

MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY™

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TEXAS OFFICIAL BOND AND OATH

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Clay

ss.

Bond No. 100423431

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, James E. Koulovatos, as Principal, and the Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual), a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Texas, as Surety, are held and bound unto Clay County Commissioners Court, his successors in office, in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) DOLLARS, for the payment of which we hereby bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION is such, that, whereas, the above bounden Principal was on the 6th day of November, 2023, duly Appointed to the office of Superintendent / CEO of Clay County Memorial Hospital in and for Clay County in the State of Texas, for a term beginning the 26th day of April, 2026 and ending the 26th day of April, 2027.

Now, therefore, if the said Principal shall well and faithfully perform and discharge all the duties required of him by law as the aforesaid officer, and shall faithfully perform the duties of office

then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force and the number of claims which may be made against this bond, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative and the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims, suits, or actions under this bond shall not exceed the amount stated above. Any revision of the bond amount shall not be cumulative.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that this bond may be canceled by the Surety by sending written notice to the party to whom this bond is payable stating that, not less than thirty (30) days thereafter, the Surety's liability hereunder shall terminate as to subsequent acts of the Principal.

Dated this 18th day of November, 2025.

James E. Koulovatos

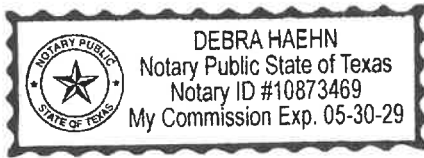
Principal

James E. Koulovatos

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

By:

Kay Blair
Attorney-in-Fact



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PRINCIPAL

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Before me, Debra Haehn, a notary public, on this day personally appeared

James E. Koulovatos known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at

this 10th day of March, 2026

SEAL

Debra Haehn

PO 0123 TX (2/15)

Clay

County, Texas.