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A. GENERAL

- 1. Aesthetic Considerations:
 - a. Stone Masonry: Use stone masonry that matches the general color and texture of stone used on campus, particularly in the vicinity of the project.
 - 1) Indiana limestone shall generally be used for wall accents, trim, and sills.
 - 2) Stone used for dutchmen shall match the color and texture of the existing stone to the greatest extent possible.
 - 3) Granite is preferred for stone in locations subject to deicing salts and adjacent to landscaping. Install a 4-to-8-inch granite base below limestone to avoid salt damage, water stains, and damage from landscaping maintenance procedures.
 - Indiana limestone shall be used as the primary material for site walls and landscaping features.
 - c. Use standard size and profile trim to the greatest extent possible.
 - d. Natural Stone Masonry shall be used only with approval by the Owner.
- 2. Exterior site walls and / or landscaping features:
 - a. Indiana Limestone shall be used as the "main" material for these items.
 - b. Color: Buff
 - c. Surface texture: Combination of smooth and split-faced
 - d. Exposed Edged: Cant or rounded
 - e. At all low walls and / or benches:
 - 1) Install anti-skateboard notches within the top surface of limestone. The use of surface applied metal anti-skated board devices is discouraged.
 - 2) Install above 4-to-8-inch granite base to avoid salt damage, water stains, and damaged from landscaping maintenance procedures.

3. Locations:

- a. Provide limestone sills for punched window openings or between glazing sill and unit masonry.
- b. Do not use stone masonry for wall copings without approval of the Owner.
- 4. Performance/Design Criteria:
 - a. Stone Masonry:
 - 1) Limestone Masonry: Comply with the recommendations of the Indiana Limestone Institute of America (ILI) *The Indiana Limestone Handbook*.

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- 2) Natural Stone Masonry: Comply with the recommendations of the Marble Institute of America (MIA) *Dimension Stone Design Manual*.
- b. Load-Bearing Masonry (including veneer subjected to lateral loads): Comply with the requirements of TMS 402/ACI 530/ASCE 5 or the prescriptive requirements of the Indiana Building Code (IBC).
- c. Expansion and Control Joints: Provide horizontal and vertical joints in accordance with the recommendations of the corresponding technical resources. Joints shall be sealant filled.

B. QUALITY ASSURANCE

MOCK-UPS:

- a. For new exterior wall construction, erect full thickness wall assemblies, including proposed backup, representative of the typical construction and of sufficient size to include:
 - 1. Minimum one glazed opening, if applicable, including perimeter insulation and sealant, lintels, termination of water-resistant membranes, air barriers, and/or vapor retarders.
 - 2. Base of wall and intermediate level flashing, weep system, cavity drainage system, vertical compression relief, and shelf angles. Include at least one sealant joint at each interface between different materials.
 - 3. Top of wall including coping, termination of water-resistant membranes, air barriers, and/or vapor retarders and connection to roofing system.
 - 4. Step back mock-up construction in layers at one side to reveal relationships between the various layers in the assembly.
 - 5. Clean one half of the exposed faces of the mock-up with the specified cleaner.
- b. Protect mock-up from weather with vapor-permeable moisture-resistant covering.
- c. Mock-up may be used for verification testing during erection, in accordance with Enclosure Commissioning requirements.

C. PRODUCTS:

- 1. Oolitic Indiana limestone:
 - a. Comply with ASTM C568, Class II Medium-Density
 - b. Grade and Color: Select Standard buff, according to grade and color classification established by ILI,
 - c. Surface texture: Smooth
 - d. Exposed Edges: Cant

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e. Install anti-skateboard niches within the top surface of limestone. The use of surface applied metal anti-skated board devices is discouraged.

2. Granite:

- a. Source: Provide stone quarried in the United States.
- b. Comply with ASTM C615
- c. Surface Texture: Smooth or polished.
- Interior Embedded Anchors, Ties, and Wire Reinforcement: Hot-dipped galvanized steel.
- 4. Exterior Embedded Anchors: Type 304 Stainless Steel, type and configuration suitable for conditions indicated.
- 5. Exterior Wythe Ties and Anchors: Type 304 Stainless Steel, unless otherwise acceptable to the Owner.
- Masonry Veneer Anchors and Ties: Vertically adjustable type suitable to minimize heatloss through continuous cavity insulation and capable of providing a minimum of 100 lbf load in tension or compression without deformation or play greater than 0.05 inches.
 - a. Screws for Attachment of Veneer Anchors: Stainless steel or Organic polymer coated to provide a minimum of 800 hours of salt-spray resistance per ASTM B117.
- 7. Flashing: Type 304 Stainless Steel. 0.016 inch (26 gage) thick minimum with soldered seams. Provide fabricated 1/2 inch drip edge, with outer edge hemmed and bent down 30 degrees. Anchor and seal top edge to wall construction.

D. INSTALLATION

- Limestone fabrication, anchorage, installation, and cleaning shall comply with the recommendations of the Indiana Limestone Handbook and appropriate Technotes published by the Indiana Limestone Institute.
- 2. Tie size, type and spacing shall provide sufficient strength for the design lateral loads. Ties and anchors shall extend to 1/2 inch from the face of the finished wall.
- 3. Bond: Running, except where other patterns needed to match existing bond pattern or for approved decorative effects.
- 4. Exterior mortar joints shall be concave tooled. Exposed interior mortar joints shall be concave tooled unless otherwise approved by the Owner.
- 5. Provide control and expansion joints as recommended by the Indiana Limestone Institute. Indicate locations on elevations and describe criteria in specifications.
 - a. Control and expansion joints should match mortar color.

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- 6. Flashing and Weep Installation:
 - a. Fabricate flashing with 1/2-inch drip edge, with outer edge hemmed and bent down 30 to 45 degrees.
 - 1. Anchor and seal top edge to wall construction.
 - 2. In masonry cavity walls, extend interior termination an minimum of 2 inches into the backup masonry bed joint a minimum of 8 inches above the level where flashing extends to the exterior.
 - 3. Ensure flashing has positive slope towards the exterior face of the wall.
 - 4. Fabricate corners to form a
 - d. Vents/Weeps: Install at 16 inches o.c., above flashing and at top of veneer wall cavities.

END OF SECTION