

improvement bonds in the aggregate amount of \$12,000, dated March 31, 1939, and bearing interest at the rate of $3\frac{3}{4}\%$ per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which the above bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute valid and legal obligations of said school district.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

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CONTRACT AND BOND—STATE WITH TRAPP-CARROLL COMPANY, GENERAL CONTRACT, FOR FACULTY ASSEMBLY UNIT, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1939.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval, the contract by and between Trapp-Carroll Company, of Columbus, Ohio, and The State of Ohio acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, for the construction and completion of General Contract (Division 1, Items I to XIV, inclusive) together with Alternates 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10, for the Faculty Assembly Unit on the campus of the Ohio State University, as set forth in the General Conditions and the specifications for same, including Addendum No. 1, dated April 11, 1939, and Addendum No. 2, dated April 17, 1939, and as covered by form of proposal dated April 20, 1939. This contract calls for an expenditure of \$120,875.00.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Form of Proposal dated April 20, 1939, containing the contract bond form signed by United States Guarantee Company of New York, its power of attorney for the signer, and its certificate of compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; Division of Contract; Estimate of cost; Notice to bidders; Proof of publication; Tabulation of bids; Workmen's Compensation Certificate, showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; Certificate of availability of funds for this project; Certified copy of the Record of Proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, and which proceedings contain therein (a) copy of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works in regard to this project, and (b) recommendation of the University Architect.

You have also submitted in this connection a letter from the Auditor of State showing that all necessary papers and documents are on file in his office.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have noted my approval thereon, and same is returned to you herewith together with all papers submitted for my examination.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

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CONTRACT AND BOND—STATE WITH EASTERN PLUMBING COMPANY, HEATING AND VENTILATING, FOR FACULTY ASSEMBLY UNIT, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1939.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval, the contract by and between the Eastern Plumbing Company, a partnership composed of Harry T. Jones and Thomas Aitken, and the State of Ohio, acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, for the construction and completion of Heating and Ventilating Contract (Division 2, Item XV) for the Faculty Assembly Unit on the campus of the Ohio State University, as set forth in the General Conditions and the specifications for same, including Addendum No. 1 dated April 11, 1939, and Addendum No. 2, dated April 17, 1939, and as covered by form of proposal dated April 20, 1939. The contract calls for an expenditure of \$11,570.00.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Form of Proposal dated April 20, 1939, containing the contract bond signed by the Globe Indemnity Company of New York, as surety; its power of attorney for the signer and a certificate of compliance issued by the Division of Insurance, indicating a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; tabulation of bids; estimate of cost; Division of contract; Notice to bidders; Proof of publication; Workmen's Compensation Certificate showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; Certificate of availability of funds; Record of the Proceedings of the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University in regard to all matters relating to this project and which record contains the approval of P. W. A. and the recommendation of the University