Section 108113 BIRD CONTROL DEVICES

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes:
 - 1. **PE-Plus Premium Grade Bird Net** to prevent birds from entering, roosting and nesting in areas where they are unwanted, and prevent damage from droppings and nesting materials.

1.2 CONFORMANCE SUBMITTALS

- A. Substitute Products: No substitute products will be accepted.
- B. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's samples, catalog cuts, shop sketches and other descriptive materials.

1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Maintenance Data

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Single Source Responsibility: Netting and all parts specified in this section will be supplied by a single manufacturer.
- B. Obtain technical literature from the specified manufacturer, telephone consultation and plan/photograph evaluation.
- C. Utilize labor or Bird-X authorized installers who are certified in Bird-X Product installations. Proof of certification required.

1.5 PRODUCT HANDLING

- A. Protect PE-Plus Premium Grade Bird Net and hardware system from damage before, during and after installation.
- B. If damage occurs to PE-Plus Premium Grade Bird Net, make all replacements immediately.

1.6 WARRANTY

A. 10-year minimum warranty against material defects and workmanship for black netting, 3-year minimum warranty for white and stone netting.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURER

A. Bird-X, Inc. (Basis of Design)
 845 N Larch Ave., Elmhurst, IL. 60126
 Phone: 800.662.5021, Fax: 312.226.2480;

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2.2 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

A. Model Designation:

1. PE-Plus Premium Grade Bird Net (NET-PE)

B. Size: ¾", 1 1/8", or 2"

C. Color: Black, White, Stone

2.3 MATERIAL

- A. **Material**: U.V. Stabilized knotted HDPE net. Non-conductive, flame resistant, rot-proof, waterproof, and stable in subzero temperatures.
- B. **Construction**: 12/6 construction 6 monofilaments of UV protected HDPE yarn, each 0.012 inch in diameter.
- C. **Sizes**: As required
- D. **Break strength**: ISO 1806 / 9001 protocol mesh tested in excess of 40lbs. Proof of Test Certification Available
- E. ISO 1806 Mesh Strength Test: Peak Load 575 lbs force
- F. 24" Wide Span Orthogonal Strength Test: Peak load 575 lbs force
- G. Electrical Properties: Non-conductive
- H. **UV Stability**: UV protection system of Hindered Amine Light Stabilizers (HALS), Anti-oxidants and weather resistant pigments formulated exclusively for Bird-X.
- I. **Thermal Properties**: Melting point in excess of 270 degrees F. Flame resistant. Can be heated for short periods of time in excess of 500 degrees F.
- J. Flammability: Burns slowly in air. Fine filaments tend to melt and drop away before propagating flame.

2.4 MOUNTING SYSTEMS

- A. Hardware: stainless steel recommended for all exterior applications
 - 1. Corner/Primary Attachments
 - 2. Intermediate Attachments
 - 3. Stringing Wire/Cable
 - 4. Ferrules (Copper or Aluminum)
 - 5. Turnbuckles
 - 6. Net Rings

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine installation area. Notify Owner's Agent of detrimental work conditions.
- B. Do not proceed until conditions are corrected.

3.2 AREA AND SURFACE PREPERATION

- A. Remove existing bird droppings in a safe manner. Large quantities shall be removed and disposed. Work areas shall be cleaned, and repair work shall be done in areas which will be excluded by the PE-plus premium grade bird net.
- B. Remove or repair articles that may damage the PE-plus premium grade bird net after installation.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install as recommended by the manufacturer.
- B. Correct mesh sizes shall be specified to ensure exclusion of the correct pest bird.
- C. Shall be installed tightly and securely to ensure a long-lasting installation that is visually hard to see.

3.4 INSPECTION

- A. Visually inspect PE-plus premium grade bird bet for poor adherence to mounting surfaces, or other problems related to poor installation or surface preparation.
- B. Repair as necessary immediately.