACKED, PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF THE FLUSH-OUT PERIOD.

01500 CONSTRUCTION FACILITIES AND TEMPORARY CONTROLS

HVAC

THE RETURN SIDE OF THE VAV SYSTEM SHALL BE TURNED OFF DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PERIOD, AND TEMPORARY FAN POWERED EXHAUST SHALL BE PROVIDED. OUTSIDE AIR SETTINGS FOR THE AIR HANDLER SHALL BE 100% OUTSIDE AIR.

EXHAUST AIR SHALL BE EXTRACTED FROM THE SPACE BY REMOVING 2 SPANDREL PANELS AT EACH CORNER OF THE CONSTRUCTION AREA, AND CONSTRUCTION OF AN AIR PLENUM THAT VENTS TO THE OUTSIDE. CONTAMINATION OF OTHER SPACES ON THE FLOOR SHALL BE PREVENTED WITH A PLASTIC MEMBRANE, SEALING DOORS AND OTHER OPENINGS WITH DUCT TAPE AT HEAD, JAMB, AND SILL.

CONTRACTOR TO INSTALL TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION FILTERS IN AIR HANDLER DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PERIOD. FILTERS ARE TO BE REPLACED AFTER COMPLETION OF THE FLUSH OUT PERIOD.

USE WINDOW EXHAUST SYSTEMS TO ESTABLISH NEGATIVE PRESSURE IN CONTAMINANT-PRODUCING WORK AREA, ENSURING CONTINUOUS FLOW OF AIR INTO WORK AREA. SEAL EXHAUST SYSTEM DUCTWORK THAT MIGHT LEAK INTO BUILDING OR MECHANICAL SYSTEMS.

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

PROVIDE TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION FILTERS
EXHAUST AIR TO BE EXTRACTED AT A RATE SUFFICIENT TO PRODUCE CONTINUOUS NEGATIVE PRESSURE IN THE WORK AREA.

01505 WASTE MANAGEMENT

GENERAL

THE TENANT HAS ESTABLISHED THAT THIS PROJECT SHALL GENERATE THE LEAST AMOUNT OF WASTE POSSIBLE AND THAT PROCESSES SHALL BE EMPLOYED THAT ENSURE THE GENERATION OF AS LITTLE WASTE AS POSSIBLE DUE TO ERROR, POOR PLANNING, BREAKAGE, MISHANDLING, CONTAMINATION OR OTHER FACTORS.

WASTE DISPOSAL IN LANDFILLS SHALL BE MINIMIZED, AND AS MANY OF THE WASTE MATERIALS AS ECONOMICALLY FEASIBLE SHALL BE REUSED, SALVAGED OR RECYCLED.

DOCUMENT 00200 - WASTE MANAGEMENT/POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN

GENERAL

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DEVELOP WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN BASED ON THE GOALS DISCUSSED BELOW, AND SUBMIT THE PLAN FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY THE OWNER AND TENANT AFTER AWARD OF CONTRACT AND BEFORE BEGINNING DEMOLITION. ONCE APPROVED, THE PLAN WILL

BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

WASTE MANAGEMENT GOALS

THIS PROJECT REQUIRES A PRO-ACTIVE EFFORT TO REDUCE AND RECYCLE DEMOLITION AND CONSTRUCTION WASTE. A DILIGENT EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO ACHIEVE THE GOALS DESCRIBED BELOW WHEREVER APPLICABLE IN ORDER TO REDUCE WASTE AND OVERALL DISPOSAL COSTS AND LIMIT THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF THE PROJECT.

WASTE PREVENTION

TO THE GREATEST EXTENT PRACTICAL, THIS PROJECT SHALL GENERATE THE LEAST AMOUNT OF WASTE POSSIBLE, USING PROCESSES THAT ENSURE THE GENERATION OF AS LITTLE WASTE AS POSSIBLE DUE TO ERROR, POOR PLANNING, BREAKAGE, MISHANDLING, CONTAMINATION OR OTHER FACTORS. THE CONTRACTOR IS ENCOURAGED TO SEEK ADDITIONAL METHODS TO PREVENT WASTE IN THE FIRST PLACE. FOR EXAMPLE, CHOOSING SUPPLIERS THAT LIMIT PACKAGING, SETTING UP CENTRALIZED CUTTING AREAS TO REDUCE WOOD AND DRYWALL WASTE, AND ACCURATE ORDERING OF SUPPLIES TO AVOID OVERAGE.

REUSE AND RECYCLING

DEMOLITION AND CONSTRUCTION WASTE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES SHOULD ACHIEVE A MINIMUM 50% DIVERSION RATE. THE PREFERRED METHOD OF RECYCLING IS ON-SITE SEPARATION OF RECYCLABLE MATERIALS WHICH GENERALLY RESULTS IN LESS CONTAMINATION AND HIGHER RECYCLING RATES THAN COMMINGLED COLLECTION.

MATERIALS REMOVED FROM THE EXISTING STRUCTURES SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BASED ON THE FOLLOWING HIERARCHY, FROM THE MOST TO THE LEAST DESIRABLE.

SALVAGED AND REUSED ON SITE.

1. SALVAGED AND DONATED OR SOLD FOR REUSE OFF SITE.
2. SOURCE SEPARATED ON SITE AND RECYCLED.
3. CO-MINGLED AND SORTED FOR RECYCLING BY A RECYCLING HAULER OR FACILITY.
4. ALL NON-USABLE OR NON-RECYCLABLE MATERIALS ARE TO BE DISPOSED OF AS WASTE IN THE MOST ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE MANNER AS PRACTICABLE.

CLOSE-OUT

AT JOB CLOSE-OUT, THE CONTRACTOR AND ITS SUBCONTRACTORS SHALL BE REQUIRED TO QUANTIFY AND SUBMIT IN WRITING THE ULTIMATE DISPOSITION OF ALL DEMOLITION AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS. THE SUBMITTALS SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

27. DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL, TYPE AND QUANTITY.
28. DISPOSAL METHOD.
29. COST OR BENEFIT.
30. TOTAL DIVERSION PERCENTAGE.
31. DESCRIPTION OF MATERIALS NOT REUSED OR RECYCLED AND A BRIEF EXPLANATION AS TO WHY IT WAS NOT FEASIBLE TO REUSE OR RECYCLE.

