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April 21, 2017

**Skanska USA Building, Inc.**  
221 Yale Avenue North, Suite 400  
Seattle, WA 98109

**Re: Firstline Systems, Inc.**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

It has been the privilege of Parker, Smith & Feek, Inc. and The Hanover Insurance Company to provide surety bonds on behalf of Firstline Systems, Inc. for over 16 years, during which time Firstline Systems, Inc. has performed and we have issued performance and payment bonds for contracts valued in the range of \$4,000,000. In our opinion, Firstline Systems, Inc. remains properly financed, well equipped, and capably managed.

At the present time, The Hanover Insurance Company provides a \$12,000,000 single project / \$20,000,000 aggregate surety program to Firstline Systems, Inc. As always, The Hanover Insurance Company reserves the right to perform normal underwriting at the time of any bond request, including, without limitation, prior review and approval of relevant contract documents, bond forms, and project financing. We assume no liability to Skanska USA Building, Inc. or its affiliates if for any reason we do not execute such bonds.

The Hanover Insurance Company is listed on the U.S. Treasury Department's Listing of Approved Sureties (Department Circular 570), and is rated A (Excellent) XV (\$2 Billion or more) by A.M. Best Company.

Very truly yours,  
The Hanover Insurance Company

By: 

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Scott McGilvray, Attorney-in-Fact

**THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY  
CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

THIS Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY and MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY, both being corporations organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, and CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, (hereinafter individually and collectively the "Company") does hereby constitute and appoint,

**Jill A. Boyle, Deanna M. French, Scott Fisher, Elizabeth R. Hahn, Susan B. Larson, Jana M. Roy, Scott McGilvray, Mindee L. Rankin, Ronald J. Lange, John R. Claey's, Roger Kaltenbach and/or Guy P. Armfield**

Of **Parker Smith & Feek Inc., Bellevue, WA**, each individually, if there be more than one named, as its true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact to sign, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver for, and on its behalf, and as its act and deed any place within the United States, any and all bonds, recognizances, undertakings, or other surety obligations. The execution of such surety bonds, recognizances, undertakings or surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Company, in their own proper persons. Provided however, that this power of attorney limits the acts of those named herein; and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner stated and to the extent of any limitation stated below:

**Any surety bond, recognizance or obligation in the United States, not to exceed Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000.00) in any single instance.**

That this power is made and executed pursuant to the authority of the following Resolutions passed by the Board of Directors of said Company, and said Resolutions remain in full force and effect:

RESOLVED: That the President or any Vice President, in conjunction with any Vice President, be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to appoint Attorneys-in-fact of the Company, in its name and as it acts, to execute and acknowledge for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, waivers of citation and all other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, with power to attach thereto the seal of the Company. Any such writings so executed by such Attorneys-in-fact shall be binding upon the Company as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company in their own proper persons.

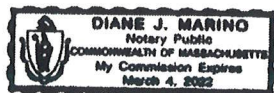
RESOLVED: That any and all Powers of Attorney and Certified Copies of such Powers of Attorney and certification in respect thereto, granted and executed by the President or Vice President in conjunction with any Vice President of the Company, shall be binding on the Company to the same extent as if all signatures therein were manually affixed, even though one or more of any such signatures thereon may be facsimile. (Adopted October 7, 1981 – The Hanover Insurance Company; Adopted April 14, 1982 – Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company; Adopted September 7, 2001 – Citizens Insurance Company of America)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY, MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY and CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA have caused these presents to be sealed with their respective corporate seals, duly attested by two Vice Presidents, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of **September, 2015**.



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS )  
COUNTY OF WORCESTER ) ss.

On this 29<sup>th</sup> day of **September, 2015** before me came the above named Vice Presidents of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, to me personally known to be the individuals and officers described herein, and acknowledged that the seals affixed to the preceding instrument are the corporate seals of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, respectively, and that the said corporate seals and their signatures as officers were duly affixed and subscribed to said instrument by the authority and direction of said Corporations.



THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY  
CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

*Robert Thomas*  
Robert Thomas, Vice President

THE HANOVER INSURANCE COMPANY  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY INSURANCE COMPANY  
CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

*J. Michael Pete*  
J. Michael Pete, Vice President

*Diane J. Marino*  
Diane J. Marino, Notary Public  
My Commission Expires March 4, 2022

I, the undersigned Vice President of The Hanover Insurance Company, Massachusetts Bay Insurance Company and Citizens Insurance Company of America, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Original Power of Attorney issued by said Companies, and do hereby further certify that the said Powers of Attorney are still in force and effect.

GIVEN under my hand and the seals of said Companies, at Worcester, Massachusetts, this 21 day of April 2017.

**CERTIFIED COPY**

*Theodore G. Martinez*  
Theodore G. Martinez, Vice President