

ROAD USE AGREEMENT PERFORMANCE BOND

Bond No. 612407373

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, That we <u>Grand Prix Pipeline LLC</u>, as Principal and <u>United States Fire Insurance Company</u>, of Delaware, authorized to do business in the State of <u>Texas</u>, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto <u>Navarro County, Texas</u>, <u>300 West 3rd Avenue, Corsicana, TX 75110</u> as Obligee, in the maximum penal sum of <u>Seven Hundred Thirty Thousand and No/100</u> Dollars (\$730,000.00), lawful money of the United States of America, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves heirs, executors and assigns, jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, the Principal has entered, or is about to enter, into a written agreement with the Obligee to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of the <u>Navarro County Special Road Use Permit</u> (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), said Contract is hereby referred to and made a part hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is such that if the above named Principal, its successors and assigns, shall well and truly perform its obligations as set forth in the above mentioned Contract, then this Bond shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect pursuant to its terms. The Bond is subject to the following express conditions:

- 1. Whereas, the Obligee has agreed to accept this Bond, this Bond shall be effective for the definite period of <u>February 1, 2024</u> to <u>February 1, 2025</u>. The Bond may be extended, at the sole option of the Surety, by continuation certificate for additional periods from the expiry date hereof. However, neither: (a) the Surety's decision not to issue a continuation certificate, nor (b) the failure or inability of the Principal to file a replacement bond or other security in the event the Surety exercises its right to not renew shall itself constitute a loss to the Obligee recoverable under this Bond or any extension thereof.
- 2. This bond may be canceled at any time upon thirty (30) days advance written notice from the Surety to the Obligee.
- 3. No claim, action, suit or proceeding, except as hereinafter set forth, shall be had or maintained against the Surety on the instrument unless such claim, action, suit or proceeding is brought or instituted upon the Surety within one year from termination or expiration of the bond term.
- 4. Regardless of the number of years this Bond is in force or the number of continuation certificates issued, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative in amounts from period to period and shall in no event exceed the amount set forth above, or as amended by rider.
- 5. Any notice, demand, certification or request for payment, made under this Bond shall be made in writing to the Surety at suretyclaim@amyntagroup.com and a copy of said notice shall be made in writing to the Surety at the address specified below.

Amynta Surety Solutions 855 Winding Brook Drive Glastonbury, CT 06033 Attn: <u>Surety Claim</u>

6. If any conflict or inconsistency exists between the Surety's obligations or undertakings as described in this Bond and as described in the underlying Contract, then the terms of this Bond shall prevail.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DATED this 1st day of February, 2024.

Grand Prix Pipeline LLC

Principal

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Norman L. Winter - VI-Lan

United States Fire Insurance Company

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Laura Kneitz, Attorney-in-Fact

POWER OF ATTORNEY UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY PRINCIPAL OFFICE - MORRISTOWN, NEW JERSEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That United States Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the state of Delaware, has made, constituted and appointed, and does hereby make, constitute and appoint: Tim Kelly; Robert Bobo; Florence McClellan; Teresa D. Kelly; Craig Payne; Kristin Darling; Aaron P. Clark, Rachel Richardson; Laura Kneltz; each, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-In-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred in its name, place and stead, to execute, acknowledge and

deliver: Any and all bonds and undertakings of surety and other documents that the ordinary course of surety business may require, and to bind United States Fire Insurance Company thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds or undertakings had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of United States Fire Insurance Company at its principal office, in amounts or penalties: One Hundred Twenty Five Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$125,800,000)

This Power of Attorney limits the act of those named therein to the bonds and undertakings specifically named therein, and they have no authority to bind United States Fire Insurance Company except in the manner and to the extent therein stated.

This Power of Attorney revokes all previous Powers of Attorney issued on behalf of the Attorneys-In-Fact named above.

This Power of Attorney is granted pursuant to Article IV of the By-Laws of United States Fire Insurance Company as now in full force and effect, and consistent with Article III thereof, which Articles provide, in pertinent part:

Article IV. Execution of Instruments - Except as the Board of Directors may authorize by resolution, the Chairman of the Board, President, any Vice-President, any Assistant Vice President, the Secretary, or any Assistant Secretary shall have power on behalf of the Corporation:

(a) to execute, affix the corporate seal manually or by facsimile to, acknowledge, verify and deliver any contracts, obligations, instruments and documents whatsoever in connection with its business including, without limiting the foregoing, any bonds, guarantees, undertakings, recognizances, powers of attorney or revocations of any powers of attorney, stipulations, policies of insurance, deeds, leases, mortgages, releases, satisfactions and agency

(b) to appoint, in writing, one or more persons for any or all of the purposes mentioned in the preceding paragraph (a), including affixing the seal of the Corporation.

Article III, Officers, Section 3.11, Facsimile Signatures. The signature of any officer authorized by the Corporation to sign any bonds, guarantees, undertakings, recognizances, stipulations, powers of attorney or revocations of any powers of attorney and policies of insurance issued by the Corporation may be printed, facsimile, lithographed or otherwise produced. In addition, if and as authorized by the Board of Directors, dividend warrants or checks, or other numerous instruments similar to one another in form, may be signed by the facsimile signature or signatures, lithographed or otherwise produced, of such officer or officers of the Corporation as from time to time may be authorized to sign such instruments on behalf of the Corporation. The Corporation may continue to use for the purposes herein stated the facsimile signature of any person or persons who shall have been such officer or officers of the Corporation, notwithstanding the fact that he may have ceased to be such at the time when such instruments shall be issued.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, United States Fire Insurance Company has caused these presents to be signed and attested by its appropriate officer and its corporate seal hereunto affixed this 28th day of September, 2021.

UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY



State of New Jersey County of Morris } Matthew E. Lubin, President

On this 28th day of September, 2021, before me, a Notary public of the State of New Jersey, came the above named officer of United States Fire Insurance Company, to me personally known to be the individual and officer described herein, and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing instrument and affixed the seal of United States Fire Insurance Company thereto by the authority of his office.

> MELISSA H. D'ALESSIO NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSE Commission # 50125833 My Commission Emires 4772025

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Melissa H. D'Alessio (Notary Public)

I, the undersigned officer of United States Fire Insurance Company, a Delaware corporation, do hereby certify that the original Power of Attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy is still in force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of United States Fire Insurance Company on the 1st day of February

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Michael C. Fay, Senior Vice President

*For verification of the authenticity of the Power of Attomey, please contact Pat Taber at 860-956-3424 or email: <u>SuretyInquiries@amyntagroup.com</u>



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Crum & Forster 305 Madison Avenue Morristown, NJ 07962

Web: www.cfins.com E-mail: info@cfins.com

You may contact the Texas Department of Insurance to obtain information on companies, coverages, rights or complaints at:

1-800-252-3439

You may write the Texas Department of Insurance:

PO Box 149104 Austin, TX 78714-9104 Fax: (512) 490-1007

Web: www.tdi.texas.gov

E-mail: ConsumerProtection@tdi.tx.gov

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Should you have a dispute concerning your premium or about a claim you should contact the agent first. If the dispute is not resolved, you may contact the Texas Department of Insurance.

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DISPUTAS POR PRIMAS DE SEGUROS O RECLAMACIONES:

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