SECTION 221429 - SUMP PUMPS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
   A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY
   A. Section Includes:
      1. Submersible sump pumps.
      2. Sump-pump basins and basin covers.

1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
   A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, electrical characteristics, and furnished specialties and accessories.
   B. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
   A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For pumps and controls, to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
   A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
   B. UL Compliance: Comply with UL 778 for motor-operated water pumps.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
   A. Retain shipping flange protective covers and protective coatings during storage.
   B. Protect bearings and couplings against damage.
   C. Comply with pump manufacturer's written rigging instructions for handling.
PART 2 - PRODUCTS

Submersible sump pumps may be used for clear liquids only, and not as solid sewage ejectors or primary building sump pumps.

2.1 SUBMERSIBLE SUMP PUMPS

A. Submersible, Fixed-Position, Single-Seal Sump Pumps:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
   a. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; ITT Corporation.
   b. Goulds Pumps; ITT Corporation.
   c. Grundfos Pumps Corp.
   d. Pentair Pump Group; Hydromatic Pumps.
   e. Weil Pump Company, Inc.
   f. Zoeller Company.

2. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested sump-pump unit.
3. Pump Type: Submersible, end-suction, single-stage, close-coupled, overhung-impeller, centrifugal sump pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3.
4. Pump Casing: Cast iron, with strainer inlet, legs that elevate pump to permit flow into impeller, and vertical discharge for piping connection.
5. Impeller: Statically and dynamically balanced, ASTM A 48/A 48M, Class No. 25 A cast iron, design for clear wastewater handling, and keyed and secured to shaft.
6. Pump and Motor Shaft: Stainless steel or steel, with factory-sealed, grease-lubricated ball bearings.
7. Seal: Mechanical.
8. Motor: Hermetically sealed, capacitor-start type; with built-in overload protection; lifting eye or lug; and three-conductor, waterproof power cable of length required and with grounding plug and cable-sealing assembly for connection at pump.

9. Controls:
   b. Switch Type: Pedestal-mounted float switch with float rods and rod buttons.
   c. Automatic Alternator: Start pumps on successive cycles and start multiple pumps if one cannot handle load.
   d. Float Guides: Pipe or other restraint for floats and rods in basins of depth greater than 60 inches.
   e. High-Water Alarm: Cover-mounted, compression-probe alarm, with electric bell; 120-V ac, with transformer and contacts for remote alarm bell.

10. Control-Interface Features:
    a. Building Automation System Interface: Auxiliary contacts in pump controls for interface to building automation system and capable of providing the following:
        1) On-off status of pump.
2) Alarm status.

2.2 SUMP-PUMP BASINS AND BASIN COVERS

A. Basins: Factory-fabricated, watertight, cylindrical, basin sump with top flange and sidewall openings for pipe connections.
   2. Reinforcement: Mounting plates for pumps, fittings, and accessories.

B. Basin Covers: Fabricate metal cover with openings having gaskets, seals, and bushings; for access to pumps, pump shafts, control rods, discharge piping, vent connections, and power cables.
   1. Reinforcement: Steel or cast iron, capable of supporting foot traffic for basins installed in foot-traffic areas.

2.3 SELF-PRIMING CENTRIFUGAL SUMP PUMPS

A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
   1. Gorman-Rupp Co.; T Series
   2. AMT.

B. Description: Factory-assembled and –tested, automatic operation, duplex base-mounted pumps.

C. Pump Construction:
   1. Casing: CD4MCu body with removable cover plate, replaceable wearplates.
   2. Impeller: Two-vane, semi-open, solids handling.
   4. Coupling: Woods Dura-Flex or Rexnord Omega.

D. Controls: Mechanical alternator with float type switch.

2.4 MOTORS

A. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Division 22 Section "Common Motor Requirements for Plumbing Equipment."
   1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
   2. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Comply with requirements for electrical devices and connections specified in Division 26 Sections.
B. Motors for submersible pumps shall be hermetically sealed.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION
   A. Examine roughing-in for plumbing piping to verify actual locations of storm drainage piping connections before sump pump installation.

3.2 INSTALLATION
   A. Pump Installation Standards: Comply with HI 1.4 for installation of sump pumps.

3.3 CONNECTIONS
   A. Comply with requirements for piping specified in Division 22 Section "Facility Storm Drainage Piping." Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
   B. Install piping adjacent to equipment to allow service and maintenance.
   C. Install vibration isolators on discharge of pumps.

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
   A. Perform tests and inspections.
      1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
   B. Tests and Inspections:
      1. Perform each visual and mechanical inspection.
      2. Leak Test: After installation, charge system and test for leaks. Repair leaks and retest until no leaks exist.
      3. Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation.
      4. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
   C. Pumps and controls will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
   D. Prepare test and inspection reports.
3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

A. Perform startup service.
   1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.

3.6 ADJUSTING

A. Adjust pumps to function smoothly, and lubricate as recommended by manufacturer.
B. Adjust control set points.

3.7 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain controls and pumps.

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